



ACTING HEADTEACHER: MISS JESSICA MILLARD

Friday 9th February 2024

Dear parents,

A big 'Thank You!'

As a school, we would like to say thank you for all the children's amazing fundraising efforts throughout January for our BEP Big Exercise Promise. We have been overwhelmed by the support for Miss Griffiths' and Miss Peat's London Marathon fundraising. Thank you to everyone for your contributions and your commitment to exercise throughout January. The highlight for many children included the Fun Run. Well done to everyone who took part in the Fun Run, both out in the villages and at school, and thank you once again for your brilliant efforts. In total, we raised an amazing **£3,174.74!!**

Children's Mental Health Week

This week has been Children's Mental Health Week. To mark this in school, Reception to Year 6 took part in wellbeing-based activities at the beginning of each day and included some yoga based exercise in one of their PE sessions. Our January fundraising contributions towards Miss Griffiths' Marathon charity shows how children's mental health is a high priority at Neroche already. At Neroche, the children are very fortunate to have wellbeing support from Mrs Dellow in addition to support from adults in class. Please remember if you feel your child needs any specific mental health support, to contact your child's class teacher.

Safer Internet Day

This Tuesday (6th February) was Safer Internet Day. As a school we discussed safe internet use in class and as part of our whole school assembly. Next half term, we will be holding a parent workshop relating to online safety. This date will be confirmed with you all after half term. Please find a copy of the latest Online Safety Newsletter for primary schools that was sent along with this letter on your app.

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Mrs Bowditch will be holding a Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Coffee Morning for any parent of our school community who wants to find out more about the Somerset Graduated Response. This will be held on Wednesday 24th April. More details will be sent nearer the time.

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There are a number of posters attached to this newsletter, including posters for performances that one of our Neroche pupils, Heidi in Year 6, will be taking part in. We are all very proud of Heidi's achievements in securing such brilliant roles in her upcoming shows.

Please see the poster for one of the exciting activities the PFA will be organising for our children on World Book Day (Thursday 7th March). We have also organised workshops for each class and more details regarding World Book Day will be coming out after half term.

As a school we hope you all have a lovely half term and we look forward to seeing the children back after a restful break.

Thank you for your continued support,



Miss Millard
Acting Headteacher

