'Growing together at the Heart of God's Community'

14th February 2020 - Our "Value for life" is Friendship

A friend loves at all times - Proverbs 17:17



Head Teacher's Hello:

Love is in the air! Well it is better than the wind...at least we haven't had snowfall yet, lets hope our half term holidays can offer calmer, drier and warmer weather. I have had the pleasure of hearing lots of children demonstrate their reading skills this week and a small reminder to all that we are half way through our reading pick and mix. Perhaps if children are bored during the holidays choosing a book from the list will help them on their way to get their free book. World book day will be here at the beginning of March and letters will be coming home soon. I know some parents have already asked if there is a theme and last year we said pyjamas hoping that this would help parents in not having to buy costumes only to have lots of parents say they bought them in the sales! So this year we are saying BOTH pyjamas to snuggle with a book or a book character (I hope this helps) May I take this opportunity on behalf of all the Glazebury family that we hope you all have a lovely half term holiday and look forward to seeing you all back on Monday 24th February 2020. Remember our door is always open. Mrs Mowbray.

Breakfast Club – School breakfast club opens Monday to Friday at 7.30am until 8.50am during term time at a cost of £3.00 per session. You don't need to book a place you can just turn up on the morning. It's a great fun way to start the day with a healthy breakfast served, light exercise, news time, story time and plenty of time for free play, there is even support with homework and reading if required. If you want any further details please ask about it at the school office.

New Clubs - Clubs for next half term are now live on ParentPay. Please note places are limited, if you want your children to attend please sign up as soon as possible to avoid disappointment as places are offered on a first come first served basis.

Snack – Toast for next term is now live on ParentPay for you to sign your children up for next half term. It is £7.50 for the half term from Monday 24th February to Friday 3rd April. Please sign up before the deadline 8.30am Monday 24th February if you would like your child to have toast at break time.

Considerate Parking - We have had concerns raised by one of our local residents from Hurst Lane about parking across access to properties. The resident on many occasions has had access to their own driveway blocked. Please can we ask you to park considerably when dropping off and picking up children and think about our neighbours. Thanks

Pancake Toss – The ever popular sponsor pancake toss is returning again, taking place on Tuesday 25th February. Don't forget to get practicing over the half term holidays. Sponsor letters and forms went out yesterday. There is an additional competition this year to create your own original pancake topping with a chance to win a prize.

Glazebury Seniors Community Lunch – If you live in our local community and would enjoy some company we would like to invite you to come for a roast dinner at the school. This will give you the opportunity to meet new people and enjoy having a chat whilst eating a delicious freshly cooked meal. This will take place take place one Tuesday in every half term the dates are as follows: Tuesday 25th February, Tuesday 28th April and Tuesday 16th June at 12noon. We are offering the first meal on Tuesday 25th February free of charge and then £2.40 each for future meals. If you would like to attend please ring the school office on 01925 763234 to book your place.

World Thinking Day – World Thinking Day is the weekend before we return to school after the half term break. We are going to celebrate this in school on Monday 24th February and the children are welcome to come into school wearing their Guide or Scout uniforms on that day.

February Half Term - Culcheth Day Nursery are running a holiday care service and can be contacted on 01925 767615 or enquiries@culchethdaynursery.co.uk

Family Service - You are invited to a warm and friendly family service held at All Saints Church, Glazebury on the first Sunday of every month. The service starts at 10.30am, all children and families are welcome.

Church Robed Choir – Rev Jan is looking to start a church robed choir at Glazebury All Saints Church. The children will only need to attend church once a month on the 3rd Sunday, they will be given robes to wear while singing in the choir. Rehearsals take place Wednesday lunchtimes in school. A separate letter went out regarding this. If this is of interest to your children please complete and return the consent slip sent out with the letter to the school office.

Roadworks— Roadworks have now started on Warrington Road in Glazebury. The work is set to run a further 8 weeks, The letter and map with more information is in the school foyer. Although the work will be carried out between 7pm and 1am there may be some disruption during the day so please bear this in mind when dropping off and picking up from school.

Part Time Cleaner Vacancy Glazebury Methodist Church, Warrington Road, Glazebury WA3 5LD has a vacancy for a part time cleaner. The hours required are 6 hours per week flexible (2 hours per day on 3 separate days). Pay will be at the national living wage rate. Applications should be sent to the Property Secretary at the church address or by hand to the church letterbox. Closing date for applications is Friday 28th February 2020 with interviews to be held early March.

Don't forget we break up today at the usual time and we return to school on Monday 24th February 2020. We wish all our families a safe and happy half term.



Nut Free School

Please remember we are a nut free school. Please don't send any products containing nuts to school in lunch boxes or snacks. Thanks in advance.



What was the best thing about the weather this week?

Jessica – Year 4 – "I loved hearing the sounds of the wind and the rain."

Jenson – Year 4 – "I loved the rain because it's like a shower."

Pupil Voice

Whole school attendance so far this academic year is 96.19% Glazebury School attendance target is 97% Attendance for Week Commencing Monday 10 th February 2020	
Mrs Ball - Reception attendance	98.89%
Mr Snelson - Year 1 attendance	96.67%
Mr Snelson - Year 2 attendance	98.69%
Mrs Goman- Year 3 attendance	88.89%
Mrs Goman- Year 4 attendance	100% Well done!
Mrs Smith - Year 5 attendance	100% Well done!
Mrs Wall - Year 6 attendance	99.42%







Head Teachers Award

Sophie

For sharing her reading with me with a lovely smile.

Maisie

For being a good friend and always showing others how to make the right choices.

Jack

For being so polite to our visitors and holding the gate for them, well done.

Luca

For demonstrating lovely manners, knocking on doors and saying excuse me.

For being a super role model and spending time supporting her daily mile buddy.



Personal Development Award

Class 1

Cora and Sophie

Class 2

George and Max

Class 3

Emmeline and Kaitlyn

Class 4

Eva and Felicity