St Edmund's Echo

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Comic Relief/Red Nose Day!

As we all know Red Nose Day is very special. It is an annual fundraising campaign with a mission to end child poverty by funding programs to keep children safe, educated and healthy. In 1985, as a response to an extreme short supply in food in the country Ethiopia and other countries struck by poverty, British comedian Lenny Henry and British comedy script writer Richard Curtis co-founded and co-created the British charity, Comic Relief. They then started Red Nose Day.

On 8th February 1988, Lenny Henry went to Ethiopia and created the very first Red Nose Day Telethon. Over 150 celebrities and comedians participated. The huge event raised over £15 million and attracted a whopping 30 million television viewers to BBC One! Keep in mind this was only the first year. Yeah I know right! In 2011, it raised a record breaking 108.4 million pounds. There are a lot of interesting facts about Red Nose Day; For example, did you know the first Red Nose Day broadcast took place on Christmas Day! Or that every pound donated has so far helped more that 750,000



people in the UK experiencing financial and material poverty to access advice and support? Did you also know that the money you have donated has helped more than 29,000 people who have experienced or at risk the domestic abuse to access safe accommodation. Regardless, please please on Red Nose Day give a pound to either your teacher or the office. The money goes to Comic Relief. £1 can do wonders. Thank you for reading.

By Ayodeju

Interview with Adult of The Week!

Each week in St Edmund's an adult is chosen to be our Schools 'Adult of the Week'. They receive a special prize and get their picture put on the KS2 board for all to see. Here is an interview with Mrs Connollly who was our current adult of the week for all her help organizing the Book Fair.

What is your favourite col-

our and why?

Turquoise – it's the colour of the sea in a tropical paradise. What is your favourite food?

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Avacado

What is your favourite movie?

The Holiday

What is your favourite thing to do outside school?

Play Irish music

What do you want to be when you are older?

A millionaire :-)

What is your favourite inspirational quote?

"The limits of my language are the limits of my world."

CURRENT WORLD NEWS!

As you might of known a war is going on between Russia and Ukraine. This is not a laughing matter. People are losing their lives because of the war. Sons leaving their mothers to go and fight in the war. Fathers/Husbands are leaving their families to go and serve their country. Russian soldiers bombing different parts of Ukraine. It is a bad start to the year.

It is not all the people of Russia, it is their leader who chose to have the war. Not everybody in Russia is bad. I do not want to hear people criticizing the people of Russia

saying they are bad people. I do not want another war (WW3), but we must keep on praying. It is a very sad time, but we must stick together as a class, a year, a Key Stage,, a school, and a community.

Join me in this prayer saying;

Our Father,

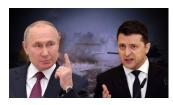
Help us during this sad time

Help the people in Ukraine and any other people in these countries who are affected or is going to be affected,

Physically,

Emotionally,
Spiritually,
Mentally,
And in every way.
Amen.

By Tracey Class 6.2



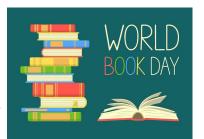
Joke!

What do you call
an elephant that
doesn't matter?
(Find the answer
on the next
page)

World Book Day 2022

On Friday 4th March St Edmund's celebrated World Book Day. Children and adults all dressed up as their favourite book character. It was wonderful to see all the different colours and props and everyone made a huge effort. There was a special assembly led by Mr Harding in the morning and in class the children took part in lots of different book inspired activities. We were also very

excited to see the Book
Fair return to school.
Over two days we were
allowed to go into the hall
after school and choose
from hundreds of different
books. We were also giv-



en a £I book token to use. Some of the money which was raised will go to help make our library even more amazing. Thank you for all your help and support and we are already looking forward to next year!



WORK HARD

EARN HOUSE POINTS

House Points Competition

The House Point Competition is continuing to be the best one yet! We will soon have another Inter House Competition but remember you can get points for making good choices everyday! Try your best, remember how important team-

work is and have fun! The winning house will receive extra points for their house! The winning house all year will get to attend the amazing Edmundsbury Global Music Festival!

Good Luck!

After 7 Weeks:

St Andrews — 8,285

St Patricks — 8,149

St Davids - 7,203

St Georges — 6,958

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How Can You Help Ukraine?

Here are some top ways you can make a difference in our world and show support for Ukraine. 4— Write a letter to Boris Johnson or your local MP about doing more to help

- I—Make a poster for peace and stick it in your window at home or give it to your teacher to put up in class.
- 2— Ask your teacher to hold a discussion in class and write a list of all the things we can each do to help.
- 3—Drop some food off at a charity, where it will then be taken to Ukraine.



DID YOU KNOW...

The blue represents peace and the sky above. The yellow represents prosperity and the many wheat fields in the country.

Girls Football Team

We are very excited to share with you all that the girl's football team continue to win matches across the borough. They recently beat Houndsfield 2-1, Eldon 7—0 and Edmonton County 3—0. Not only that, next term they will go to play in a special tournament in

Watford where they will not only represent our school but also Tottenham Hotspur. We are all very proud of what they have achieve. Make sure you say well done to the girls and Mrs Spinazzola if you see them around school. They will also be receiving the borough trophies very soon and we hope to bring you

those pictures in our next edition.



An Irrelephant! Answer to the joke!!

Science Week 2022

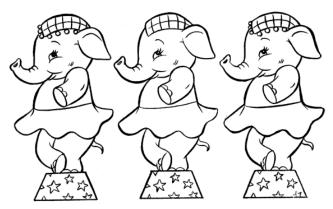
Last week, we celebrated
Science Week. The organisers
of BSW - the British Science
Association - have chosen
growth as the theme as a way
of reflecting on our experiences during the coronavirus pandemic

Miss Nugent organised a whole weeks worth of activities which were completed in class. Some of you were measuring around school, making big predictions, learning about scientists and having fun with some fun experiments. We hope you had great fun in your class and next year we will be

able to make it an even bigger celebration. Make sure to tell people at home about the cool things you did!



Puzzle Zone!

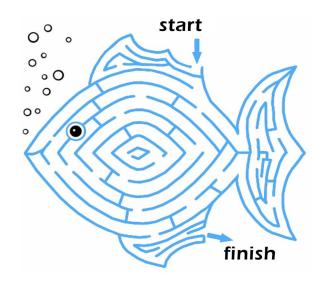


FIND THE ONE THAT IS DIFFERENT.





The fishy maze game Find the correct way from start to finish.



Up Coming Events In St Edmund's!

Thursday 17th March — St Patrick's Day

Friday 18th March — Comic Relief / Ukraine Appeal

Tuesday 29th March and Wednesday 30th March — Year 6 Stations of the Cross

Friday 25th March— Maths / Art Day

Friday 1st April —End of Term 1pm finish

Return to School —Tuesday 19th April

