

Dear Parents and Carers,

Monday's NSPCC Keeping Safe Online training for parents was extremely helpful. In her roles as both Safeguarding Governor and a mummy, **Jenny Trewin** has written up some key messages (attached

with this newsletter) for any interested parents unable to make the meeting. Thank you also to **Lucy Phillips from Forest Forge**, who led keeping safe online workshops with each junior class. Lucy has written a brief description of the content covered in the workshops for parents (attached) which may be helpful in discussions with your child at home. I wish you all a happy and safe half-term break.

Kim Wilcox, Headteacher

Premier League Primary Stars Football

On Tuesday 6th February, 8 Year 5 and 6 girls went to Littledown Centre – Bournemouth- to attend a cold, competitive football tournament. The girls who went to the tournament were



Sienna Adams, Romalie Berjaoui, Maddie White, Darcy Thrale, Indigo-Nancy Sonsin, Connie Trewin, Georgina Downing and Zoe Hansen. We played four matches that each lasted eight minutes. Unfortunately, we

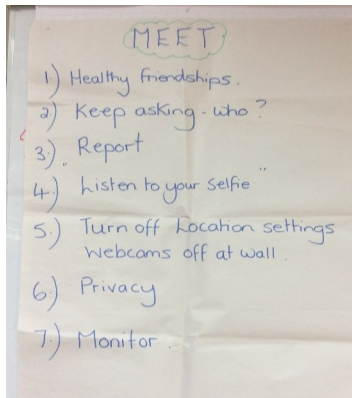
didn't score any goals but we had a great time playing! **By Connie Trewin**

On Monday 5th February, 8 boys from years 5 and 6 arrived at a competitive yet fun tournament at Little Down Centre, Bournemouth. The brave boys who took it on are **Rohan Foster, Tom Garret, Charlie Patton, Ilya Inhatenko, Alex Kear, Toby Fox, Jack Witt & Harry Lockyer.**

By Rohan Foster

Community News

- All Age Worship at All Saints Church Martin. 10:30am this Sunday. All welcome.
- **Snowdrop Weekend** at St George's Church this weekend 12 till 4pm
- **THANK YOU** to everyone who bought cakes at the cake sale last week for **Cancer Research UK**—an amazing **£136** was raised. A special well done goes to **Kitt Wills, Lydia Calais, Millie Calais, Tate Wills** and **Flyn Wills** for organising this event and making a difference.



Stars of the Week

Y1—Leo Harrison & Hermione Bast
Y2— Laurence Peaty & Flyn Wills
Y3— Cameron House & Jacob Clark
Y4— Lucia Broadbridge
Y5— Toby Fox, Harry Lockyer & Finley Horbury
Y6— Ben Wilson

Lunchtime Award
Ava Curry & Noah Crouter-Collier



Cross Country at Gang Warily

Well done to our Y5&6 cross-country runners who took part in the New Forest School Sports Cross Country Championships at Gang Warily this week. The weather was very cold but they all did extremely well in very muddy conditions. The runners were **Sienna Adams, Georgina Downing, Harriet Henderson, Darcy Thrale, Zoe Hansen, Neve Cooper, Fergus Bouskell, Aaron Wood, Ben Wilson, Toby Fox, Ilya Inhatenko, Romalie Berjaoui and Charlie Patton.** Thank you again to **Mrs Sherwood** and parent helpers for taking them and standing in the cold !



Reminders

- Could everyone please check at home to see if they have any school sports kit hidden away (the ones that are lent out for off-site competitions). We don't seem to have as much in school as we used to !
- Next week is half term and we have an Inset day on Monday 19th February. We look forward to seeing you all back in school on **Tuesday 20th February**.



Rainbow Class Topic Landing

Well done to Rainbow Class who entertained parents and carers with amazing singing, displays of class work and cakes !



News from the Friends of Western Downland

Next meeting dates: **1st March** @ The Compasses and **10th May** @ The Churchill. All meetings start at 7pm. All Welcome !



Letters this week

- Travel to school guide (for children who don't use the bus)
- World Book Day



Spring Term 2018

Mon 12th - Fri 16th February	Half-Term
Mon 19th February	INSET DAY
Tues 20th & Thurs 22nd Feb	Parent Consultations
Tues 27th February	Y5/6 Hockey @ Lymington 1.30pm
Thurs 1st March	World Book Day
Fri 2nd March	Y4-6 Netball @ Burgate 2pm
Weds 7th March	Y3/4 Netball @ Lymington 1.30pm
Fri 9th March	Y3/4 Tag Rugby @ Brockenhurst 1pm
Tues 13th March	Y4-6 Tag Rugby @ New Milton 1pm
Tues 14th March	Y5/6 Girls Football @ Ringwood 1.30pm
Thurs 22nd March	Spring Music Concert
Fri 23rd March	FRIENDS' QUIZ NIGHT
Tues 27th March	Easter Service
Fri 30th March— Fri 13th April	Easter Holiday

Summer Term 2018

Mon 16th April	Return to School
Mon 16th - Weds 18th April	Year 5 Tile Barn Residential
Mon 14th - Fri 18th May	KS2 (Year 6) SATs
Fri 25th May	INSET DAY
Mon 28th May - Fri 1st June	Half Term
Mon 4th - Fri 8th June	Year 6 Wales Residential
Thurs 5th & Fri 6th July	School Production
Monday 9th July	Burgate Mini Olympics
Weds 11th July	Whole School Sports Day
Mon 23rd July	INSET DAY