

Headlands Primary School: Monday 27th February 2023

National Education Union (NEU)

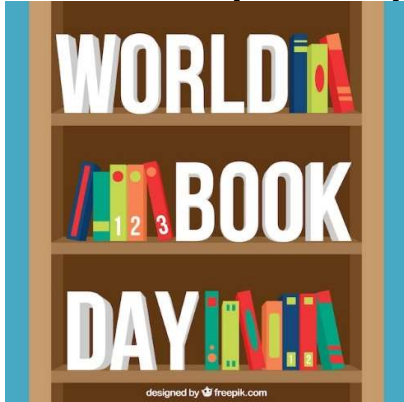
The NEU announced national and regional industrial action in England on the following dates: Tuesday 28th February (Regional), Wednesday 15th March 2023 and Thursday 16th March 2023.

As a school we will do our best to negotiate through these scheduled strikes and will address each strike day, one at a time.

We are currently anticipating that all classes **will be open on Tuesday 28th February**, however, please be aware that **this may change on the day** as NEU members are able to notify school on the morning of the strike. If members decide to strike, school will inform parents by 7.30am on the day which classes are affected and closed. Please have **contingency plans** in place for your child if we need to close their class.

Staffing levels may also impact our Parents evening appointments, and so we would also inform you via text by 9.30am if this was cancelled.

World Book Day: Thursday 2nd March



We are celebrating World Book Day with the children taking part in a number of activities designed to foster a love of books and promote enjoyment in reading. Our theme this year is **'Around the world'**.

As in previous years, the children are welcome to come to school dressed as their favourite character from a book if they wish.



To help families we are setting up a 'swap shop' in the main school office for any unwanted 'costumes' to be used by other children. Please hand in any un-wanted 'costumes' so that other children may enjoy wearing them.



Special invitation to parents/grandparents: If you have spent some time living in another country and would be willing to retell their traditional tales, please contact your class teacher as we would love to hear them. Alternatively, please send in your story and we will share them with the children.

World Book Day Competition: Be in it to win it!



Mrs Nunn our school cook, is running a World Book Day competition this week. Children will need to collect a sheet from their class teacher, work out the puzzles each day and post the completed sheet in the box in their classroom. There will be prizes for each phase including a £5.00 voucher. Winners will be announced the following week.

Fairy Muffins and Pancakes in school last week

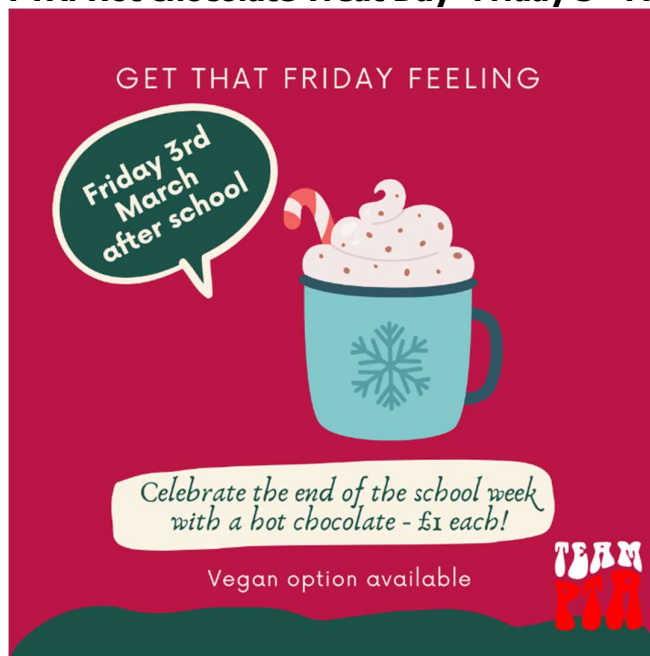


The Magic Muffin Fairy (Mrs Nunn) visited Year 1/2 Blue last week delivering delicious muffin treats as a class reward for their fantastic learning and behaviour. They had filled their 'gem in a jar'.

Shrove Tuesday Pancakes were a huge hit with the children and they loved all the special toppings.



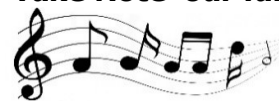
PTA: Hot chocolate Treat Day- Friday 3rd March



The PTA are serving Hot chocolate on Friday 3rd March as a fundraising treat for the children at the end of the school day.

Celebrate the end of a busy week; parents evening appointments and world book day, with a hot chocolate to kick start the weekend.

'Take Note' our fabulous Headlands Choir



'Take Note' will be performing at Joseph Rowntree Theatre on Saturday 11th March at 2.30. We wish them all the very best in their rehearsals and performance.

PTA fundraising

Thank you for the PTA for organising and running the school disco. They raised £522.05 of which £500.00 has been donated straight to the school for additional music resources. Miss King is busy ordering the resources and we look forward to them arriving in school for the children to enjoy.

Staffing update

Mrs Hicks will be returning from her maternity leave on Tuesday 14th March 2023. She will return to her role as EYFS class teacher and therefore we will say goodbye to Miss Beedie.

Miss Beedie has been a fantastic addition to the EYFS Team and we have enjoyed working with her. She is highly committed, enthusiastic and we will miss her.

We all thank her for her hard work over her time at Headlands and wish her all the very best in her future teaching career.

Dates for your diary

28.02.2023: Year 4 Swimming 2/4

28.02.2023: NEU Strike Day

28.02.2023: Parents evening

02.03.2023: World Book Day

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03.03.2023: PTA Hot chocolate after school

07.03.2023: Year 4 swimming 3/4

11.03.2023: Choir performing at Joseph Rowntree Theatre

14.03.2023: Year 4 Swimming 4/4

15.03.2023: NEU Strike Day

16.03.2023: NEU Strike Day

17.03.2023: EYFS visit to St Mary's Haxby

17.03.2023: Red Nose Day



Thank you for your on-going support.

Best wishes,
Headlands Primary School



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JUNIOR NETBALL ACADEMY

TUESDAY EVENINGS FROM 28th FEB 2023

- * School Years 3 & 4 training: 5.30 - 6.30pm
- * School Years 5, 6, 7 & 8 training: 6.30 - 7.30pm

£90 for 18 training sessions up to Summer holidays!

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The deadline for registration is Friday the
24th of FEBRUARY.



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