



**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024**

Dear TSM Families,

It has been an incredibly busy time at TSM where we have been working hard to inspire your young people to seek out their own personal interests and see professionals in action!

From music, to theatre and now professional sports the last two weeks has been all about showing the children of TSM what their future could hold and to spark their imaginations to what they can aspire to try, learn or do as they grow up!



### **Bravo- Young Shakespeare- Henry VI!**

*"On Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February the Young Shakespeare Company came with the performance Henry V. They wowed the crowd with their incredible acting. They performed to Key Stage 2 children and invited the audience to participate.*

*They had many different costumes and characters which they all played having in mind that there were only 4 actors (but many helpers along the way!). After many standing ovations the play came to an end. But everyone is looking forward to the play next year after buzzing with excitement".*  
*By Flora and Tess*





## Year 4 Stubbington Residential

*"It was a great experience and there were so many fun activities such as pond dipping, tracks and signs and making small mammal hotels. We loved seeing what we had found the following morning! The hide was another great activity where you get to see Badgers and Foxes and other interesting animals. The names of the dorm's were Badgers, Foxes, Kestrels and Owls. I think that we can all agree that the food was delicious! It was an amazing trip." By Emma C and Jack O.*







## Path to Paris Leap Day Run!

A huge thank you to Hannah Snellgrove and the Team GB British sailing team for making our Path to Paris event a truly inspiring occasion. This event helped the school raise £550! Thank you to everyone involved!

*"Today we took part in our schools Path to Paris event and we were very lucky because Team GB British Sailing Team came into our school! We started by doing a leap day fun run (that was a little soggy!). We got to meet the Olympian, Hannah to be inspired by her journey into sailing and got filmed by BBC South Today and ITV Meridian! It was really fun even though we got soaked by the rain! We had a French breakfast with croissants and pain au chocolats - yummy! We had a wonderful assembly where Hannah told us all about herself and children got ask questions to find out how she got to be part of team GB!" By Ayla, Esme, and Leo.*

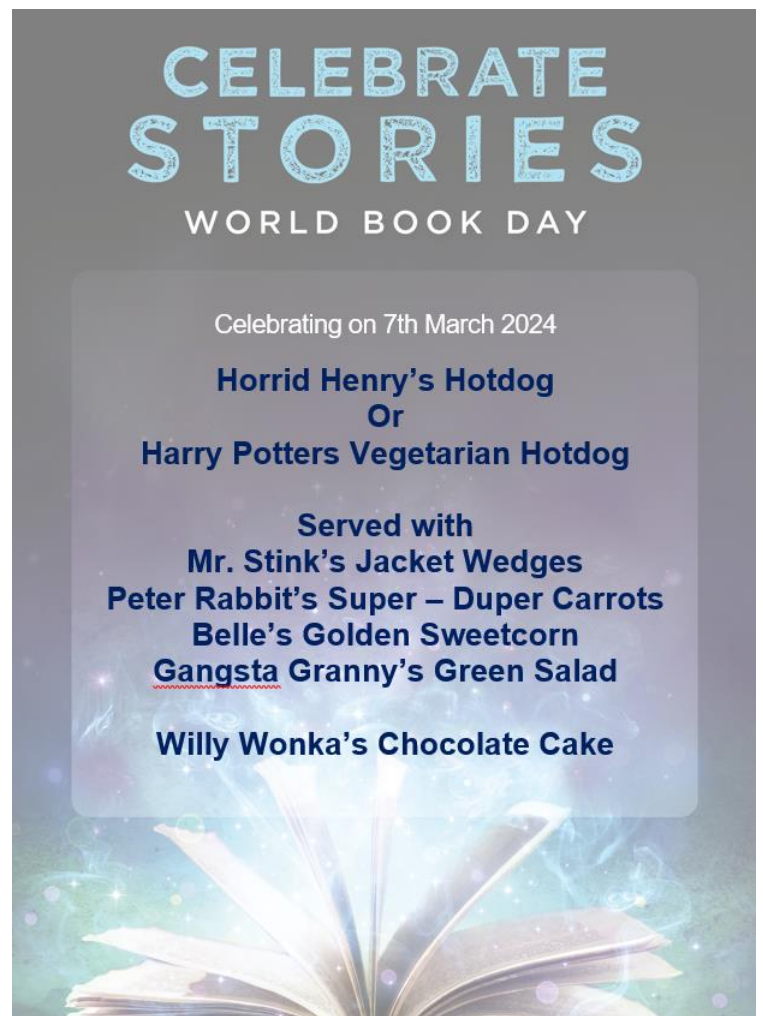


### **World Book Day – Change of Menu!**

We are very excited about World Book day next week, and the kitchen team have come up with this celebratory menu! Please speak to your children about it! This will be the only option on the day.

