



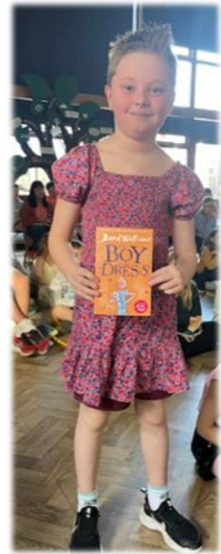
A highlight of this week was World Book Day which brought colour and lots of smiles across school yesterday.

Our brilliant librarians, Isobel and Ada, led the assembly whilst we ate breakfast together and shared the story behind World Book Day which first began in 1995 to celebrate the joy of reading around the world.

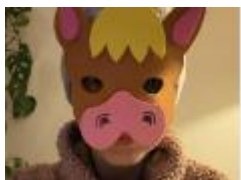
Classes dressed in their chosen rainbow colours and explored books linked to their theme and each classroom was filled with stories, conversations and lots of enthusiasm for reading.

One of the highlights of the day was the staff *Masked Reader* challenge which had everyone guessing who was behind the book. There were some interesting disguises and lots of laughs when the identities were revealed.

Big thanks to Miss Miranda for organising this event and to Mrs Daws and kitchen staff for our delicious breakfast. Days like this remind us how powerful stories can be in bringing us together sparking imagination and inspiring new ideas. Let's keep reading. 📖👂



## Can You Identify the Masked Reader?



## Safeguarding

This week we carried out our termly fire evacuation drill. The entire school including our preschool pupils left the building calmly and safely and assembled on the field in less than two and half minutes. The procedure worked exactly as intended and pupils followed staff instructions very well. We complete these drills regularly as part of our safeguarding and site safety routines so that everyone knows what to do in an emergency.



**Year 1** have been Spring Detectives this week – so many lovely things to spot right outside our school!

## Feeling Proud



- ★ Ellie Wilshaw (Year 2) has completed her Promise ceremony and is now officially a Brownie Guide
- ★ Last week Oliver was awarded man of the match from both of his teams!
- ★ Noah Smith (class 4) competed in a junior gala representing Calverton and Bingham Swim Club. He achieved a third and two first places and the club were overall winners.
- ★ Luca played against Liverpool academy - won 3, drew 1. Great result!
- ★ Congratulations to all our activity superstars and to all the children celebrated in today's Golden Assembly.



Mon 2nd March	w/c Poetry recitals – class heats.
Thur 5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Listen Up Conference (by invitation)
Thur 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Y2 visit to Newark Air Museum
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Off By Heart Grand Finale (by invitation)
Tue 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Y4 & 5 trip to Recycling Centre
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> March	F and Y1 visit to Bestwood Break up for Easter
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> April	Return to school for summer term
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> May	Y4&5 residential to Condover Hall, Shropshire returning on Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> May	Nottinghamshire County Show
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 SATs week starts
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 Residential returning on Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Break up for half term
Mon 1 <sup>st</sup> June	Return to school
Tue 9 <sup>th</sup> June	Class photographs
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Ks2 summer show pm & eve
Thur 9 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 summer show eve
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of term for children
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> & Tue 21 <sup>st</sup> July	INSET Day

