

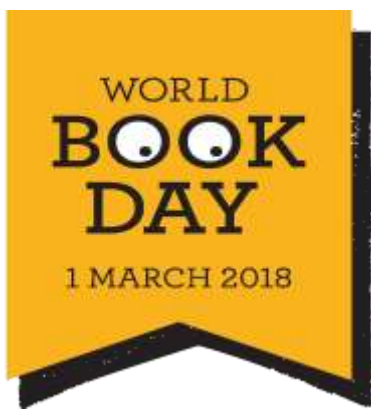
# Doxey Primary School Newsletter 26th February 2018

## Our Stars of the Week



Week ending Friday 16th February 2018

Reception Class	Tayla for always being respectful towards others.
Year 1	Elena for showing curiosity in Maths with her 3D shapes, she has worked very hard.
Year 2	Frankie for being such a grown up Year 2 girl, she shows all the values of Doxey Primary School.
Year 3	Rachel for always showing pride in her work and being an excellent role model.
Year 4	Marissa for always being a fantastic year 4 role model, showing pride in her work and always trying to improve your handwriting.
Year 5	Whole Class for fantastic participation in F.A. Skills, you all really persevered when practising a tricky skill.
Year 6	Lewis for showing self-belief and respect during lessons. We are very proud of you. Keep it up!



### World Book Day Thursday 1st March

Children can come to school dressed as their favourite book character, and also bring their favourite book.



#### Get Caught Reading

Thank you for all the entries for the competition we have received. Unfortunately due to staff illness we have been unable to publish them on Facebook and Twitter but we hope to catch up very soon.

CLOSING DATE for submitting pictures is Thursday 1st March.

#### PARENTS EVENING

All parents that have requested to see their child's teacher should have now received an appointment time. The parent evening appointments will take place in your child's classroom.

We would like to inform you that if you are bringing children along to the appointment, then they will be entirely your responsibility as the school on these occasions is open and all entrances and exits will not be secure.

#### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

All after school clubs are operating as normal from this week. We still have spaces and should your child wish to attend registration forms can be collected from the office.

Clubs run by Mrs Wynn, Mrs Layton and Mrs Nickolls are for selected Year 5 and Year 6 Children and will also be running as normal.

#### SWIMMING

##### YEAR 3 ONLY - EVERY WEDNESDAY

From Wednesday 28th February children from Yr3 will be attending swimming lessons at the local leisure centre. The aim of the sessions is water safety. Please ensure all swimming kits are in school. Girls will be required to wear swimming hats, these can be purchased from the school office for £1.00. Due to safety reason **goggles are NOT PERMITTED**, however we are aware there are special circumstances for some children. Please speak to the class teacher if you have any queries.

#### NURSERY CLASS—SEPTEMBER 2018

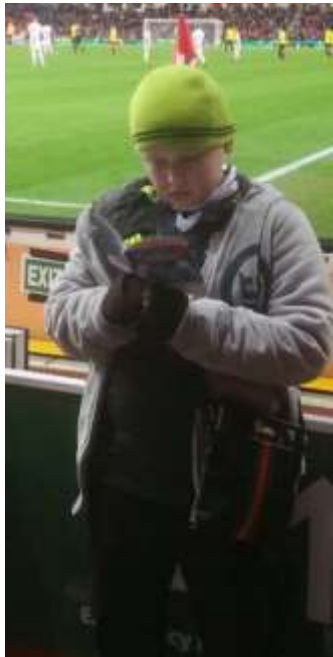
##### WAS YOUR CHILD BORN BETWEEN 1st SEPTEMBER 2014 & 31st AUGUST 2015

If the answer is **YES**, you may wish to apply for your child to join our maintained nursery class from September 2018.

**The deadline for applications is 5th March 2018.**

You can apply online at [www.staffordshire.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/admissions) or if you require assistance please call the Customer Contact Centre on 0300 111 8007 or e-mail: [admissions@staffordshire.gov.uk](mailto:admissions@staffordshire.gov.uk).

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## ROLL UP, ROLL UP

### YEAR 1 & 2 - PANIC CIRCUS VISIT

To coincide with Year 1 and 2's current topic "The Circus is Coming to Town". We have arranged for the Circus come to Doxey School on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March. Professor Panic and his team will be in school all day to entertain us and deliver circus skill workshops to the children. I am sure the children will enjoy what promises to be a very enjoyable experience.

If you would like further information on Professor Panic and his Panic Circus you can visit his website [www.paniccircus.co.uk](http://www.paniccircus.co.uk) or visit his Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/PanicCircus/](http://www.facebook.com/PanicCircus/)

for your child to take part in the event, a payment of £7.50 per child is requested either in cash or cheque. (Cheques can be made payable to: Staffordshire County Council).

To make the event even more special each child will get popcorn and an ice-cream, which will be provided by the school at no extra cost.



#### ROTARY CLUB OF STAFFORD PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION FOR KS2—REMINDER

For all KS2 children, here's a final reminder about the photography competition.

The competition is:

- Open to all of KS2 only.
- There is no theme
- Photographs can be colour or black and white
- Photographs can be any size up to A4
- Images can be taken on any device, camera, tablet, polaroid or phone
- Photographs can be edited with software
- Photographs should be printed on Photo paper if possible. (If you have difficulty with this please ask at school to see if we can help)

Please return any entries to school by **Friday March 2<sup>nd</sup> 2018**. This is after half term and could be a lovely 'holiday project' for your children. Photographs can be of landscapes, cityscapes, still life, hobbies, sports, pets, brothers, sisters etc etc. All photographs must have been taken by the pupils. Judging will be carried out by Stafford Photographic Society and there will be a presentation evening in April for the winners.

#### Dates for your diaries...

Tuesday	27.02.18	Parent Evening 3.30pm—5pm
Wednesday	28.02.18	Parent Evening 5pm—7pm
Thursday	01.03.18	World Book Day—Dress up as favourite book character.
Thursday	15.03.18	Panic Circus visit Year 1 and Year 2
Friday	30.03.18	School closed for Easter
Thursday	12.04.18	INSET DAY—SCHoOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
Friday	13.04.18	INSET DAY—SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
Monday	16.04.18	School re-opens to pupils



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