



Castlefields Primary School, Castlefields, Bridgnorth, Shropshire WV16 5DQ

3rd March 2023

Book Week

We have had the most exciting week!

On Monday, children were taken to read in different places and there were book scavenger hunts.

On Tuesday, children read with another class. They thoroughly enjoyed sharing books together.



On Wednesday, we celebrated the fact that we are all different and unique.

On Thursday, World Book Day, we had a bumper day! It was lovely to see the children in their costumes. We had an assembly, where everyone had the chance to parade around the hall. We also had Ruth Quayle, our visiting author, in school. She was very impressed by the behaviour and enthusiasm of Castlefields children.

Today we have had an assembly to celebrate book week. We have also held a book swap, and due to the amount of donated books we have had, every child has been able to take a book home.



Every day this week, Caterlink have produced a menu to help celebrate books and reading. Thank you to Mrs Lendrum for all her hard work.

Mrs Shingler and Miss Nicholls have produced a lovely display of all the entries to the book competitions run over half term. The entries were amazing and made judging very difficult.

The following children have won a £5 book voucher to spend in our Book Fair:

Ivy M - A lovely reading week jar

Olivia Z - an amazing interesting reading photo

James B - Fantastic Mr Men cakes

Dillon - A super photo, reading on the London Eye

Florence - A fantastic reading week cake

Lily - An amazing Alice in Wonderland jar





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Sporting News



On Tuesday 2 teams represented Castlefields at the Tag Rugby Tournament. Both teams played extremely well with the A team winning 1st place and qualifying for a place at the County Finals taking place later this year.



On Wednesday children from KS2 competed in the West Midlands Swimming Championship at William Brookes. Results to follow!



On Thursday several pupils attended a year 3 / 4 Tennis Competition at Bridgnorth Endowed School. There was lots of super behaviour and teamwork shown.

Next week: Year 5 OWS

On Tuesday 7th March, Year 5 will be visiting Oldbury Wells for a music concert performed by the Year 11 students. This will take place during the morning. School uniform must be worn; please make sure your child has a coat to walk across the field. We will be back in time for lunch.

KS1 Theatre Visit

On Wednesday 8th March Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are looking forward to their trip to the Severn Theatre in Shrewsbury to see Tales from Acorn Woods.

Year 4 Indoor Athletics

On Tuesday afternoon Year 4 will be visiting Bridgnorth Endowed to take part in the Indoor Athletics. All children should have received a letter.

Bird Garden

A big thank you to TFM in Bridgnorth who have kindly donated a 20kg bag of bird seed. If you have any spare items that the children can use to create their haven for wild birds, please do contact the office!

Travelling Book Fair

A reminder that the Travelling Book Fair will still be available for you to purchase a book tonight and on Monday at 8.30 am or 3.15 pm.

Your child has a £1 book token, which they are welcome to spend at the book fair.



Cash For Schools

This year we are the only Bridgnorth School taking place in the Cash for Schools Competition which could win Castfields a share of £12,000! We would love it if the whole town could support us. Tokens are printed in the Shropshire Star (and Express & Star) every day.

School Dinner Payments

Another polite reminder that school dinners must be paid for on the day or by the end of the week at the very latest. Our school budget is intended to support children's learning, and we cannot use it to cover dinner debts owed.. Thank you for your help and support.

PTA News

Bags2School

There is a Bags2School collection on Tuesday 7th March. Please bring your bags into the school car park on Tuesday morning where there will be an area set aside for the collection.

Movie Night

On Friday 17th March the PTA have arranged a showing of the Jungle Book in the school hall. More details to follow next week.

The Reception and KS1 Movie Night will take place on Friday 24th March, again more details to follow.

Quiz Night

A massive **£864.97** was raised on the Quiz Night!

Thank you to Mrs Shingler and Miss Nicholls for writing and hosting the quiz.

A very special mention also need to go to Julian and Emme. They helped to sort out all the recycling after the event. We are very grateful to them and proud of their environmental standards!