



Newsletter 6 Spring Term

24 March 2016

Dear Parents and Carers

Easter Service

Wow! What an amazing end to the spring term! The Easter service led by the Year 4 and 5 children was very moving. Thank you to the parents and members of the community who came to celebrate Easter with us.

Holy Week



The Year 6 children spent a very enjoyable morning at St Olave's this week, where they consolidated their learning about the events of Holy Week. They took part in craft and drama activities, supported by members of the Fritwell and Ardley churches.

Sport Relief Day -18th March

After a whole school warm-up, led by Class 3, the children and staff were ready to tackle anything. FS and Class 1/2 led the way, with all of the children completing or exceeding the target set for them. Many of the Class 1/2 children completed a full mile. Next it was the turn of Classes 3 and 4, with all the children in these 2 classes completing at least one mile and many of them completing two or even three miles. Finally the Year 5 and 6 children took to the field and completed their miles. I think the record was 25 laps of the field, which is the equivalent of 5 miles. Only the lure of the cake sale stopped Freddy running! It wasn't just the children, all the staff completed a mile too and we were joined by lots of parents who entered into the spirit of the challenge.

After all that activity the children bought cakes from the cake sale organised by the school council, a well-deserved treat! They also had the chance to lay out some of the pennies to make the words Sport Relief 2016; an inspired idea from Kallum in Year 6.



To round off the day I returned from the Headteacher's conference and, joined by Mrs Churchill modelling the latest running gear, we completed our mile in front of a 'crowd' of supportive children and parents.

We would like to thank everyone for all their generous donations as we have exceeded our target of £844 and raised an amazing £1250.38! This is the total from the collection of coins, selling the bands and balls, the cake sale and the pledges for Mrs McLeod and Mrs Churchill.

It was a fantastic day and everyone should be very proud of the difference they have made to the lives of others less fortunate than themselves.

THANK YOU EVERYONE!

We return to school on April 11th, when hopefully the weather will be warmer and the days not so grey. I wish you all a very peaceful Easter weekend and enjoyable break.

Kind regards

Debbie McLeod
Headteacher

SCHOOL DIARY

24 March- End of Term
11 April- Back to School
14 April- Library Van
2 May- Bank Holiday
9 May- SATs Week
12 May- Library Van
27 May- End of Term 5
6 June- INSET Day
7 June- Back to School
16 June- Library Van
24 June- Sports Day
8 July-Evening-FoFS Summer Fete
14 July- Library Van- Book Collection Only
14 July- Presentation Evening Year 6
20 July- Leavers' Service and End of Term