

EMMAUS NEWS March/Apríl 2023 Website:www.suttertonswinesheadfederation.co.uk Twitter: @EmmausFed

Comic Relief

The theme is 'Funny is Power' and the children will take part in activities to raise awareness and promote acts of kindness. All pupils are invited to come to school on **Friday 17th March** dressed as either a superhero, wear 'whacky' clothing or wear something red. We will also be inviting children to share their favourite jokes during celebration assembly as part of a competition to find our very own 'Humour Champions' with sweets for all entrants.

World Book Day

To celebrate World Book day staff and children dressed up as their favourite book characters! Lots of World Book

Day classroom activities took place and everyone had a lot of fun encouraging children to read to enhance not only their vocabulary but to widen their imagination and writing. Children at Sutterton took part in 'Get Caught Reading' and

made book character-themed wooden spoons whilst the children at Swineshead created their own stories based on a book they love which they shared with families when they came into school. All children received a book voucher to spend on a new book. Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had a very busy term so far with a wonderful World Book Day, terrific class assemblies and masses of learning. We've had lots of visits from external validators who have found our schools to be doing everything that they should be doing and achieving and exceeding all of their targets.

We've also had Parents' Evening which is a great opportunity to share learning and discuss positive achievements alongside any issues. Please get in touch with your child's class teacher if you want to discuss anything further or speak to a member of our

SLT if you are still concerned about something. Kind Regards, Mrs Collett Executive Headteacher

The Coronation of King Charles III We are planning a special day on Friday 5th May 2023 to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles III. We will host a Coronation themed assembly and hope to crown our own Emmaus Kings and Queens. We will all play the part of being loyal royal subjects followed by a traditional Coronation themed picnic at lunchtime for families. Sutterton's Parish Council are kindly donating a celebration mug to all pupils who live in Sutterton, Wigtoft, Fosdyke or Algarkirk and attend either Swineshead or Sutterton school. The Parish Council will present the commemorative gift during Sutterton's assembly. We will be closed for the King's **Coronation Bank Holiday on Monday** 8th May.

Science Week

This year, **British Science Week** is all about **connections**. We are excited to be able to celebrate this in school. To find out what's going on visit: <u>https://www.britishscienceweek.org/whats-on/</u> Sutterton parents are invited into school on Monday 13th March at 2:30 pm to

share their child's science learning.

Sporting News

We are very pleased to announce that we have received a national GOLD award to recognise the excellent provision of sports clubs and our achievement in competitive sport at both Sutterton and Swineshead. The Sainsbury's School Games Mark is a Government led awards scheme launched in 2012 to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community. We are in the top few percentage of schools in Lincolnshire to receive this accolade. Matt Haslam, Sports Partnership Leader, has led disability sports awareness days. All children across the federation have played Boccia and Goalball.

Sutterton has achieved an incredible accomplishment in being the overall winners in football for the whole of Lincolnshire. They will now represent the county in the Midland finals. We are really proud of all the children's sporting successes and teamwork. I would also like to pass on my thanks to the incredible staff that lead sports across the federation.

Year 6 SATs Breakfast Club

We will be opening our doors to Year 6 on 9th May to 12th May for the SATs breakfast. It's a great way for children to prepare, socialise and to alleviate any worries before their end of primary school assessments. SATs Breakfast Club is free to all children and opens at 8:00 am Year 6 SATs Easter School

The staff and children are working very hard in order to prepare the children for the Key Stage Two tests. As part of the build up towards SATs week we will be holding an Easter school for Year 6 children and your child's class teacher has sent out invites. The children do not have to wear uniform and normal behaviour expectations will apply. **Primary Assessments**

Year 6

Tuesday 9th May - KS2 English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling tests Wednesday 10th May - KS2 English Reading test Thursday 11th May - KS2 Mathematics tests Friday 12th May - KS2 Mathematics test

Year 4

The Year 4 children will undertake the multiplication check within a 2-week period from Monday 5th June. **Year 2**

The Year 2 children will be tested over a period of days from Monday 15th May through to Monday 29th May. These assessments will be used to support teacher assessment judgements for Reading and Maths. Writing evidence will be gathered throughout May and into June to support teacher assessment judgements.

Year 1

Our Year 1 children will be screened for the National Phonics Screening Check in school by a member of staff they know during week commencing Monday 12th June.

Please note that absences WILL NOT be authorised during the key assessment periods

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Sutterton Diary Dates		Swineshead Diary Dates		
	10 th March	PTFA non-uniform day - chocolate donations	10 th March	2:15pm Sempringham class assembly at
	10 th March	9:00 am Hyde class assembly at the start of		the start of celebration assembly
		celebration assembly	10 th March	Swineshead V Sutterton football match
	10 th March	Sutterton V Swineshead football match	13 th March	Science Week
	13 th March	Science Week	15 th & 16 th March	RAF Waddington Engineers to lead KS2
	14 th March	Football team representing Lincolnshire in the		STEM-based Lego challenges
	I	Midland's cup in Solihull	17 th March	Comic Relief and National Sleep Awareness
	15 th & 16 th March	PTFA Mother's Day pop-up shop (details to		day (wear red, superheroes or 'whacky')
		follow)	17 th March	2:15pm Ramsay class assembly at the start
	17 th March	Comic Relief and National Sleep Awareness		of celebration assembly
		day (wear red, superheroes or 'whacky')	21 st March	World Down Syndrome Day
	21 st March	World Down Syndrome Day	24 th March	PTFA non-uniform day - chocolate
1	22 nd March	9:30 am Boston Symphony Orchestra		donations
		performing in school	29 th March	School Council Easter Egg Hunt for all
	22 nd March	Football team representing Lincolnshire in the		pupils
1	I	Midland's cup at Vale Park	30 th March	1:30 pm Easter Service at St Mary's,
	27 th March	6:00 pm – 7:30 pm PTFA chocolate bingo		Swineshead
	28 th March	Central and Phoenix visit to Magna in	31 st March	2:15pm Fountains class assembly at the
1	1	Sheffield		start of celebration assembly
	29 th March	9:00 am Well-being Committee assembly	31 st March	5:30 pm doors open for a 6:00 pm start
	29 th March	School Council Easter Egg Hunt for all pupils		PTFA chocolate bingo
1	30 th March	9:30 am Easter Service at St Mary's, Sutterton		
				End of Term 4 – 31 st March
		End of Term 4 – 31 st March	4 th & 6 th April	Year 6 Easter School – invitation only
1	4 th - 6 th April	Year 6 Easter School – invitation only	:	Start of Term 5 – 18 th April
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Safeguarding

Should you have any concerns regarding the safety or wellbeing of a child then you should report this immediately. You can report this to the school or directly to Children and Young People's Services (Social Services). Children and Young People's Services Emergency Contact Information Lincolnshire: During office hours contact the Children's Services Customer Service Centre (CSC) on 01522 782111.

Email: lscb@lincolnshire.gov.uk.

Out of Office Hours (24-hours) contact the Emergency Duty Team (EDT) on 01522 782333.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) for Sutterton is Mrs Brown and Mrs Hutchinson is the DSL for Swineshead. Safeguarding concerns can also be reported to Mrs Gray at Sutterton or Mrs Collett for both Sutterton and Swineshead as they are the Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads.