



Butterfly Project

All key stage two pupils have had a training session with Community police officers this week to find out about the Butterfly project.

This project is about encouraging children to speak to safe adults if they have any worries about safety or bullying. Children went home with a butterfly badge so that they can tell you all about the project.

Trusted adults may wear a blue butterfly and this signifies that they are safe adults to talk to.

All children also had an anti bullying assembly last week and again we reminded children that if someone hurts them or their feelings **SEVERAL TIMES ON PURPOSE** they need to **START TELLING OTHER PEOPLE. STOP!**

Parking Ecton Brook Site

Please make sure you are parking considerately. We have had a number of complaints from local residents, particularly in **Chedworth Close**, regarding vehicles blocking drives and making residents late for work or appointments, also parents and children walking across lawns and gardens to access school.

We have informed our community police officers of the issue and they will be out and monitoring in the future.

Please park considerately and encourage children to respect garden areas of local residents.

Thank you.

Mufti Day

Today was mufti day and children brought in donations for the Christmas Fair. Thank you for your contributions.

On **Tuesday** the fair is held at the **Ecton Brook Campus** and starts at 2.30pm until 4pm.

On **Thursday** it is at the **Bellinge Campus** 2.30pm-4pm.

Children can be collected from classroom doors at 2.30pm and signed out by an adult. Children cannot attend the fair in the school day unless accompanied by an adult as the fair is open to the public and there is open access. If you are unable to collect your child early to attend the fair it will be open after school so that you both have the opportunity to attend then.

Eco Assessment

On the Ecton Brook site we are currently undergoing assessment for our green flag Eco status. The Eco committee, staff and all pupils have been very busy switching off lights, recycling materials, composting snack waste and saving energy wherever possible. Bellinge Campus received the award over two years ago. We will let you know the outcome and if we are successful we will be flying our green Eco flag with pride.

Slippery Paths

Please be aware in icy weather that only paths and access routes will be gritted. Please supervise children carefully to avoid accidents especially before school.