# Great [Wood] News Spring Term 7



## **Diary Dates**

26th March 31st March

1st April

19th April

- Easter Lunch
  - Non Uniform Day
  - Easter Egg Hunt
  - Easter Disco
  - School Closes for Easter

Y6 Parents Evening

- School Re-Opens

#### Easter Bingo

This year we will be enjoying our chocolate Easter bingo. Of course, it will be different this year and done in bubbles with just our children. As always there will be lots of Easter chocolate to be won.

# Easter Disco

On **Thursday 1st April** we will be holding our traditional Easter Discos, within school. Each class will be having their own class disco, with lots of dancing, games and fun!



#### **Own Clothes Day**

We are inviting our Great Wood children to wear their own clothes for the day on **Thursday 1st April**, for a donation of any silver coin, towards all our Easter goodies. If it is your child's PE day please send

them to school in trainers with their own clothes.





Easter Lunch

# Easter Egg Hunt

This year we are delighted to be able to hold our Easter Egg Hunt, once again. Of course, it will be slightly different this year, with a hunt being held for each class ( to avoid crossing bubbles). Each class will split into teams and will hunt for our eggs around the school grounds. There will be lots of chocolatey prizes to be won! The hunt will be on **Thursday 1st April** and we ask that children bring wellies, or outdoor shoes in case of inclement weather!

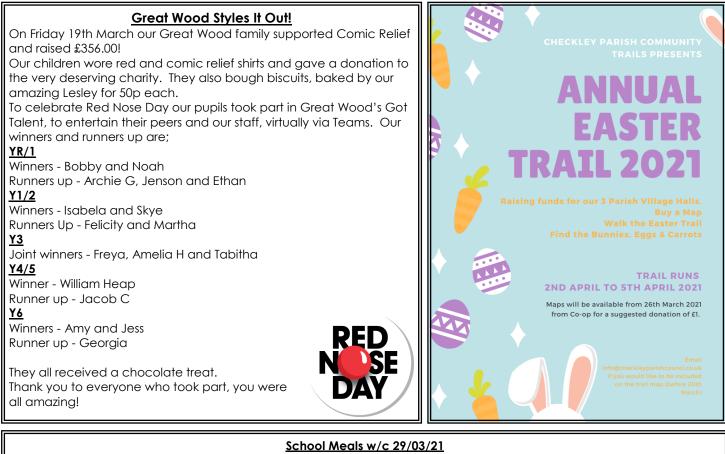


#### A Time To Reflect

March 23rd 2021 marked a full year since the UK's first National Lockdown. Marie-Curie, the end of life charity, wish to reflect upon those that we have lost during the pandemic.

On this National Day of Reflection, in school, we remembered those, who lost their lives during the Covid-19 Pandemic, as a mark of respect and reflection.





Lesley and Jan will be providing a hot lunch every day. Please see the menu below to see which meals are available each day (Jacket potatoes and sandwiches will be ordered via the class teacher in the mornings). Lunches for children in years 3 to 6 are priced at £2.30per day, please top up your child's Arbor account to pay.

Monday			· • `
Pizza, Dough Balls, Veg or Beans	Jacket Potato or Sandwich	Chocolate Brownie	K
<u><b>Tuesday</b></u> Chicken Burger & Wedges	Jacket Potato or Sandwich	Iced Sponge Cake	
Wednesday - Easter Lunch		e e	
Turkey Roast Dinner, Potatoes & Veg	Jacket Potato or Sandwich	Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Custard	
Thursday			
Fish Fingers & Chips		Ice-Cream	

### Testing for people without symptoms

Residents of the Staffordshire Moorlands are being encouraged to book a COVID test twice a week – even if they have no symptoms.

We know that one in three people, who have the virus, show no symptoms, so it is important we identify more of the "silent spreaders" of the virus if we are to break the chain of infection.

While the roll out of the vaccine has brought hope, it will be several months before everyone is vaccinated and many more months before they reach the full benefit of the vaccine. That's why we need to keep testing, even if you have had the vaccine.

So join us now in helping to get life moving again in Staffordshire and book a test today.

Testing is available at the South Moorlands Leisure Centre Cheadle (Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri & Sat). You can book at test at:

https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/Coronavirus/Testing/Testing-for-people-without-





#### Easter Holidays

Remember, we break up for the Easter holidays on Thursday 1st April. School opens again on **Monday 19th April**, when we look forward to the start of our exciting Summer Term.