



Weekly Newsletter



News Story of the Week



In countries across Europe, including Romania, Belgium, France, Hungary, Poland and Greece, tractors have been blocking city streets and motorways as farmers protest against certain European Union (EU) rules. Their concerns include falling incomes, rising red tape, and competition from imports. Both national governments and the EU are now under pressure to stop the demonstrations. One protesting farmer, Hugo Auge from France, told news reporters for CNN that the current system, 'makes a mockery of both farmers and consumers'.

Things to talk about at home ...

- > Talk about the actions that farmers across the EU are taking and why you think they chose to block roads as one of their actions.
- > What are some of the other ways you can take action if you don't agree with something?

World Book Day

We are very much looking forward to World Book Day on **Thursday 7th March**. The children are invited to come into school wearing clothes of their own choice and we would like you to wear an interesting word. This could be related to work you are doing in class or an interesting word of your choice. You will need to know what your word means, as we will discuss your word choices and play some games with these words in class.

Don't forget to bring in your Book in a Box before **Thursday 7th March**, we are looking forward to seeing your finished creations! Choose your favourite book and put it in a box. There will be a prize for each year group!



Dates for the Diary

Monday 4th March — Choir 3.20pm—4.20pm

Monday 4th March —Football 3.20pm—4.10pm

Tuesday 5th March — Netball 3.20pm—4.20pm

Wednesday 6th March —Art Club 3.20pm—4.20pm

Wednesday 6th March — Catz Club 3.20pm—4.20pm

Wednesday 6th March — Y3 Swimming

Thursday 7th March — World Book Day (Whole School)

Thursday 7th March — Year 2 Forest School

Thursday 7th March—Tag Rugby 3.20pm—4.20pm

Thursday 7th March - Friendship Club — 3.20pm — 4.20pm



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Club Rock News

The children have bounced back into Club Rock after half term and we have had a busy week so far playing with many of our new resources and toys which were kindly funded by our wonderful PTA. Thank you.

We have been busy building our picture wall and have included a highlight for us of when Boris the Dog came to visit us and we read books to him. Boris is visiting again next week and we cannot wait! Boris is part of <https://petsastherapy.org/>

Before the Easter break our themes include, Mother's (and others) Day, World Book Day, International Women's Day, Comic Relief, St Patrick's Day, Spring and of course Easter. We will end our half term with our termly party on Thursday 28th March.

If you wish to book any adhoc sessions for the club, please do this via School Spider where you can review our availability. If you have any new regular requirements, please contact me on theclub@sandiway.cheshire.sch.uk as I am now planning capacity for the Summer term.

We are delighted to announce we will be running Club Rock Summer club once again. The dates were published yesterday with a link to register your interest. If you could complete this as soon as you can, it would very much be appreciated so we can quickly establish the demand and plan accordingly.

Invoicing for last half term is now overdue, so if you have not paid your invoice yet, please could you do so at your earliest convenience. Invoicing for this half term will be sent on Friday 8th March and payment is required within 2 weeks. Thank you.

We are also currently recruiting for a new Club Rock team member to join us in our after-school club. If you would like to find out more about the role or know someone who may be interested then please call me 01606883298 or email theclub@sandiway.cheshire.sch.uk The hours required to work are currently as follows, however flexibility is a key requirement as demand for the club changes:

Monday 3pm - 5pm
Tuesday 3pm - 5pm
Wednesday 3pm - 5.30pm
Thursday 3.15pm - 5pm

Liz Segrott and the Club Rock team





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PTA News!

The PTA are planning to help celebrate World Book Day at Sandiway on the **7th March** by selling Wonderlicious Chocolate Bars offering the chance to find a golden ticket and win one of several prizes.

If you would like to take part we are asking that you pre-order your bars which are £2.50 each by 3pm on the **6th March** and teachers or club staff will distribute them as children leave school for the day on the **7th March**.

Please use this link to preorder <https://www.cognitoforms.com/SandiwayPTA/WonderliciousBars>

If your child can't join the hunt for any dietary reason or you would like to buy multiple entries but don't need multiple chocolate bars we are also offering an alternative way to enter which costs the same but the child isn't given chocolate. The PTA will make a £1 donation for each of these entries purchased to the local foodbank and golden envelopes will be wrapped in the same wrappers as the Chocolate bars with the same chance to win.

I also wanted to update you on the success of our signed Courtneers Guitar Prize Draw. Ticket sales have been fantastic so far and we are continuing to work hard to spread the word. We will continue selling tickets until **17th of March** so if you haven't already, please do consider supporting this. Entries start from £5 for this exciting piece of Music memorabilia. Buy now at...

www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/courteeners-guitar-sandiwaypta

Please do share this as widely as you can with friends and your wider social net-

Order by: 6 March Sandiway PTA

Wonderlicious

WIN A GOLDEN TICKET

To celebrate World Book Day
30 GOLDEN TICKETS must be found

£2.50 per 100g chocolate bar

Prizes Include:
Family Odeon Cinema Tickets, £100 Class Book Voucher, Roald Dahl Books and Bookmarks

PRE-ORDER YOUR BAR BY SCANNING THIS QR CODE

There is an option to purchase an Alternative Entry at checkout which includes a food bank donation instead of a chocolate bar

GOLDEN TICKET

You are a lucky winner. Show us your ticket to receive your prize.