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Term 4—28th February 2019

Welcome back everyone!

I hope you all had a good half term and enjoyed the early spring weather.

Term 4 is again a busy term with lots of learning going on in and out of school. Amazon and Rhine Class have already beaten the Newsletter by visiting *We the Curious* yesterday as part of their new topic and judging by the animated conversations, a good time was had by all.

Today, Sue Payne from the Behaviour Support Team visited Stanton, who shared Restorative Practices at a parents workshop. Many thanks to those parents who were able to join us. For those who weren't able to attend, a summary will follow in next weeks newsletter. The restorative approach forms the basis of our school's behaviour policy in terms of repairing relationships when conflict may have arisen.

We welcome back students from UWE this term, whilst they will be based in Darling and Rhine Class they will also be visiting Amazon during their placement.

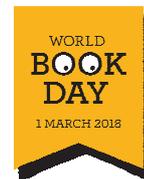
Next Thursday is World Book Day and the following week Red Nose Day. We have identified a few of the key dates at the end of this Newsletter, please be sure to put them in your calendar!

Towards the end of last term we had gathered a rather big lost property mountain. Whilst we will be encouraging the children to look after their belongs in school better, I also ask that clothing is named. It has a much better chance of being returned to its rightful owner that way.

You may have noticed that we have now leapt into the modern IT world with our new signing in system. This is for adult visitors only, however if your child arrives at school later than 9am when the register is taken please come to the office. Children arriving at school after 9am will be marked as late.

Stanton Book Week

4th—8th March 2019



Next week, we will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 7th March and immersing the children in a day of literature themed activities, starting with 'The Big Booky Breakfast' at 8.30am, where children can enjoy a range of delectable breakfast treats to prepare them for the exciting day ahead, whilst book characters read the children a selection of stories. Deadline to book this event is **Friday 1st March**.

Later in the morning, children will enjoy a very special performance by some surprise book characters during our World Book Day assembly. We hope the children will enjoy this performance and that it shall add something extra special to their day.

We invite all children to come to school on World Book Day dressed as their favourite book character, for a suggested donation of £1.00 to the World Book Day charity. For more information on this charity's important work, please visit <https://www.worldbookday.com/>

We shall also be holding an optional 'World Book Day Potato' competition. Should children wish to, they can decorate a potato as a book character and bring this to school on the morning of Thursday 7th March to be displayed throughout the day prior to judging in the afternoon. There shall be two categories (KS1 and KS2) and a prize awarded to one child from each. Please remember to clearly name [potato characters](#). For a few ideas please click on the link above.



Hi everyone

Hope you all enjoyed the half term holiday.



At the end of this term we will be organising our much loved Easter Egg hunt—more details to follow.

Best wishes Yvonne and the FOSS Team

Good Luck to our Year 3/4 Gymnasts who will be taking part in the first ever Chippenham Schools Gymnastics Competition tomorrow.

Diary Dates for Spring 2019

Term 4

February

Thursday 28th Parent workshop—Restorative practice Awareness Session 2.00pm

March

Friday 1st Swimming continues on a Friday until the end of Term 4

Friday 1st Lacrosse Club Cancelled.

Friday 1st Level 2 Gymnastics competition—Hardenhuish 10.30am

Thursday 7th World Book Day—Dress up as book character

Thursday 7th Big 'Booky' Breakfast 8.30am (Pre book by Friday 1st March please)

Friday 8th Netball tournament—Hardenhuish 12.40pm departure

Friday 8th No Lacrosse Club

Monday 11th Commonwealth Day—Event in Chippenham

Tuesday 12th Year 5 "That's Life" topic, DVD screening for Y5 parents at 2.30pm

Friday 15th No Lacrosse Club

Friday 15th Red Nose Day—details to follow

Friday 15th Tag Rugby Tournament Chippenham Rugby Club 10am—3.00pm

Sunday 17th Village litter picking day 10.00am—please show your support

Wednesday 27th Mother's Day Lunch—all mum's invited! Booking information to follow.

Friday 29th Last swimming session

April

Monday 1st Year 6 Bike Ability

Tuesday 2nd Year 6 Bike Ability

Tuesday 2nd Easter Service—this year held at school

Tuesday 2nd Music Concert—5pm

Wednesday 3rd Year 6 Bike Ability

Friday 5th FOSS Easter Egg Hunt

Friday 5th End of term 4. Children can be collected from 2pm

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**Stanton St. Quintin
Village**

Litter pick

10am

Sunday 17th March

Please join in!