

VALLIS FIRST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Friday 11th March 2022

The Frome Window Wanderland event took place across Frome last weekend and hopefully lots of you got to walk around the town to see some of the amazing window displays. Our school windows linked with the kindness week also being organised in the town and they looked great - there are some pictures in the gallery on our webpage if you didn't manage to see them.

A huge well done to the Eco Council and the VSA who organised a successful book sale in the hall last week. The children were involved in setting up and selling the books and they helped raise around a £100 - well done to you all for doing such a great job.

Also, linked to the eco theme, I was really impressed with the children in Neptune class this week with their knowledge and passion regarding our planet and the issues we have in looking after it for future generations. They have been learning about this as part of their topic and on Wednesday they shared their messages with classes around the school.

Our Star Powerful Learners this week were: Ezra from Sun; Isabel from Moon; Felicity from Jupiter; Kenzie from Saturn; Lola from Neptune; Olivia from Apollo; Jessie from Galaxy; Noah from Milky Way and Iris from Mars. Well done to all of you for all your amazing achievements.

Nick Firkins

Headteacher

Reminders – Head Lice

There's nothing you can do to prevent head lice.

You can help stop them spreading by wet or dry combing regularly to catch them early.

Do not use medicated lotions and sprays to prevent head lice. They can irritate the scalp.

There's no need for children to stay off school or to wash laundry on a hot wash.

Forest School

Please could we have any donations of soft wood or off cuts / log rounds to use in our new wood working area as we now have some lovely new tools to work with.

Dates for your Diary

- **Friday 8th April – last day before Easter Holidays – finishing at 3pm**
- **Monday 25th April – INSET DAY**
- **Tuesday 26th April – Back to school**

The Eco Council did a great job of helping to set out and sell the books last week. £100 was raised for the VSA which is fantastic. We plan to have more second hand sales later this year.

The Eco Council also shared ways of saving energy with their classes which included playing a game rather than watching TV 😊.

