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**WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**  
**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2020**



Dear Parents/Carers

**Coronavirus Recommendations-** PLEASE SEE A SEPARATE LETTER WITH RECOMMENDATIONS AND ACTIONS SHOULD SCHOOL HAVE TO CLOSE IN THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE. Please make sure your child has a water bottle in school as we are not allowing children to use the water fountains as from next week.

**This week's sporting news ...**

Our Cross Country runners did very well on Tuesday during the Winter Games event. Well done to the whole team and thanks to parents for transporting and supporting.

All children who attended the swimming trials today did really well and there was a high level of skill shown. Mr Pay and I have chosen the team based on fastest time but also children who can swim different strokes as we can only take 10 children to the Gala. Letters will come out next week.

**School Lottery**

This week's winner is Mrs Payton. Don't forget to sign up to the lottery if you have not yet done. It is an easy way to support the PTA and bring some revenue into their funds which continue to help our children enjoy their education.

Next PTA meeting is on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March at the Woodberry Inn.

**Travelling Books Book Fair**

Remember the Travelling Book Fair will be in school from Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March. It will be open before and after school. Please sign up to help if possible.

**Bridgnorth Walk**

This year the Bridgnorth Walk team will raise funds for the Harry Johnson Trust. This has been chosen by the Russell family and all the money goes to children who are being treated for cancer at Telford Oncology unit. The team usually split the sponsor money, half to school and half to the chosen charity. Kelly Woodcock is happy to lead the team again. More news to follow.

**The Big Pedal and Walk to School Week**

From 22<sup>nd</sup> April until 5<sup>th</sup> May it is the Big Pedal when children are being encouraged to cycle or scoot to school. Please be mindful of wearing helmets and road safety around this.

Walk to school week is from 18<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> May. The weather should be getting warmer by then. Let's see if we can have record numbers of children walking to school each day or driving a short distance and walking if you live a long way away.

**Sport Relief**

Key Stage 2 have had a great afternoon with lots of sporty events including their fun run. As a school we have raised £96.85 today for Sport Relief. Thank you everyone. The Colour Run will still take place next Tuesday for Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 4 children. The money raised by Key Stage 1 will go to a Leukaemia Charity.

It is a very challenging time for us all at the moment with the world news and uncertainty. We need to keep as calm as we can and reassure our children so that their anxieties are kept to a minimum.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Hampson