### **Best Wishes**

Sophie Davies  
Headteacher







## Star of the Week

Class	Name	Reason
Ash	Aoife	For showing the TSM values of Respect and Joy when listening to Hannah Snellgrove in assembly.
Beech	Elena	Creating a wonderful design in her DT project.
Sycamore	Ada	For being a fantastic role model for our TSM values and for her insightful discussions during our Path to Paris day.
Willow	Archie	For showing great courage on the Stubbington residential – well done!
Yew	Hugo	For continuing to show a high standard in both learning and attitudes this week. He has faced each new change with maturity and positivity.



## Roll of Honour

Class	Name	Reason
Ash	Vinnie	For fantastic recall of facts about the Ford Model T.
	Felix	For being a brilliant 'Team Bee' within our 'TEAM number-bond, code breaking challenge!'
Beech	Benedict	For confidently asking the GB athlete his insightful question.
	Lucy	For confidently asking the GB athlete her interesting question.
Sycamore	Frankie	For his enthusiasm and resilience during all learning tasks this week. Thank you for being such a respectful listener too!
	Ayla	For showing respect and enthusiasm when sharing her ideas during our Path to Paris day.
Willow	Yse	For confidently sharing her ideas on the Olympic values and spirit and bring joy to the classroom.
	Fraser	For showing kindness and care in the classroom and brilliant writing this week.
Yew	Joe	For showing respect and thoughtfulness in his answers when sharing his ideas on adaptation and variation in science this week.
	Meadow	For persevering with new learning and having a positive approach and attitude towards her algebra tasks this week.

Dates for your diary: Spring Term	
5 <sup>th</sup> March	Yew Class – Science Roadshow at Twyford Prep School. Email sent on 22 <sup>nd</sup> February.
5 <sup>th</sup> March – 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 5 Swimming (with a break on the 19 <sup>th</sup> March, 16 <sup>th</sup> April and during Easter holidays) – Email sent on 7 <sup>th</sup> February with full details.
7 <sup>th</sup> March	WORLD BOOK DAY! – Email sent on 9 <sup>th</sup> February with full details.
<del>7<sup>th</sup> March</del>	<del>Bedtime Stories Evening Event – Details are part of the World Book day email sent on 9<sup>th</sup> February.</del> <b>Cancelled</b> , apologies for any inconvenience.
13 <sup>th</sup> March	Yew Class Trip to Hawk Conservancy Trust – details to follow
19 <sup>th</sup> March	Willow Class Trip to Winchester Cathedral – Email sent on 9 <sup>th</sup> February with full details.
27 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter service, 9:30 St Mary's Church - all welcome
28 <sup>th</sup> March	PTA Event – Preloved Uniform Sale, 3.30pm on top playground (donations to the office before this date please!)
28 <sup>th</sup> March – 14 <sup>th</sup> April	PTA Event - Twyford Teddy Bear Trail – Email sent 26 <sup>th</sup> February
28 <sup>th</sup> March	Last day of Spring Term
15 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Inset day 4</b> – school closed to pupils
16 <sup>th</sup> April	First day of Summer term
1 <sup>st</sup> July	<b>Inset day 5</b> – school closed to pupils



## PTA Update

### A big 'THANK YOU'

Please can the school team and pupils send a heartfelt thank you for the recent donations from our incredible PTA team. They have added so much 'extra' to our school equipment and experiences that we just could not do without their support.



With your continued donations and support for their incredible events, the PTA this term have donated 17 new iPads to the school, which pupils have been using daily to enhance their learning and also new sports equipment include new netball goals. Thank you so much!



### Preloved Uniform Sale

We will be holding a pre loved uniform sale on the last day of term (Thursday 28th March) on the top playground from 3.30pm.

Please could you bring good condition, freshly cleaned donations of outgrown school uniform into the office before this date. Thank you!