

Dear Families,

It is hard to believe that half term is just round the corner.

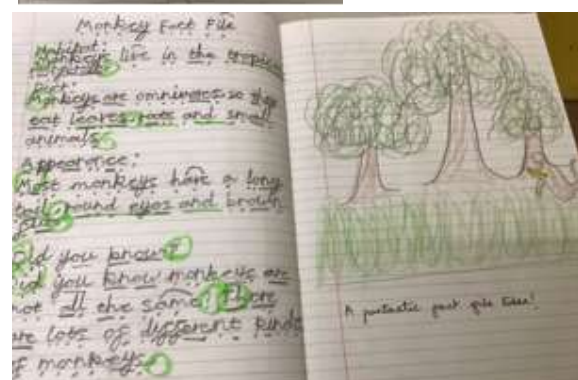
I would like to wish all our colleagues, families and pupils that are observing Ramadan a restful and blessed month. We will be celebrating Eid on the 16<sup>th</sup> April. This is a great opportunity for us to come together as a school to celebrate together.

## Badgers Class News

In Badgers class this half term, we have really enjoyed our community visits. We have enjoyed visiting the pet shop and different parks in the local area. This week, we enjoyed visiting Milton Road library. We saw how the books were organised and chose a selection of books to read.



In English, we created a fact file about different animals in the rainforest inspired by our story 'the Great Kapok tree'. This week, we have enjoyed reading our new story book 'George Saves the World by Lunchtime' and using role play to bring the story to life.



We have been working on our fine motor skills through 'dough disco.' In Forest School, we really enjoyed creating a bird feeder out of cheerios. It was a tasty treat for the birds and for us too!



## Churchill Class News

Micah, Perry and Mitchell from Churchill, joined some of the other year 14's at Grafham Water with NCS on 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> March. They stayed for one night and took part in rock climbing, archery, canoeing and power boat activities. During Monday evening they had a camp fire with hot chocolate and toasted marshmallows. The activities were to help with making friends, team building and Perry said 'it helped to teach you to be an adult'. They had a really good time.





## Power Up

Calling all children, young people and their families. During recent years, you may have experienced pressure from the pandemic, lockdowns, and challenging times. Now i3 Parent Hub - with support from Cambridge City Council - has teamed up with a range of voluntary sector partners to bring you the Power Up Festival. Designed to boost young people's wellbeing and help them recharge their batteries, the fun-filled festival will be held at The Netherhall School in Cambridge on Wednesday 27th March, from 4.15pm. It's free to attend, but please pre-register online to book your food for the event. With the aim of supporting young people to achieve positive mental wellbeing, the festival will offer a 'marketplace' of local organisations offering services, support, advice, and workshops. Not only that, but there will be a wide range of career advice and useful tips to make the most of your summer and beyond. But it's not just about the educational side of things - there will be plenty of fun activities to explore and do too. As well as enjoying refreshments and the chance to chill out, there will be lots of action-packed pursuits to try. Why not have a go at different sports, experiment with street art, or get creative with crafts? Please sign up from the QR code on the attached poster and come down.

**Boost your wellbeing**

**POWER Up FESTIVAL**

**Wednesday 27 March 2024**  
4.15pm - 7.15pm

The Netherhall School,  
Queen Edith's Way,  
Cambridge CB1 8NN

**Take part in action-packed activities**

**Try out different sports**

**Experiment with street art and creative crafts**

**Gain career advice and tips**

**Access mental health and wellbeing support**

**Enjoy free refreshments and chill out**

**FREE entry**

Pre-registration is essential to book your food. Please scan the QR code to book.

**Visit [i3parenthub.org](https://i3parenthub.org) for more information and to book.**

## Red Balloon

Red Balloon is having a pop up shop this Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March from 11am to 1.30pm.

The pop up shop is located at 16-18 Arbury Road, Cambridge CB4 2JQ .

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