

# NEWSLETTER



**Howard**  
Community Academy

10th February 2023

## A Message From Staff

Birdwatching and bikeability have been some of the enriching **experiences** that our children have been doing this week. Lots of smiling faces arrived with their bikes and helmets on Wednesday morning, raring to go. Year 5/6 children have been out and about with the instructors around the estate on their bikes. Road safety skills are so important so it is great to see our young people taking it seriously and listening with great respect.

Early Years have enjoyed the sunshine this week and took part in the RSPB Schools Birdwatch this week. They had a wonderful time spotting different birds and it has been a joy to see their excitement. You may have spotted the birdfeeders around the site that the children have created to entice some visitors, **nurturing** our world.

Fox class enjoyed visiting our friends in our **community** at Marham House care home to sing some of the songs from the recent Young Voices concert.

Following the recent shocking Turkey/ Syria earthquakes we decided in school that we wanted to help in some way. Our non-uniform day today will raise funds for the Disaster Emergencies committee appeal so that we can try to help those affected in some small way. Thank you for your support.

School will be closed for the half term break next week, but we look forward to welcoming our children back on Monday 20th February. Have a lovely break!

*Mrs Weir*



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## Headteacher Awards

I am pleased to announced the following pupils have received a Headteacher Award. Congratulations!

Headteacher  
Awards

Leo S

Reggie P

Rosalie N

Madison P

Lily C

Taylor L

Indigo C

Ivy M

Ebun O

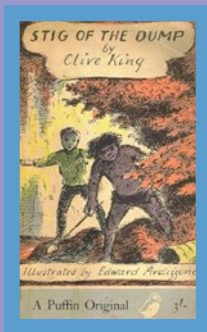
## Looking for a good read?



Mr Bump  
Roger Hargreaves



Krindlekrax  
Philip Ridley



Stig of the Dump  
Clive King

## Dates for your diary

13th-17th February 2023  
Half-term break

## Stars of the Week

Mrs Smith and Ms Nobili for their patience and kindness in Early



## Attendance

This week 90.9% of our children attended school. It has been lovely to see you all. Do let us know if we can help in any way.

## Breakfast Club

Our breakfast club offers the opportunity to start the day well and ensure your child is ready to learn. It is open to all and paid places run from 7.45am. If your child is entitled to pupil premium funding, they are able to access a funded place from 8.15am. All we ask is that you book in advance so that we can ensure we have the correct staffing ratios in place. Book online via My Child At School or contact the school office for more information.



## How to Contact Us

If you need help with advice on how to get online, resources to help your child learn at home or any other support we are here to help. Please speak to a member of staff or phone the school office on 01284 766278.

Class teachers can be contacted via class emails e.g. [otter@howardprimary.org](mailto:otter@howardprimary.org) for Otter class, [badger@howardprimary.org](mailto:badger@howardprimary.org) for Badger class.

## Howard is fabulous!

Keep up to date with news about our learning in school, events and activities as they happen, and some useful links for activities to complete at home, by following us on our social media pages:

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