

# Just to let you know...

Group reading times next term:

Thursday 18th April—9.30am  
Thursday 25th April—9.00am  
Thursday 2nd May—9.00 am  
Thursday 9th May—9.30am  
Thursday 23rd May—9.00 am

Please let your child's teacher know if you are able to come in and help.

Over the holidays it would be a good idea to read some adventure fiction, in preparation for next term's topic '5 Go To Dorset'. You could try: Anthony Horowitz's Alex Rider series, Moonfleet by J Meade Falkner, Wolf Brother by Michelle Paver, Charlie Higson's James Bond series, Enid Blyton's Castle of Adventure, Artemis Fowl by Eoin Colfer, North Child by Edith Patou, Treasure Island by RL Stevenson... to name but a few!

We have now finished our topic on space and will be looking at different aspects of the Easter Story next week..

Our summer term topic, '5 Go To Dorset' is based on a variety of themes including adventure, survival, mystery, geography, geology, fossils and much more!!

Thank you so much for your support this term, especially over the last week. The children were so proud to show you their work on Wednesday night and having a "real" audience made their presentations so much more successful!

Next week is full of great activities: the Easter Hop on Monday evening, an environmental workshop from the Yvonne Arnold Youth Theatre on Tuesday and our church service and Easter garden competition are both on Wednesday.

Next term, there will be a meeting for parents about our Brenscombe Farm trip on Tuesday 23rd April at 7.00pm

Love  
Bec, Henry and Alison

5R and 5A have had fun looking at probability and carrying out lots of investigations, while 5H became detectives and revised everything they've learnt about shape and space to solve a murder mystery.

If you are going on holiday this Easter, please include your child in the planning of the route to your destination. Talk about the miles/ kilometres covered, the cost per mile, cost per head, and the time that the journey took. As an extension, they could plan an alternative route for you or a different mode of transport and compare the cost, time taken etc...

Keep practising times tables and try to fit in some practical maths!