

### Giles Brook School

# NEWSLETTER



# **Governor Award**

As you are aware, our value for this half term is Kindness. Our Governors have provided this form for you to vote for someone in our school community that you feel has shown kindness. To ensure your nomination is included and certificates can be handed out at the end of term, please can all responses be completed by Wednesday 18th October. https://forms.gle/JefmXdYB3iz2rrGY6

#### **Black History Month**

Milton Keynes Library is celebrating #BlackHistoryMonth in October and are offering children a FREE African Flag Bunting craft workshop (ages 5+).

It's on Saturday 7 Oct 2-3.30pm at Central Library.

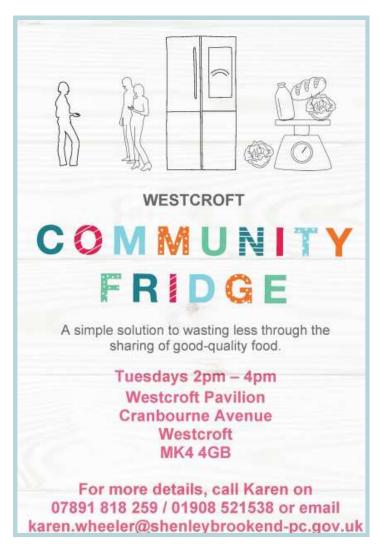
Book your place in advance online at

<a href="http://www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/library-events">http://www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/library-events</a>



#### Reading/Phonics Workshop for Year 1 Parents

Many thanks to those of you who came along to this meeting. The presentation used and additional resources will shortly be available on our Website and Tapestry.



# **World Mental Health Day**

We will be taking part in #HelloYellow on the 10th October by asking children to wear something yellow (something small or all) to raise awareness of mental health. Please click on this link if you wish to know more about Young Minds and Hello Yellow charities:

https://www.youngminds.org.uk/



#### SAVE THE DATE

10.10.23	World I	Mental	Health	day
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11.10.23 Yr 6 residential parents meeting (6pm)

16.10.23 Parent consultation evenings

16.10.23 Scholastic Book Fair commences

17.10.23 Y3 visit Safety Centre

18.10.23 Willow class parents evening

19.10.23 Parent consultation evenings

20.10.23 School closes for half term

31.10.23 School reopens

02.11.23 Y6 visit Oxford Natural History and Pitt Rivers Museums

06.11.23 Birch class swimming lessons - every Monday for 6 weeks

14.11.23 Y4 visit the Space Centre

17.11.23 Children in Need

Do you need extra help applying for a school place (reception, year 3 or 7)?

MK Council can offer free advice. Drop into the Central Library on any of the dates listed to meet them.

The deadline for applying for year 7 is Tuesday 31 October.

# Applying for a school place and need help?

(Reception, year 3 or 7)

Here's when we'll be at MK Central Library offering free and friendly advice about applying. No need to book.

**Milton Keynes** City Council

11.30am - 2pm

11, 18 and 25 Oct 10am - 2pm

6 and 13 Dec 10am - 2pm

11.30am - 2pm

10 Jan 10am - 2pm



5.12.23 Reception Christmas performance to parents (2pm & 6pm)

12.12.23 KS1 Christmas performance to parents (2pm &

13.12.23 Christmas lunch

14.12.23 Y3 visit MK Theatre (pantomime)

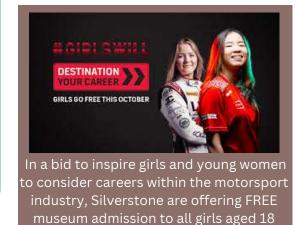
14.12.23 Nursery Winter Day

19.12.23 Reception visit The Stables (Hansel and Gretel)

21.12.23 KS2 Carols on the playground (2.45pm)

22.12.23 School closes for the Christmas break





years and under throughout October.



Don't forget to book your parents evening slot. The online booking system will be open at 6pm on Sunday 6th October.

