# Newsletter Half-term



It has been an action packed half-term, with successes in sporting events, many trips and visitors, new displays across the school and pupil's books filling up with some amazing work. Take a look at our <a href="#">Facebook</a>, <a href="#">Twitter</a> and <a href="#">website</a> which is full of photos from across the school, a flavour of which are on the page below. Have a relaxing half-term break and we look forward to welcoming pupils back on Monday 20th February 2023.

#### Mr Matthew Cross

Headteacher

Save the Date: World Book Day





We are asking children and staff to come to school dressed as their favourite book character to celebrate World Book Day on Thursday 2nd March. Click here for inspiration

## **Last Chance: Half Term Sports Club**



Premier Sports are running a February half-term holiday club at Queen's Hill Primary. Find out more and book a space

### **Future Strike Action**

You may be aware from media coverage that the National Education Union has declared further proposed strike action on the 1st, 15th and 16th March 2023.

Like before, we will be considering all options, including partial opening and will keep you informed regarding any disruption. Thank you for your understanding.

#### **RSHE** Consultation



We are currently reviewing our relationships, sex and health education (RSHE) curriculum policy so we can be sure our provision is appropriate for our pupils. Attached to this email is a letter about the upcoming focus groups we are running.

## Thank you Ms. Geschke



Today is Ms.Geschke's last day with us. We want to say a big thank you for all of her hard work with helping to promote and champion outdoor learning across the school. We wish her every success in her new post.

## **Spring 1: In review**



Year 6 found out about careers in technology, engineering, environmental sciences and firefighting at our <u>careers fair</u>.



Children enjoyed learning and identifying garden birds as part of their weekly outdoor learning lessons.



We welcomed lots of families to our <u>recent workshare</u>, where we celebrated children's learning across the school.



Year 4 became published writers, as their kennings poems were entered into a competition and printed in their own poetry books.



Our swimming team swam brilliantly at the UEA Interschools Gala.



Year 6 created wonderful Mayan prints inspired by the geometric shapes and repeating patterns used by the Maya people.



Year 2 finished their textiles artwork by using their handmade relief blocks to print repeating patterns on to their dip dyed fabric.



Year 5&6 learnt about the traditions of Chinese New Year as part of their weekly Mandarin lessons.



Year 3 children shared their non-chronological reports on the Ancient Egyptians with Reception pupils.