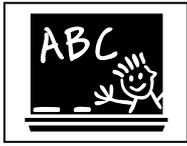


# Thomas Russell Junior School

Inspiring all, achieving together.



## Newsletter



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Headteacher Mrs S Sharpe

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### Spring Fair

We were so lucky with the sunshine on Wednesday after school for our Spring Fair. Year 6 children had worked incredibly hard creating a great range of creative and fun games for us. Their efforts were amazing, and they were also praised by numerous members of staff for how organised, sensible and thoughtful they were and how they worked incredibly well in their teams without any arguments. Their hard work certainly paid off as they raised nearly £400!

Thank you for the fantastic donations for the refreshments and tombola too. Those stalls raised over £500, giving a grand total of nearly £1,000!!!

Want to have a say in how that money is spent?

### Next Friends' meeting

Wednesday 4th May 3.30-4.30pm

Discuss Sports Day, Duathlon, any other ideas and future spending plans. Please come along and have your say. Child care will be offered again, this time by Mrs Sanders - thank you. There will be cake!

### Reminder

Film Night in memory of Lee Hanstock at Thomas Russell Infants - Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May.

### Sponsored Skip / Spell / Times tables Challenge

Please have all sponsorship forms in school on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April ready for our three part challenge. Once all the activities have taken place, children will bring home their forms (with results) to start collecting in the sponsorship money.

Good luck everybody!

### Missing Fitbit

Unfortunately, we have a Fitbit that has gone missing in school. It is not clear whether this has been lost or taken. Y6 parents please have a good look through swimming kit bags as it is possible it has been scooped up with towels or other items. All other parents to be vigilant for a grey fit bit. Thank you.

### Bikeability & Whitemoor Lakes

Year 4 children have a busy week next week with Bikeability on Monday and their residential visit to Whitemoor Lakes on Thursday to Friday.

Please be aware on Monday morning that there will be about 60 children arriving with bikes.

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Happy Birthday, Your Majesty!

The children had a wonderful time on Wednesday lunchtime, working together to make a giant number 90 on the playground. They also sung Happy Birthday and the National Anthem - great fun!

Reminder - don't forget it is Bank Holiday Monday on 2<sup>nd</sup> May - School Closed

*Best wishes, Mrs S Sharpe*