



# The Anchor News

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17th April 2015

Hello everyone,

I hope you had a lovely Easter break and have been enjoying the lovely weather this week. The children have come back raring to go and we are really working hard now in preparation for the Year 1, Year 2 and Year 6 national tests which happen this term.

Thank you to all those parents who have tried hard to get to school on time - the number of children who are late has fallen dramatically so well done everyone! Our attendance is also looking good so once again keep up the good work. We are really hoping to reach 96% this year which will be the first time ever.

Please take a few moments to read the newsletter carefully—it has lots to tell you this week.

Have a great weekend everyone.

Sue Simmons, Principal.

## What's for Lunch?

The new summer term lunch menus started this week.

The new menus can be downloaded from the school website at

[www.stclemce.bham.sch.uk/website/school\\_lunches](http://www.stclemce.bham.sch.uk/website/school_lunches)

or can be viewed in the Office foyer area.

The dates for the menus this half term are:

**Week 1:** 13th April, 4th May

**Week 2:** 20th April, 11th May

**Week 3:** 27th, 18th May

## ISLAMIC RELIEF RECYCLE WEEK CAMPAIGN 20<sup>TH</sup> – 26<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2015



Springtime is the time of the year where people clear out their wardrobes of old and unwanted clothes. During next week (20-26<sup>th</sup> April) our local Islamic relief centre are asking for our support with their recycling campaign. This is an ideal opportunity to contribute; both helping reduce to waste and being environmentally friendly while helping those in need.

The Islamic relief Centre have begun to work closely with St Chad's Sanctuary located in the city centre to supply them with clothing they need, an initiative to help those in need in our local community

We will be receiving donation bags which will be sent home, if you could fill and return these bags to school with donated clothing it would be very much appreciated.

**Collection day:  
Thursday 23rd April 2015.**

Mrs Harris, Assistant Vice Principal.



Attention Nursery and Reception Parents in association with Bloomsbury Nursery and Children's Centre



### Bookstart Corner



Would you like free resources and ideas to support your child's learning?

Please come along and attend our Bookstart sessions on the following dates

#### **Session 1: Nursery Rhymes**

Thursday 23rd April 2015

#### **Session 2: Stories**

Thursday 30th April 2015

#### **Session 3: Using Props**

Thursday 7th May 2015

at 9.15-10.00 in the Community Room

**Talking Tips  
Stay and Play**

**Mondays  
9.15 – 10.15am**

If you received a leaflet regarding this Stay and Play session don't forget

**First session  
on Monday  
20th April**

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# Community Open Day

Thank you for coming 😊

Thank you to everyone who came and made our Community Day such a success.

Everyone seemed to have a great time and really enjoyed themselves.

We would like to thank everyone for their generosity towards the stalls organised by Zaynab in Year 6.

You helped her raise over £400 for the conflict between Israel and Palestine.

## ★ STAR PUPILS

	Muhammed Zeeshan Hussain	Kaif Sarfraz
	Jayden Margetts	Alexi O'Brien
	Roman Shaw	Courtney Anderson
	Ramatoulie Walcott-Dennis	Anaisa-Maya Wilson
	Sayhan Khurshid	Jamie-Leigh Collins
	MH Sajad	Ria Sarfraz
	Kyle Trappett	Robel Mebahtom
Sports Stars	Malick Diba	Malaz Ismail

## Year 3 & 4 Residential ⇒ Mon 27th - Wed 29th April

With only a week left till year 3 and 4's residential we hope that the children are excited and looking forward to their time away from school. Below is a reminder of the kit list so you can double check, please note only prescribed medication will be given



- ☐ Sleeping Bag
- ☐ Pillow
- ☐ Waterproof Jacket
- ☐ Swimming Costume/Shorts
- ☐ Outdoor shoes x 2
- ☐ Towel
- ☐ Toiletries
- ☐ Warm pyjamas, dressing gown and slippers
- ☐ Small games e.g. bracelet making, cards etc
- ☐ Reading Book
- ☐ Old warm clothing as there is a strong change of them getting muddy!  
—>(Two sets of clothing for each day)
- ☐ Please do not send phones or other electrical devices

Mr Burton, PE Co-ordinator



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