



Our week started with an enjoyable assembly led by Lizzie from St Mary's Church. It is always a pleasure to welcome community leaders in to school.

Our Sports Leaders received Move It! training first thing on Monday morning from Jan Dossett, and Mr Mason and Miss Sutton are looking forward to the Leaders introducing some exciting new playground games to all our groups.

It's great to see so many children engaged in such a wide range of clubs. If you would like to sign up for a club for your child, please contact the office.

Topic launches have gone well this week and the children seem enthused by their new areas of focus. I've seen some captivating learning activities taking place across the school.

Miss O'Kelly launched the new bookmark challenge this week. In response to pupil voice, changes have been made to the scheme. Please support your child to get started with the challenge.

Unfortunately 3 more staff tested positive for COVID this week, so staffing has been challenging, particularly in Early Years. This seems to be the general picture nationally, and we are hoping to have a greater staffing capacity next week.

Snack Shack was very well received on Wednesday and I think that we have ironed out any teething problems. However, if you have any queries, please contact the office.

### Carl's Outdoor Learning

Year 1 and Year 3 enjoying their outdoor learning. Mudcakes? Yum!



### Charlie Chaplin Cinema

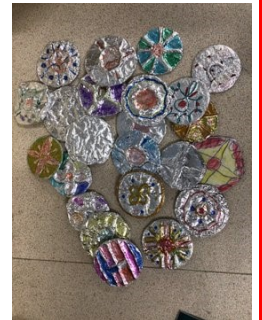
Last Friday, Year 3 and 4 had an exciting afternoon watching a black and white 20<sup>th</sup> Century film called The Kid, starring Charlie Chaplin. The film was to launch their topic, 20<sup>th</sup> Century Leisure and Entertainment. As the children took their seats in the hall, they had to have their golden tickets checked by the usher. They enjoyed popcorn whilst watching the hilarious film. Mr Mason said, "I had to check everyone had their tickets otherwise they wouldn't be allowed in the cinema!" The children also learnt about the black and white film posters and about how cinema changed throughout the 20<sup>th</sup> century. It was a great way to start their topic learning! By Emily and Vidhi, CTCN Reporters

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Wed 26th Jan, 9am** Year 5 Assembly
- Thurs 03rd Feb** Year 6 visit to the Houses of Parliament
- Thurs 10th Feb** Year 5 & 6 Saxon Workshop
- Fri 11th Feb** Year 5 Space Camp
- 21st – 25th Feb** Half Term
- Mon 28th Feb** Back to school

### Amazing Anglo-Saxons

On Wednesday, Years 5 and 6 launched their new topic on Anglo-Saxons. They had a special Anglo-Saxon day filled with loads of fun activities. There were a total of 4 action-packed tasks, including: making foil badges, baking honey oat cakes, an archaeology investigation and a non-chronological report. To make the foil badges, they cut out a cardboard circle with a diameter of 8cm, and drew a design on it. After that, they glued string onto the design, later covering it in foil to reveal the pattern. Did you know, the gems on the badges were used to ward off evil spirits? They carefully examined some detailed pictures of artefacts from the Anglo-Saxon era. Later in the day, they wrote non-chronological reports, covering how the Anglo-Saxons invaded England. Vidhi said, "I really enjoyed the day especially the cooking!" By Mariana, Evie and Emilia, CTCN Reporters



Star Learners	★	Reading	%
Reception	Danny	YR	100
Year 1	Olive	Y1	100
Year 2	Sebi	Y2	89
Year 3	Alex P	Y3	100
Year 4	Toby	Y4	100
Year 5	Tilly	Y5	100
Year 6	Ivy	Y6	100
Whole School	Zak H-H		



## Brakes Vitality

Leamington Brakes are back at school working with Year 3 and 6 on the Brakes Vitality programme, which aims to raise heart rates and measure fitness.



Brakes are also running two after school clubs—football for Year 1 and 2 on a Monday and multi-sports for Years 2, 3 and 4 on a Wednesday.

## Masterful Move It!

On Monday 10<sup>th</sup> of January, the Sports leaders in Year 5 and 6 did Move It! training with Jan Dossett. They started with some basic games and then took responsibility for seeing what else they could add to make them as eventful and entertaining as possible, whilst keeping them active and energising. They used sports equipment to spell out letters, practised their ball skills, and worked on other skills that are necessary to be a successful Sports Leader. They now know not just how to be great at teaching sports, but how to communicate well and enjoy doing it at the same time, as well as getting others to have a good time. Laila, a Sports Leader, said, 'I enjoyed learning all of the different games to play and how we had to think on the spot.' Evie said about Marathon Champion, 'It was great fun and I learned some new skills.' By Anna, CTCN Reporter



## Dinner Menu Week 3

### Monday

Cheese and Tomato Pizza

### Tuesday

Organic Beef Grill in a Bun

Vegetarian—Quorn Burger

### Wednesday

Roast Chicken

Vegetarian — Quorn Fillet in Gravy

### Thursday

Organic Beef and Tomato Fusilli

Vegetarian — Veggie Hot Dog

### Friday

Fish Fingers

Vegetarian—Jacket Potato

EVERY DAY:

Jacket Potato with a choice of either: Cheese, Beans, Cheese and Beans

## Emails sent out:

COVID updates to Nursery, Reception, 2, 3 and 5  
Student placement information to Year 4

**There are children in school who have severe nut allergies  
(including peanuts)**

**No food produce containing nuts is permitted in school**

## Dinner Money

**The cost of dinner per day is £2.35, £11.75 a week.**

Please ensure that all cash/cheque payments come in on a Monday in a named, sealed envelope. Cheques should be made payable to: Clapham Terrace Primary School WCC.

You can also pay via Pay 360 online. Contact the office if you require an activation code to register.

## ROCKETS BREAKFAST AND AFTERSCHOOL CLUB

Open Monday—Friday term time only  
8.00am—8.45am (Breakfast Club) and 3.15pm-6pm (Afterschool Club)

**Morning session** £3.50

**Afternoon session** £3.60 until 4pm, £6.90 until 5pm or £8.60 until 6pm

Places are available on all days

Ring 01926 423404 or email [rocketsooscltd@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:rocketsooscltd@hotmail.co.uk)

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