

#### **Lowca Community School**

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# Friday 9th February 2018



### WINNERS THIS WEEK

Class1: Lucas for beautiful handwriting and being such a great friend

Class 2: Seanna for being helpful and kind Class 3:Upper Junior Harry for his comprehension work

Lower Junior- Daniel Smye for his maths understanding

### **KS 1**

It's been a hive of activity in Class 1 this week as our pirate topic comes to an end, and we topped it off with our visit to the Rum Story on Tuesday. All the children were fabulous, and their good behaviour was commented on by the members of staff there. We found out lots of facts linking Whitehaven to the Caribbean- Whitehaven has a rich history with pirates, smugglers and the slave trade. The children have written little pirate adventure stories as well as doing some super reading, phonics and telling the time. All the infant children enjoyed 'Big Art' where they created a huge pirate frieze, its brilliant - take a little peek in Class 1 where we found a 'little' place to hang it! Our next topic for spring term when we come back is' Growing' and we have lots of exciting things planned.

## Ks 2

The juniors have completed their 9<sup>th</sup> Terrific Scientific investigation this week, in which they were again looking at saving electricity. Our electricity detectives have been busy scouring the school looking for lights being left on and things like that and have managed to save 7KWH of energy! Well done. They have also been doing there 'weather forecasts' in front of the green screen and have recorded their reports- they really had a great time and did brilliant work! Our new topic is looking at developing countries and our focus will be the 'Solomon Islands'.

HAPPY HOURS NURSERY Happy hours will be open as normal during February half term (Monday to Friday) 8am-5.30pm.) There will be fun activities available for children of all ages from toddlers up to year 6.

Theme days include:

Monday-traditional games

Tuesday-arts and crafts

Wednesday-construction and de-construction activities.

Thursday-cookery club

Friday-multi-sports.

For more information please call the ladies on 01946 591999

# **Dressing- up Day**

On Thursday 1st March it is 'World Book Day' and if your child wishes to dress up as their favourite character from a story they are encouraged to do so. (Please do not go to great expense to dress them up, something homemade will be just as good)

We hope that everyone has a lovely half-term break, let's hope the weather is in our favour during the week! See you all on Monday 19<sup>th</sup>!

## DIARY DATES 2018



Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> February 1.15-2.15p.m. Junior's Judo week 5

Back in school on Monday 19th February, 8.50am start

SCHOOL DINNERS MENU W/B 19/2/18: Week 1 (£2.10 per day/£10.50 per week)

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