

Bringing out the Best in Everyone. 'Encourage one another and build each other up.' Thessalonians 5:11

Date: 10th March 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

AmaSing

Composing our Tilston Primary School song was the perfect start to the week. All children had the opportunity to share their ideas and work alongside Alex, and we cannot wait to share our song with you on Monday 20th March at 10 am If you would like to learn the brics and tune



Monday 20th March at 10am. If you would like to learn the lyrics and tune and join in with a singing workshop, please email Mrs Farmer for the Zoom link.

Bishop Heber Science Fair

Our budding scientists are prepared and excited for the Science Fair on Monday 13th March. Please see the details below from the Bishop Heber science department.

Pupils need to wear school uniform and arrive at the sports hall for 4.30pm. Parking is available in the car park. Judging will start at 5pm. Each project will have one desk that is 60cm square. Teas, coffees and water will be available. Pupils and families are free to bring food with them if required. Judging should be finished at 6.30pm ready for the prize giving. We should be finished by 7pm. When not being judged pupils are able to look at other projects or visit the Xplore stand.

Mini First Aid

The children thoroughly enjoying learning basic first aid skills on Tuesday with Becky from Mini First Aid. Basic first aid is part of our PSHE curriculum, and it was a great opportunity for the children to learn through a hands on workshop.



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Punctuality

Thank you for working with us and getting children into school on time this week, it really makes a difference to start of the school day. Please remember gates now close at the earlier time of 8:50am.



Next week's menu is WEEK 3

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Industrial Action

You will already be aware from the media that teachers in the NEU have voted for strike action on the 15th and 16th March 2023.

Tilston Parochial Primary School will remain open to all pupils.

Class Dojo Champions

The Wrens and Bluebell Nursery are this week's Dojo Champions. Well done everyone!



Wrens & Bluebell Nursery	Robins	House Martins	Kestrels
823	367	400	306



TSA

A special thank you to the TSA and to you all for supporting TSA events. With your kind donations, this week every child has enjoyed taking part in the AmaSing composing workshop and the Mini First Aid workshops which enhance and enrich our PSHE curriculum.

On Monday, the TSA agreed to a request from Mrs Hughes for \pounds 325 to update our maths resources across the school.



This week's personal development goal is to **don't give up**. Well done to the following children for showing perseverance this week.







YR	Elsie: for always showing resilience when completing tasks	
Y1	Orla: not giving up with her story writing	
Y2	Elvis: giving his all when writing a story	
Y3	Ralph: persevering with his work despite having a sore eye	
Y4	Oliver: working hard in science	
Y5	Harri: not giving up in maths	
Y6	Rose: never giving up and always giving her best	

A message from Mrs Callister and our wonderful librarians....

Please join us in celebrating our love of reading this March. Our wonderful children are excited to take part in a sponsored book bingo to raise money to buy new Usborne books for our



library. Mrs Neale from Usborne books will donate 60% extra from all money raised to give us even more quality books and will run a pop-up book fair on Thursday 16th March from 3.15. A letter with further information is attached to this Newsletter.

British Heart Foundation- Tilston School Marathon Relay

We are looking forward to taking on our marathon challenge on Friday 17th March. All children will take part and run a few laps of the school field and collectively we are aiming to run a total of 26.2 miles- 163 laps of the school field! If you would like to help us to raise money for the British Heart Foundation, please click on the link below to donate through our Just Giving page.

Lucy Mills is fundraising for British Heart Foundation (justgiving.com)



The school committee would like to invite all children (and staff and parents) to wear red sports clothes and trainers for this special day. The school committee have also asked if they can run a cake sale at breaktime, all donations gratefully received. Cakes will be sold for 50p and I am sure will help to give us all some extra energy!

Please join us

We would love for you to join us in running the final mile (6 laps) together with your child and helping us to achieve our marathon challenge. Please come to school for 2:30pm and help us to cross the finishing line; we may be flagging by then and need some fresh legs!

Share the Learning Event

We are looking forward to welcoming you all into school for our very first **Share the Learning Event** on Wednesday 15th March 8:30-9:15am. Parents are invited to come along for this informal session and share your child's learning. Books and class displays will be available to view with your child. You are welcome to stay for whole session or just pop in; the children will love sharing their work!



Parents' Evening

Our spring term parents' evening will take place on Wednesday 22nd March 1:15-7:00pm. Please use the School Spider app to book your 10minute <u>face to face</u> appointment with the class teachers. **Bookings are now open.** Bookings close at noon on Friday 17th March.

Prayer of the week- Harriet & Izaac (Head Boy and Girl)



Dear God, Thank you that you are loving and forgiving. Please help us to love people in the same way that you have loved us. Please help us to do generous things for others because we love you. Amen

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

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Mrs Kelsey Mort

Dates for spring term 2023

All dates are subject to change

Date	Time	Event/Venue		
Monday 13 th March		Bishop Heber Science Fair Please refer to the original letter for details.		
Wednesday 15 th March 2023	8:30-9:15am	Share the Learning Event- We would like to invite all parents in to look through your children's books before Parents' evening the following week. <i>Please note- books will not be available</i>		
		to view at Parents' Evening.		
Friday 17 th March		British Heart Foundation Marathon Relay Event		
Monday 20 th March 2023	10am	Online AmaSing workshop- Zoom		
Wednesday 22 nd March 2023	1:15-7pm	Parents' Evening Face to face appointments (only) in the main hall.		
Friday 24 th March 2023		TSA Easter Bingo Doors open- 5:30pm/Eyes down 6:00pm-8:00pm		
Wednesday 29 th March 2023	9-11am	Stay and Play- Bluebell Nursery & Wrens		
Thursday 30 th March 2023	2pm	Easter Service at St Mary's Church (all children, including nursery, will take part in the service) Children will walk back to school before being dismissed.		
Friday 31 st March- Break up for Spring break				