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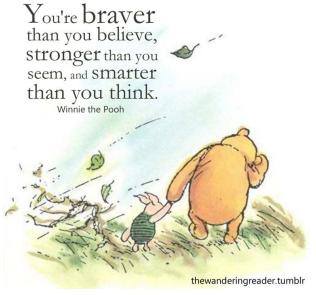
Dear Parents and Carers,

Newsletter

School Values

We explored one of our school values 'self-belief' in detail in our assembly yesterday. We heard from the children of their strategies they had used to manage a range of challenges from learning to skateboard to ice-skating a few things in between! We discussed their use of positivity and I was very impressed with their level of perseverance.





We ended with a reflection from Christopher Robin to Winne the Pooh!

Guitar Concert

We were treated to a wonderful concert this week, celebrating children's progress and achievement with their guitar lessons, led by Mr Roberts from West Sussex Music Service. The performances were indicative of their hard work and enthusiasm for learning this instrument. A special mention to Harrison and Bradley who had written their own piece (with Bradley also singing solo!) It is also credit to the support from parents/carers with

encouraging their children to practice at home too. We are very grateful for the skills and talents of Mr Wood in leading our children to such a high standard.

Celebration Assembly

It was wonderful to see so many parents in school today to share in the celebration of their children as 'Stars of the Week' during our Celebration assembly. We look forward to continuing to welcome parents and carers into school this term through a variety of opportunities.

Have a good weekend

Sam Norton

Dates for your diary

| House event: Times Tables | Friday 12th January |
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| Young Voices Parent Meeting | Monday 15th January @ 4:10pm |
| Young Voices Concert | Wednesday 17th January |
| Safer Internet Day | Tuesday 6th February |
| Science Day | Thursday 29th February |
| Half Term | Monday 12th - Friday 16th February |
| INSET Day | Monday 19th February |
| World Book Day | Thursday 7th March |
| House event: Spelling Bee | Wednesday 13th March |
| Annual reports | Friday 22nd March |
| Parent/Carer/teacher Consultation Evenings | Tuesday 26th March & Wednesday 27th March 3:30pm - 6:00pm |
| Last day of term | Thursday 28th March |