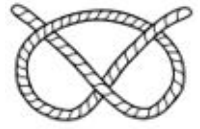




MANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL

Spring Term Newsletter



Stars of the Week

(since the last news letter)

Robins:

Amelie, Robin, Olivia, Farrah and Sophia L-S

Swans:

Mason, Craig, Avelyn and Ruby-Louise

Owls:

Isabelle, Laura, Zoe and Hollie

Penguins:

Jack C, Olivia, Harrison and Keira

Lunchtimes:

William, Mathew W, Mason and Roman

Headteacher:

Sabina

Parent Link Governor:

Mr Tim Evers

Email:

TEvers@manor.staffs.sch.uk



A Message from the PTA

Our next event will be a disco at the Village Club, to be held on Friday 17th February, 6:30 - 8:00pm. Entrance is £2 per child on the door, with Under 3s able to join in for free. (Please enter via the rear door of the club, towards the bottom of the car park.) If anybody would like to volunteer to help at this event, please contact a PTA member, or the school office. Thank you.

The PTA are keen to gather your views on the types of event you would like to attend. Please keep an eye out for a questionnaire, which will accompany our Spring Term Update letter, due to be published before half term.

Many thanks for your ongoing support. We hope to see you at the disco!

Friends of the Manor PTA

A message from the School Office

Thank you to all parents booking their child's meals through Parent Pay. This has really helped in making sure your child gets their meal choice. The office are aware of minor problems with Parent Pay. If you are affected please call the office to book the meals for you.

If you think your child may be entitled to Free school meals, please complete the online application form for instant confirmation:

www.staffordshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals

Even if you do not take advantage of the free school meal at school, or your child is already receiving 'universal' free school meals for KS1 children, it can open other opportunities for you i.e possible support with trips, music lessons etc and the school receive additional 'Pupil Premium' funding for every child that is on the free school meal register.

Thank you for your support in this.

Spelling Bee

Next week in school we will be choosing children to put forward for the Trust Spelling Bee competition. We will only choose children who are keen to take part in the fun but we do expect children from Year 1 upwards to be trying to learn to spell the words from the lists sent home for them. Any help you can give them would be fabulous.

Online Safety

The [NSPCC](http://www.nspcc.org.uk) and O2 have launched a campaign to illustrate how innocent searches online can lead to not so innocent results. This highlights how using parental controls to block or filter content can help keep children safe online and includes information on how to set up parental controls on mobiles and tablets, home computers, search engines and games consoles. Click on the link above to access the campaign information.