



Marshland Primary Academy Newsletter



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Well after what seemed like a very long January, we have whizzed through February. It has been a month filled with brilliant and exciting learning and excellent attitudes and behaviour. Year 6 enjoyed two trips: one to Crucial Crew where they experienced many scenarios that gave them the knowledge for life as they grow up. The second was a trip to West Road to watch an NSPCC play, highlighting how to stay safe online. We are delighted to have welcomed three new families to our Marshland community, they have already settled in really well. Our Valentines disco was a great success and we raised £235.00. We also had the opportunity to visit and watch the first dig on the site of the new play area in Thorne Memorial Park. We met the councillors and discussed what their plans were. Our last celebration of the month was the official opening of the earth sourced heating system, which is finally complete. Many officials from the company, as well as governors and trustees, visited the innovative system which is keeping us toasty warm!

Stars of the week

Class	3.2.25	10.2.25	24.2.25
Mrs Edgington	Elijah	Bryan	Mason
Miss Stewart - Y1	Merida & Elizabeth	Whole of Y1	Isaac
Miss Green - Y2	Archie	Rocco	Marnie
Mrs Speakman - Y3	Whole of Y3	Junior	Zayn
Miss Gardiner - Y4	Kyron	Whole of Y4	Heidi
Mrs Stables - Y5	Kasey – Leigh	Blanca	SkylaMai
Mrs Chapman/ Mrs Marshall - Y6	Harvey	Bethany	Alexandra

Weekly attendance

Week 1 - 94.26%

Week 2 - 92.05%

Week 3 - 93.95%

Week 4 - 95.18%

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS

Don't miss out on the education you deserve.



It is vital that children attend school, for their social, emotional and educational wellbeing. If there are any barriers to them attending, please make an appointment to see Mrs Marshall, who will be happy to support in ensuring your child attends daily

Breakfast Club

At Marshland we are very proud of our free breakfast club and we are lucky to have so many of you attend. However, we do expect good behaviour at all times, if your child cannot behave then they will be asked not to attend. Can I also ask that you ensure your children are not coming to school with sweets and sugary drinks. We provide an excellent breakfast and really do not want children starting the day with lots of sugar.

Home Reading

As we approach World Book Day, please can I remind you of the importance of your children reading at home. It does not always have to be a book from

school but something of interest to them. Any reading is good reading!!

The New Play Park First Dig



NSPCC play



Valentine's disco



Grand Opening of the Earth Source Heating





The school council attended the opening and enjoyed listening to the explanations of how the heating system works. They asked thoughtful questions and had a look round the pump rooms. They were even interviewed by the press. However, I think their favourite bit was the donuts at the end!!

Upcoming dates:

Thursday 6th March – World Book Day

Thursday 13th March – Y2 Olympics

Friday 21st March – Comic Relief

Friday 12th April – Parent open afternoon

Uniform

At Marshland we pride ourselves on how smart our children look. Please ensure that your children are in school in correct uniform. No hoodies should be worn unless it is on Friday for P.E and shoes should be appropriate for playing outside. Thank you for your support in this, we really do appreciate it.

Concerns About a Child

If you do have a worry or see something that causes you to worry about a child, please use this link [Contact Children's Services - City of Doncaster Council](#) which has a phone number and an online form to complete. YOU CAN REMAIN ANONYMOUS.

