

# Weekly Newsletter

*'Education on another level, where possibilities are endless'*

## International Women in Engineering Day

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June was International Women in Engineering Day, which we were made aware of by Adele, one of our parents who herself is an engineer and who very kindly, offered to come into speak to our children. She spoke about what an engineer is, how important their jobs are and what kind different things engineers do including talking about her job of being an electrical engineer. The children were challenged to be engineers and had to work as a team to create paper aeroplanes – and they did a great job! A huge thank you to Adele for coming into speak to the children, it is a really valuable way of learning about all sorts of different things!

## Sports Day

It was our Sports Day on Tuesday, unfortunately the rain didn't allow us to get up onto the roof, but we were able to use the hall instead. Our children were all brilliant and we are all very proud of them - they all tried their best, they showed great **Bravery** by giving all the races a go and great **Citizenship** by supporting their teammates in their House Teams. The children all received a certificate and sticker for their efforts. We then finished the morning with a Teacher Egg & Spoon race – congratulations to Miss Chambers! Lots of photos and videos have been shared on Tapestry, so please check these out.

## Summer Reading Challenge

Angela from Central Library came to visit us to talk all about the Summer Reading Challenge that is starting at the beginning of July. The Reading Challenge is delivered in partnership with public libraries across the UK and is a fun, free way for children to stay motivated to read throughout the summer holidays. Children are able to set their own reading goal and can read anything they enjoy! We will be sharing more information next week, but if you wish to find out more sooner, please click here: [Summer Reading Challenge](#) – or visit your local library and get signed up!

## Mystery Readers

A last hurrah for Mystery Readers! Thank you to Amelie's Daddy and Adam's Mummy for your time and for choosing such funny (No such thing as a Snappenpoop!) and interesting (A non-fiction book about space) books.

## Upcoming dates / events ...

### RSH Class Assembly, Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 9.30am

The booking link for this has been sent out to all Reception parents/carers today. Please ensure you do book your ticket/s as we are unable to accommodate anyone who has not pre-booked a ticket.

### Play and Pick-up Sessions, Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July for RSH & Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July for PLMM

Parents/Carers are invited into school to play with your child within some of areas/activities have been enjoying.

Reception Play & Pick-up – Mon 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2.30pm

Pre-School Play & Pick-up – Tues 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2.30pm

Please note, this session will be limited to one parent per child and we cannot accommodate any younger siblings. We will send out a link to a form for you to book your space on this session over the next few weeks.

### Open Doors, Mon 14<sup>th</sup> July, 3.30pm – **Altius** & **Citius** & Tues 15<sup>th</sup> July, 3.30pm – **Fortius** & **Magnus**

We will be welcoming parents/carers into classrooms as a chance to celebrate the children's work and achievements over the year. Your children will also be able to share their 'pupil profiles', which reflect their own thoughts on their learning and achievements from their year. Miss Mcleod Marsh and Miss Hopkins will be available to answer any questions you may have and celebrate the fantastic year they have had with your children. To make these sessions more relaxed and to avoid crowding, we will be spreading them over two afternoons grouped by house. You do not need to book a slot, it will be more of an informal drop-in session.

Both afternoons will run from 3.30pm – 4.15pm. Please collect your child from the Early Years Gate as usual and then wait outside school so the staff have time to set up. If you are unable to attend, we will be sending the children's work and books home with them at the end of the academic year so you are able to share this with them then.

### PLMM Class Celebration, Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> July, 9.30am

Pre-School parents/carers please save the date! We will share more information about booking tickets soon.

## Character Award!

The recipients of our Character Award for the last two weeks are ...

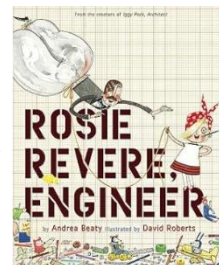


These were awarded for **Curiosity** and **Bravery** for trying their best. We also gave one out for **Curiosity** within their Rainbow Challenges and **Bravery** for settling into Crown Street. Well done to all of you!



## Assembly this week

In keeping with our visit from Adele, and it being International Women in Engineering Day, I shared a book with the children called 'Rosie Revere, Engineer' by Andrea Beaty. A book about following your dreams and not giving up. It tells the story of Rosie, who loves to create and build different gadgets and gizmos, but loses confidence when things don't work. However, she soon learns that if something doesn't work first time, it isn't a failure - the failure would be giving up, so instead to keep on trying and to learn from our attempts and mistakes. We talked about this in relation to not giving up when our learning might get tricky, or if something doesn't go the way we wanted - like when we build in the construction area - to use this to try again. We shared the word resilience and linked to our school rule of 'We try our best'. We also talked about **Bravery** - how Rosie was brave to try again and brave to encourage others to believe in themselves too.



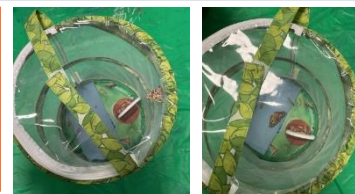
## PTA SUMMER FAIR REMINDER

SUMMER FAIR, Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July  
3.30 – 5.30pm, School Hall

To book your tickets for this event, [please click here](#).

## Update on our new members of Crown Street Primary ...

After very carefully moving the chrysalides into their new butterfly habitat we have had some developments – RSH have 3 butterflies! PLMM's haven't hatched yet, but we have a feeling we may start to see some butterflies in there soon ...



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> July** – RSH Class Assembly, 9.30am

**Mon 7<sup>th</sup> July** – Play & Pick-up for Reception Parents/Carers, 2.30pm

**Tues 8<sup>th</sup> July** – Play & Pick-up for Pre-School Parents/Carers, 2.30pm

**Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> July** – Changeover Day!

– Induction Morning for new Pre-School pupils and parents/carers, 9am – 10am

– Induction Morning for new Reception pupils and parents/carers, 10.30am – 11.30am

**Mon 14<sup>th</sup> July** – Open Doors (for **Altius** & **Citius** children and their parents/carers), 3.30 – 4.15pm

**Tues 15<sup>th</sup> July** – Open Doors (for **Fortius** & **Magnus** children and their parents/carers), 3.30 – 4.15pm

**Weds 16<sup>th</sup> July** – Stay & Play for new Pre-School pupils

**Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> July** – PLMM Class Celebration, 9.30am

**Fri 18<sup>th</sup> July** – PTA Summer Fair, 3.30pm – 5.30pm, School Hall

**Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> July** – Last day of our first year! School closes for Summer!

