



Newsberries

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Headline News - Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon

We have ended our busy Spring Term with the brilliant Year Three and Four Production. Pupils have worked hard alongside their teachers and teaching assistants to produce 'Treasure Island'. A big thank you to all involved. A delightful way to end our Spring Term! A collection was held after the productions for Marie Curie, a charity chosen by the pupils. We raised an amazing £48.07.

A big thank you to all our pupils and staff for their hard work this term. We would also like to thank parents for their ongoing support of the school. We wish you all a restful Spring Break.

Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon

**Please remember that children return to school
on Tuesday 23rd April!**

Science Workshop

To celebrate Science Week we had a visit from Professor Chris to facilitate our learning about 'Journeys and Energy'. Each class took part in an interactive workshop which included an opportunity to investigate the way electricity works and the different journeys it can take. Everyone had a wonderful time and really enjoyed the day and we are already looking forward to next year's Science Week.

Mr Mellor (Science Subject Leader)



For Your Information

Dinner money

From 23rd April Herts Catering Ltd (HCL) is increasing the cost of pupil lunches. The cost per pupil meal will be £2.60.

School dinner invoices came home with children today and need to be settled by Friday 26th April.

Home Learning

There has been no Home Learning set over the school holidays. As always we would encourage you to share books with your child which are of interest to them. Enjoy the Spring break which we know will bring with it many enriching activities!

Diary Dates

23/4	Back to school for the start of the Summer Term.	
30/4	Year 3 visit Hatfield House	
1/5	Bushcraft Meeting for Parents	Y4
2/5	INSET day	
3/5	Occasional day	
6/5	May Bank Holiday	

Please note: Tuesday 23rd April is St John's School INSET day and there will be no Topkidz afterschool club on that day.

Letters / Emails Home

Y4	Bushcraft meeting letter	All	Dinner bills
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PTA

Easter Cake Bake Sale Success

Thank you very much for all the donations and purchases at last week's cake bake sale. We raised over £200!

Gift List

If you haven't yet checked out our teachers' gift list, please do take a look over the holidays. There are still lots of fabulous items to purchase:

<https://newberriespta.org.uk/shop/> Thank you for your generosity!

Next Term

A huge thank you to everyone for your support this half term. We are looking forward to a busy and exciting summer term full of fun events! Please put the following PTA dates in your diary:

17/05	Summer Disco
08/06	Car Boot Sale
14/06	Father's Day Secret Shop
20/06	Bingo Night
06/07	Summer Fair

We wish you all a lovely relaxing Easter holiday!

Class Blogs

Class Blogs are updated each week and give a flavour of the things that have been happening across the school. Please take a look when you can! It can give you a valuable insight into work across the school as well as offer a good talking point if you would like to find out more about your child's learning each week.

<https://newberries.herts.sch.uk/classes/>

Pot of Gold Postcards

Congratulations to those children who have received a 'Pot of Gold' postcard home this week. If your child would like to have their postcard presented to them in Celebration Assembly then please send it back into school so that we can all congratulate them on their achievement!

Stars of the Week

"Remember to look up at the stars and not down at your feet. Try to make sense of what you see and wonder about what makes the universe exist. Be curious. And however difficult life may seem, there is always something you can do and succeed at. It matters that you don't just give up."

Professor Stephen Hawking



Congratulations to all our stars!
This Week



Reception	Ellie		
Y1	Jethro	Y2	Max
Y3	Lucas	Y4	Issie
Y5	Rory	Y6	Will