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### Newsletter 21

#### Spotted being "TERRIFIC!"

Our Terrific Awards were presented this week to:-

- ❖ Mario Murariu in Class 1 who was spotted showing "EXCELLENCE and a good attitude to all his work."
- ❖ Barnaby Westcott in Class 2 who was spotted being "INVOLVED in all learning and doing an excellent job in afternoon projects."
- ❖ Rebecca Yeowell in Class 3 who was spotted being "CARING. She shows great kindness and consideration to all members of our school."

Well done to all our Terrific Award winners!

#### Year 1 & 2 Gymnastics Competition

Six children from Class 1 were chosen to represent Albury School at the BSP Gymnastics Competition on Thursday last week. They had to present a given floor routine, followed by a springboard jump. Each child had to perform their routines to a set of judges and could do so individually or with a partner if they felt a bit nervous. All six children showed a lot of commitment in rehearsing at short notice and were fantastic on the day, showing great improvement. So, although no medals were won, they should be very proud of themselves.

#### BSP High 5's Netball Competition

Earlier today, eight children from Class 3 took part in the BSP High 5's Netball competition, playing five matches against other local schools. The children competed well in all games, proving that we certainly have some budding netball stars, winning one game against Windhill21 and narrowly losing three matches. Unfortunately, a very strong team from Mandeville School proved to be that little bit too much for us to overcome! Really well done to all of the children who took part, the standard of netball across the whole competition was excellent.

#### Friends' Meeting – Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March

Please join us next Tuesday evening at 7.30 pm at The Brewery Tap pub in Furneux Pelham to discuss forthcoming fundraising events. We always look forward to seeing new faces at our meetings, so please do come along if you can.

#### Midday Supervisory Assistant

For September 2017, we are looking to recruit a Midday Supervisory Assistant to join our small but very friendly team. The role will involve looking after the children at lunchtimes, whilst they have their lunch, and supervising outside in the playground. You would need to have a caring and patient personality and be prepared to work outdoors in all weathers! An excellent sense of humour is virtually essential. Hours: Monday to Friday - 12.15 to 1.15 pm.

Would you be interested in this role or know of someone who might be? If so, please contact the school office on 01279 771253 for more information.

#### PE Kits

It was noted today that several children were missing items from their PE kits or indeed the entire kit! In most cases, this meant that they could not participate in this afternoon's lesson. Please could you ensure that your child/children come to school with a full kit on a Monday and take it home on a Friday to wash, if necessary. All children should have the following items: yellow school PE top, black shorts, plimsolls, trainers, tracksuit bottoms/leggings (for outdoor activities in cold weather.) Please make sure that all clothing brought in to school is CLEARLY NAMED.

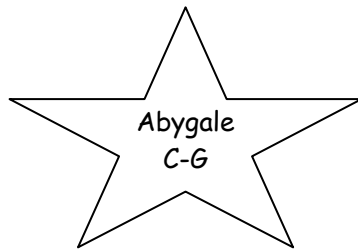
#### World Book Day 2017

It was a pleasure to welcome so many characters from the world of literature to school today. From Harry Potter, Hermione Granger and their dementors to Fantastic Mr Fox and Farmer Bunce; World Book Day was certainly celebrated in style! To mark its twentieth anniversary, the children were encouraged to do 'something booky' and during lessons they designed their own book-themed board games, planned and acted out their own dramatic scenes and created lovely pieces of artwork. Along with schools across the country, hundreds of book shops are taking part too in an attempt to promote reading and a love of books; some titles being on sale for as little as £1. Please visit [www.worldbookday.com](http://www.worldbookday.com) for games, activities and special offers.

## Stars of the Week

This week's stars are:

### Class 1



For working really hard in science.

### Class 2



For fantastic work learning about fractions.

### Class 3



For a noticeable improvement in all areas of Literacy!

*Well done to all our Stars!*

## Diary Dates for the Spring Term 2017 – PLEASE CHECK DATES WEEKLY FOR ANY ADDITIONS AND CHANGES

MARCH 2017	
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March	1 pm – 5-a-side Football Tournament at St Joseph's in the Park School – selected children only.
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	7.30 pm – Friends' Meeting at The Brewery Tap pub, Furneux Pelham – ALL WELCOME
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	2.45 pm – Church Assembly with Rev Steve – ALL WELCOME – Refreshments will be available.
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	3.30 pm – KS2 Parent/Teacher Consultations.
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	2.45 pm – Church Assembly with Rev Steve – ALL WELCOME – Refreshments will be available.
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	3.30 pm – EYFS & KS1 Parent/Teacher Consultations.
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	2 pm - School finishes for the Easter holiday.