

## **Middleton News**



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It is quite inconceivable to think they we are soon to reach the end of the Spring term. This year seems to be running away at a fast pace!

Next Friday (31<sup>st</sup> March) we will break up for the Easter holidays at 1pm. We then return to school on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April.



#### Easter Raffle

This year we will once again be holding our Easter egg raffle. A letter detailing the raffle is attached to this newsletter.

If you are able to make a donation to the school in the form of an Easter egg then that would be much appreciated. Please send this into school next week along with any orders for raffle tickets. The raffle will be drawn at the end of the week.

#### Fecus Weekand School Show

Thank you so much to all of the families who supported the pupils this week as audience members at our school production; 'Big Top Bonanza'. We will be producing a video of one of the performances for families to access and more information will follow on this topic next week! Leading up to the performances we all enjoyed a circus themed

Focus Week. I must take this opportunity to thank all of the staff for their dedication, creativity and hard work which enabled the children to have such an enriched and enjoyable week. All pupils engaged with the tasks they were offered and joined in enthusiastically with all activities. We participated in staff led workshops, but also enjoyed two visiting groups and workshops. The Tuesday of Focus Week we all enjoyed a performance and individual class workshops from a circus professional. On the Thursday afternoon we enjoyed a spectacular performance from an acrobatic duo and this was followed by a workshop for some pupils. All of our hard work culminated in three performances this week to a live audience which the children thoroughly enjoyed. I was so proud of each and every one of the achievements of our pupils this week and would like to share a few images from the week with you in this newsletter;







Well done everyone!

#### The Wrens!



After Easter we hope to be welcoming new pupils and new staff to Middleton School. Our new class will be known as the Wrens. We will introduce you to the new members of our community after Easter.

### Tales From The Chalkface!

#### **Lower School**

The children in Lower School have continued work on their topic entitled 'People who help us.' They have visited a doctors surgery and today had a visit into school from the police!





#### **Middle School**

Pupils in Middle School have continued with their topic 'Blooming Plants'. They have explored the life cycle of a plant and in PE they have been learning how to play Boccia!

#### **Upper School**

During off site learning lessons, the Upper school pupils have visited the

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allotments at Mudlarks. They had a great time and discovered many new herbs and plants.





#### Community News

We have been asked to share with you a couple of pieces of information regarding community activities over the Easter holidays; Parliament Square, Hertford. Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April 10am, -2pm Easter egg hunt and free giveaway!

Ware Priory – Easter Fun day; Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April

### Dates for the diary

31st March – end of term. 1pm for transport. 1.10pm for parent pick up. 17th April –pupils return to school.

I hope you all have a fabulous Easter and that the weather starts to cheer up for us all! Take care

Debbie Hartley

# FRIENDS OF MIDDLETON

# EASTER EGG RAFFLE



## Tickets 50p each

If you would like to buy any raffle tickets please complete the slip below and return ASAP

#### EASTER EGG RAFFLE

Name of child	Class	
I would like to buy tickets at 50p each		V

Payment enclosed of £..... or Payment of £.....made via the school gateway

