

### Thought of the week

'In the depths of winter I finally learned that within me there lay an invincible summer.'  
~Albert Camus

'And now, O Lord, for what do I wait? My hope is in You.'  
~Psalm .39:7

### Building work on site

You will have now noticed that building work has started today on the electricity hub that is needed for our replacement building at the back of school. We didn't actually dare believe it was happening until they arrived this morning, but they have come and work has started! Hooray! There will be some disruption and restriction to the size of the playground but at this stage it should be very minimal.

The next stage is scheduled to begin just before half term, when we will take delivery of the temporary Classroom for Class 1 which will be sited in front of the school office. Work will then begin on demolishing the HORSIA building at the back of school and beginning to build the new building. Please note this is not an extension as it says in the paper but a replacement building. This is scheduled to be completed for September. We will do our best to keep you updated of progress and any practical instructions we need to give as we go on – please keep your eye on the newsletter for updates.

### Missing hoodies

On return to school after Christmas we have had two hoodies reported missing, which we cannot locate in school. Please can you check at home, in washing piles etc. just to make sure you haven't got an extra hoodie that should be back in school please. Many thanks for your help, these items of clothing seem to sprout legs sometimes!!

### Menu Change

This week Tuesday and Wednesday menu is swapping over so it will be sausages tomorrow and curry on Wednesday. The pudding will remain as it should be, it is just due to deliveries.

## Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January



*Hand in hand we learn*



### **Stars of the week**

Class One –Joss  
Class Two – Oliver M  
Class Three – Leighton

### **Writers of the week**

Class One – Oscar  
Class Two – Noah J  
Class Three – Emily

**Singing Lessons** – if anyone is interested in singing lessons in school (there will be a charge for this) please let us know as we have another child interested and they may be able to combine lessons.

**GIRLS FOOTBALL** – Brooklyn football club really need girls; if you are interested please see the poster on school notice board.

### Calendar for the Week

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> Jan:** SATS and puzzle club

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Jan:** Tesco ladies in Class 1 in morning, Young Voices club until 5pm, Cooking club

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Jan:** Class 2 forest schools (please remember kit) brass lessons, Class 1 PE gym lessons, art club until 5pm – please remember £1.50 cash

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Jan** Fencing and gym club

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec:** guitar and keyboard lessons, Young Voices so no after school club this evening

### After School Clubs

Clubs start this week, if you need to make any amendments to your club requests please let the school office know.

Young Voices club will be until 5pm this week please if possible. Art club is also until 5pm, please remember to bring £1.50 in each week your child attends this club to enable Mrs Sedman to purchase art supplies.

There will be no after school circuit training club on Friday this week as nearly all the children are at Young Voices. This club will start next week.

**Joke Box** – thank you to everyone who has submitted jokes so far. Please can we ask for you to keep them coming, it would be lovely if every child could submit at least one joke each to be included in the FOCAS joke book. Just write them on a piece of paper and pop them in the box in the school office please.