



# Weekly Roundup

## 1st March 2024

What a great week we have had!



This week certificates were awarded to:

**Ladybird class— Blue, Oakley & Sage**

**Dragonfly class— Esmee, Rosie & Ruslana**

**Butterfly class— Milo, Hudson and Rosa**

**Firefly class— Grace, Shalom & Mila-Rae**

**Cricket class— Sienna, Erin & Freya**

**Mrs Pocock's Golden phone call last week went to Isla B-D**

### Goodbye Mrs Hackeson



On Wednesday we had to say goodbye to Mrs Hackeson, Teaching Assistant for KS2. We thanked her for all her help and support (and organising teachers!) in a special assembly. We will miss you!

### Calm Club

Calm club created some beautiful pebble art this week.



### Dragonfly class

Thank you to Claire Williams who came into school today to talk to our Dragonfly class about money and how to keep it safe.



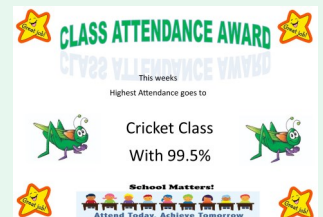
Update from Banwell Parish Council—

**'We're thrilled to announce that the trial for our zebra crossing patrol has been extended! However, please note that our dedicated volunteer will be away for the first two weeks of March due to his prior commitments. We apologise for any inconvenience caused and kindly ask for your patience and cooperation during this time'.**

Our lunchtime choir rehearsing for the performance of Joseph on Thursday 14th March. Please see attached poster for more details on how to get tickets.



Congratulations to our Cricket class who topped the charts this week with 99.5% attendance



2nd Firefly class—98.7%

3rd Ladybird class—98.6%

4th Dragonfly class—98.5%

5th Butterfly class—95.7%

All of our classes were above the national average for attendance this week!

### Dates to remember:

7th March—Dance Festival

7th March—Bake Off (see page 2)

8th March—World Book

12th/13th March—Parents Evening (parents will be emailed when booking opens)

We will once again be taking part in the Big Wheel & Walk. Please see attached details.



The deadline for entries to 'Musician of the Year' is **Friday 8th March**. Further

More photos from our fabulous week at school can be found on our [Facebook page](#). We never share children's full names in our posts. Please can we ask that you do the same if commenting on a post. This is to keep our children safe. Many thanks.



Banwell Primary School we will be celebrating  
World Book Day on

**FRIDAY 8TH MARCH**

- ◇ We are lucky enough to have an author visit us on this day!
- ◇ It will be a non-uniform day with a book theme.
- ◇ Competition ~ children to send in a photo of them reading in their favourite place, or perhaps an unusual place. The funnier the better. Prize for the winner.
- ◇ There will be a special assembly with the author and some workshops for our younger children.
- ◇ Reading relay ~ Children stay in class and the teachers will go from class to class to read to them.

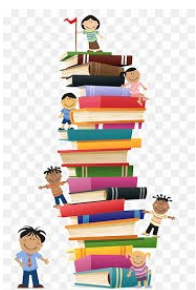
## THURSDAY 7TH MARCH

What better way to enjoy a book than with a slice of cake!



Thursday 7th March we will be hosting a Banwell World Book Day Bake Off. Friends of Banwell flyer on page 2.

- ◇ Children and staff are encouraged to make a cake with a book/character/story theme and bring it on Thursday 7th March. The cakes will be judged and winners announced in Friday's assembly. ~ **Please bring any cakes to the Sports Hall between 8:40 and 8:50.**
- ◇ Friends of Banwell will host a cake sale after school where they will sell slices of the cakes to raise funds for the school. Tea and coffee will also be available. Y6 will get to view the cakes before their after school SATs club.
- ◇ Mrs Venn (Clair's Cakes & Bakes) has kindly agreed to make a cake that will be raffled off at the cake sale.



