

## Slaley First School



## Friday 17th February 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

There it goes ... another half term and another great week!

The children who attended Film Club on Wednesday had a lovely time. They enjoyed the film (and their popcorn and sweeties of course!)

Today it has been very windy, so we have been inside mostly but I am pleased that the weather is a little better now in time for the holidays!

We have lots to look forward to after half term. Mrs Seymour has been planning her Harry Potter themed lunch for World Book Day and we are looking forward to seeing all of the children in their character costumes.

Science week is also fast approaching (W/B 13<sup>th</sup> March) and we have arranged some visitors from Sunderland University, the Head of Science from Corbridge Middle and some visitors from The Sill to come and work with us. The visitors will be spread out throughout the week - It will be very exciting!

Just as a reminder, we are NOT closed on any of the advertised strike days, school is open as always. We are closed however on May 8<sup>th</sup> which is the date of the new King's Coronation. (Bank Holiday)

There has been no homework sent home this week as I need you all to enjoy your family time without the pressure of school.

Have a lovely half term everyone, see you on Monday 27th February! Mrs. Hayward

## What is happening soon ...

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March - World Book Day Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March - Image Theatre - 'The Wind in the Willows'

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> - Friday 17th March - National Science Week Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March - Comic Relief Day (More details to follow after the holidays - we haven't quite finished planning for it!) Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March - Parents' Evening (More details to follow nearer the time)



Swimming will take place in the Summer Term - 17th April 2023-21st July 2023 (13 weeks) for children who are in Class I and 2 Little Reminders ...

We have some signs to pop on the front gate but please can you make sure that you close it as you leave or enter the school grounds.