

# Spring Term

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone who donated books for the Sundial Book Sale on Wednesday and thank you to everyone who supported the sale. The Sundial children worked really hard and enjoyed organising the Book Sale. The £95 raised will be used to purchase reading and library books for the whole school.

It was lovely to see so many of you at our Open Parent Sharing yesterday, the children really do love to show you their work.

Sundial parents please note the next instalment for the Condoover trip is due at the end of January - please ensure payment is made as soon as you can. The final instalment is due at the end of February but we will send a reminder closer to the date.

Thank you to The Friends for organising this evening's Disco; the children have been excitedly looking forward to this all week!

We have a lot of unnamed uniform in school - please ensure your child's uniform and possessions are all clearly NAMED for safe return.

If you have any questions or concerns at any time, please come and see me.

Have a lovely weekend.

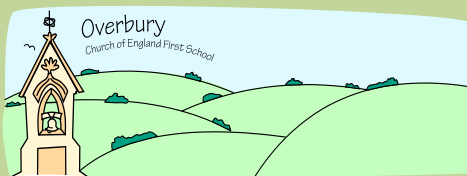
Best wishes,

Emma Ross

## MOVE-MORE WORKSHOP

Wed. 31 January 2.15pm

Marijana Filipovic-Carter, our Family Engagement and Support Lead from Move-More, is coming in to school on Wednesday, 31<sup>st</sup> January to host a workshop session for parents on the subject of "How to help children learn emotional self-regulation". The session will start at 2.15pm and will be completed by pick-up time. Please let the school office know if you would like to attend. Thank you.



## CHRISTIAN VALUE: COURAGE

Overbury School Vision

"Discover, nurture and share God's gifts"

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday: Move More Multi-Skills: Years 1-5  
Art Club: Years 1-5

Tuesday: Private Music Lessons  
Move More Sports: Years 1-5  
Construction Club: Years 1-5  
AT Soccer Club: External

Wednesday: Forest School: Tower Class  
Rugby Club: Years 1-5

Thursday: Swimming: Sundial & Sheldon  
Animation on Computers: Years 1-5

31 Jan Move More Parents Workshop: 2.15pm  
5<sup>th</sup> → 9<sup>th</sup> February: Children's Mental Health Week  
5 Feb Christingle Service (in School)  
7 Feb Yr3 Rugby: BHA  
7 Feb Friends: Pancake Races: tbc  
7 Feb Parents Presentation: 6pm/School Hall  
"Reading & Writing" - see box →  
9 Feb Odd Socks & Waistcoat Day (Sue Ryder)

12<sup>th</sup> → 16<sup>th</sup> February: Half-term

21 Feb Move More Parents Workshop: tbc  
26 Feb Sundial: Trip to "Think Tank"  
6 March Netball Tournament Years 4&5: tbc  
12 March Parents Evening 1 / 2: details tbc  
13 March Photos: details tbc  
13 March Parents Evening 2 / 2: details tbc  
15 March Rags to Riches Collection  
19 March Easter Service: St.Faith's  
22 March End of Spring Term: 3.15pm

Please refer back to these dates often as they are updated every newsletter.



## GRASSHOPPERS

Grasshoppers are recruiting for enthusiastic staff (qualified or non-qualified; hours to suit). If you or someone you know would be interested, please ask them to get in touch with either Sally or Rachel on 01386 725755 or by email at: [manager@overburygrasshoppers.co.uk](mailto:manager@overburygrasshoppers.co.uk)

Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> January 2024



## PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations!

Pupil Achievements for weeks ending 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> January

### Readers of the Week:

Mason / George H / Oscar W  
Oscar / Eloise / Sam

### Writers of the Week:

Ellison / Archie B / Ellie  
Monty / Toby / Evelyn

### Mathematician of the Week:

Charlie / Layla B / Henry C  
Robyn / Zac / Freddy

### Friend of the Week:

Josh / Reva / Archie G  
Quentin / Orlagh / Charlotte

Please email the office of any out of school achievements you would like to share (with pictures if possible!)

## READING & WRITING PRESENTATION

Wednesday 7 February

6.00pm ~ School Hall

Please join us for an informative evening to support your child with their reading and writing skills.

Everyone is welcome - both parents and children.

The aim of the evening is to share strategies to support your child in developing their skills in reading and writing as well as to develop enjoyment and enthusiasm in these learning areas.

There will be displays and tables set out with resources that are used at school to support and challenge your child in their reading and writing. There will also be some top tips on how you can encourage your child to read and write at home.

Please let the school office know, by end of Mon 6 February, if you would like to attend. Thank you.

