



Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had a very busy week this week, with lots of exciting things going on. On Tuesday, the children were treated to a performance by Rob the Rapper! Nicholas and Ruben, our Music Ambassadors, write: ' On Tuesday, we had a visit from a World Champion rapper! His name Rob Bradley. He told us to make our rap by telling us some words and making it into a rap. He was an amazing performer. He had a great sense of humour and a good sense of rhythm – he was really confident and we all enjoyed the show!'. Thank you, Mrs Jones, for organising this for the children.



We had a fantastic Language and Culture Day on Wednesday, the children looked great and really enjoyed telling one another about the places, near and far, that their families originate from. It was so lovely to join together after school for some tasty treats- we had over 65 families in attendance and food from more than 30 different countries- what a treat! We are so lucky to have such a rich wealth of cultures and traditions in our school (as well as some brilliant cooks 😊). Thank you so much to everyone who took part in the day in any way – and especially to Mrs Capper who pulled the afternoon event together with a great team of parent helpers!



Summer Fair

Many thanks to those who were able to attend our PSA meeting to discuss the Summer Fair. This is our main fundraising event of the year, and this year we are hoping to be able to use the money we generate to purchase some new spotlights for the Hall – we use them whenever we have a production, but also each week when we come together for Celebration of the Word. Our current lights have served us well, but have now given up the ghost and it is time to replace them. The Fair will take place from 3.30 – 5.30 on Wednesday, 20th May, we really hope you will be able to come along, and as always, we are looking for as many helpers as possible to take a turn on the stalls and ensure this is an enjoyable activity for everyone. The fair will be cash -free; tokens will go on sale from Monday. Please buy your tokens in advance. Tokens will cost 50p each – just to give you an idea, a burger will be 4 tokens, a plate of cakes will be 2 tokens, most games and stalls will be 1 or 2 tokens. Raffle tickets are also going on sale on Monday – this is one of our best money spinners and we would be grateful for any prizes which you can donate such as vouchers, gift sets etc. You can send raffle prizes in any time from now on! All other donations should come into school on Monday, 18th May,

when we will have a mufti day in return for donations. We are looking for:

- Bottles for the bottle tombola. Can be anything- bubble bath, soft drinks, hopefully a couple of bottles of wine!
- Soft toys for the Teddy Bear Orphanage – pre loved, but clean and reusable!
- Decorated jars – the children really love getting creative and filling jars with lovely things – I am attaching a flier with some ideas!

On the day of the fair, Wednesday 20th May, we would like donations of cakes which we can plate up. Most of all, we are looking for **HELPERS**, even if you can only help for 30 minutes, it will be appreciated. If you can help, please let the PSA know, either via their WhatsApp group or their email address: psa@stwalburgasprimary.co.uk Thanks in advance!

Random Acts of kindness

We have loved hearing from the children about how they have been showing kindness at home. Thank you to the wellbeing ambassadors for creating a beautiful display board to celebrate these. Our new 'random act of kindness' to focus on during the summer term is showing kindness in school. This could be offering to help a classmate, holding the door open for someone or drawing a colourful picture for a member of staff!

Year 3 & 4 parents and carers

Don't forget to sign up for our online safety session by Monday! Session is at 2.15 on Wednesday, 29th April. This looks like an invaluable session for parents and carers – many thanks to Mr Wilmot.

Well done to all our Stars of the Week!

Super Role Model:

RJ:Artur; RP:Jorgina; 1JC:Aasiyah; 1WH:Max; 2NW:Maja; 2MS:Harry; 3NL:Horacio; 3BN:Tio; 4CM:Albie; 4PM:Franklin; 5RH:Nicholas R; 5JC:Lara; 6KB:Ozan; 6HT:Mason.

Learning Champion:

RJ:Hanna; RP:Jon; 1JC:Joshua I; 1WH:Molly-Mae; 2NW:George; 2MS:Romeo; 3NL:Nicole; 3BN: Adam; 4CM: Sebastian; 4PM:Klara; 5RH:Brooklyn; 5JC:Navish; 6KB:Ana Paula; 6HT:Maya

Dates for your Diary:

Mon 4 th May	All day	Bank holiday – school closed
Tues 5 th May	Am	Year 5 to Residential
Wed 6 th May	Pm	Year 5 return from Residential
Wed 6 th May	All day	Year 4 to The Dorset Museum
Mon 11 th May	All week	SATS for Year 6 – ensure your child is in school!
Mon 18 th May	All day	Donation day for Summer fair
Wed 20 th May	3.30 -5.30	Summer Fair
Thur 21 st May	2.50pm	Last day for children
Frid 22 nd May	All day	Staff training day – school closed for children
Wed 24 th June	am	Year 2 Sports morning – more info to follow
Wed 24 th June	Pm	Year 1 Sports afternoon – more info to follow
Thur 25 th June	Am	KS2 Sports morning – more info to follow
Thur 26 th June	pm	Reception Sports afternoon – more info to follow

Wishing you a lovely weekend,

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