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## Head Teacher's News

What a fantastic night we all had on Friday! The PTA Disco was an absolute success as always and it was so wonderful to see so many of our families there. Thank you so much to all of the parents who helped on the night and special thanks to the Bushrods for putting such effort into preparing everything. Congratulations to the winners of the Dance Offs (especially the mums and dads). It was particularly lovely to speak to a few parents who commented on how caring the children are with one another and how they mix across year groups and even key stages. This sense of community is one of the wonderful things about coming to our school and it was very rewarding to see the whole school conga making its way through the hall!

On Tuesday, our Year 5/6 football team are off to Cedar Park in the Under 11 Cup competition. Good luck to the team and let's hope we can make it through to the next round!

Also on Tuesday we have our Supporting Reading at Home session for parents in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. Please do try and come along as I know that Mrs Gippert and Miss Davies are keen to share their advice and tips with you.

### **Message from Mrs Khan**

Next week is Children's Mental Health Week. The theme this year is 'Let's Connect' and children will be exploring the importance of making meaningful connections as part of their PSHE lessons. These connections are absolutely essential for helping us maintain positive mental health and wellbeing.

Attached to this newsletter are some simple ways you can connect with your child and help them to make meaningful connections.

You can also find further useful resources related to mental health and wellbeing on the Place2Be website:

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/families/>

Parenting Smart offers practical tips and support around children's wellbeing and behaviour:

<https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/>

Have a wonderful weekend and we look forward to seeing you on Monday.

*Sam Browne*

*'It is like a mustard seed, which is the smallest of all seeds on earth. Yet when planted it grows and becomes the largest of all garden plants, with such big branches that the birds can perch in its shade.'*

Mark 4: 31-32

## Nurture. Grow. Shine



## Star of the Week

**Edie** for fabulous reading all week

**Olivia** for working hard to improve her school handwriting – great job, Olivia!

**Tyler** for some fantastic independent writing

**Jenson** for focussing really well in class this week

## Diary Dates

Date	Occasion	Location	Who?
<b>February 2023</b>			
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup> @ 2:30pm	Supporting Reading at Home Workshop	School	Parents in Reception, Year 1/2
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	House STEM Challenge	School	Children
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	Break Up for Half Term	School	Everyone
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup>	Back to School	School	Everyone
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Year 5/6 Netball Competition	Wycombe High School	Selected Team
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	Parents' Evening	School Hall	Parents
Tues 28 <sup>th</sup>	Parents' Evening	School Hall	Parents
<b>March 2023</b>			
Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup>	PTA Meeting	School	Everyone
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	PTA Quiz Night	School Hall	Everyone
Tues 14 <sup>th</sup>	Year 5/6 Handball Competition	Borlase	Selected Team
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup>	Year 5/6 Swimming Gala	Wycombe Leisure Centre	Selected Team
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Year 5/6 Danish Longball Tournament	William Borlase School	Selected Team
Weds 29 <sup>th</sup>	FGB	School	Governors
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup> @ 3:20pm	PTA Easter Egg Hunt	School Field	Everyone
Fri 31 <sup>st</sup> @ 1:30pm	Break up for Easter	School	Everyone

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