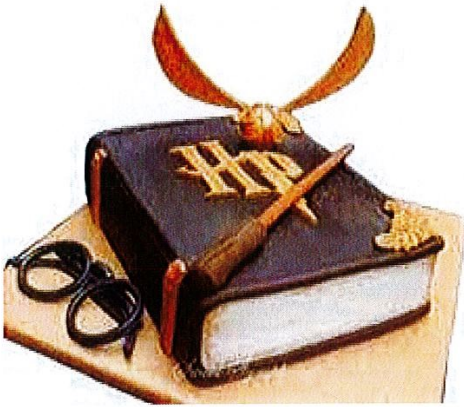
**HAPPY WORLD  
BOOK DAY**





*Banwell PTA presents....*

## *Book Day Bake Off!*



Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March

Children (with the help of parents) and Teachers are invited to bring a book themed cake to school on

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March to enter into the Banwell Book Day Bake Off Competition.

Inspiration can come from a character, or characters, from a book or even create an edible version of your favourite book!

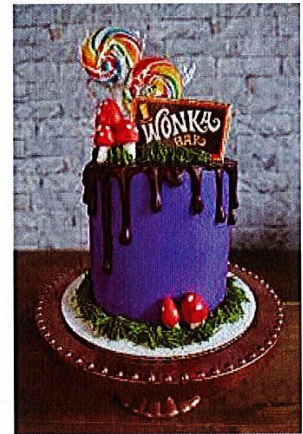
Entrants will be judged and prizes are to be won.

We invite parents to join the PTA in the hall, straight after school on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March to view the cake creations.

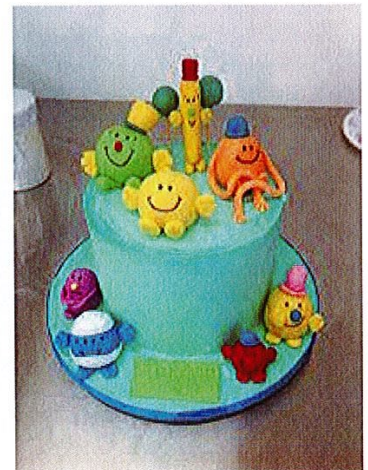
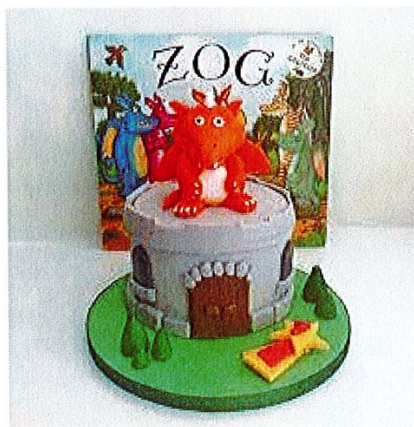
Teas/coffees/squash and more cakes to consume or take away can be purchased.

Raffle tickets are also available to win a fabulous cake, courtesy of Mrs Venn!

The winner of the Book Day Bake Off will be announced in assembly on Friday 8th



Happy Baking!



## Tickets Now Available

For our production of Joseph

This takes place in March over four evenings

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>

St Andrews Congresbury

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> & Friday 15<sup>th</sup>

St Andrews Church Banwell

Tickets are free

so why not and come and join us for a fun filled evening?

To Get your free tickets either contact the Church office or email

[caz.carter@newcreationchurches.org.uk](mailto:caz.carter@newcreationchurches.org.uk)

Also available from Congars Cafe

New Creation   
Building Better Community

Presents

A Church production  
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# JOSEPH and the AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT



**Lyrics by**  
**Tim Rice**

**Music by**  
**Andrew Lloyd Webber**





We will once again be taking part in the Big Walk and Wheel event this year. The purpose of this is to encourage as many children as possible to walk, cycle or scoot to school over a two week period. The event will be taking place from Monday 11th to Friday 22nd March and we will be asking children during morning registration how they travelled to school.

We appreciate that not all families live close enough to be able to do this. If you are able to park a little further away and walk the rest of the route to school that will count! We also understand that the volume of traffic on the road at the front of the school may deter families from walking. Please remember that we have an entrance from Littlefield's Road that is much quieter.