

**Caring Together** 

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thanks to everyone who donated to Comic Relief on Friday. We'll let you know the grand total raised soon!

## **STEM Day**

We had a fabulous morning last week when the whole school took part in some bridge building challenges as part of British Science Week. Mrs Clarkson kicked off the morning with a presentation on different structure of bridges; the children then set off to have a go at building their own. What a lot of talented Scientists, Technicians, Engineers and Mathematicians (STEM) we have in school! The teamwork, perseverance and ingenuity we saw was great along with the resilience when some things didn't quite go to plan! Fantastic work everyone!





# **School Council**

School Council have made a great start to their term of office by organising events for Comic Relief, they will be letting you know the total raised and the winning joke soon! They are now focusing on enhancing existing playground toys such as the new skipping equipment, which has been a great success. Something that has been suggested by the children is large construction such as mega blocks which could be stored and used at playtimes – if anyone is having a clear out and would like to donate any of these (or anything similar) please let us know!

#### Masham Neighbourhood Plan

Masham Parish Council is currently carrying out public consultation in order to obtain views on local issues such as Housing, Environment/Landscape, Business and Employment, Heritage and Infrastructure as well as a range of Community Services, so that these can be used to guide the content of its Neighbourhood Plan. In addition to seeking the views of residents and those who work/operate in Masham, they would also like to hear from people with any specific interest in the area, which includes those with connections through Masham School. You can complete an on-line questionnaire by using this link: <u>https://form.jotform.com/mashamneighbourhoodplan/pcq</u> which is also available on the Parish Council website www.mashamparishcouncil.com and has been publicised on local Facebook pages .Alternatively, if you wish to complete a printed form, they are available for collection from Masham Community Office. Forms need to be returned by 31st March.

Have a super week, Mrs Lawson-Ross Head teacher



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# Dates for your diary

# Blue text indicates occasions where parents and carers are warmly welcomed to attend.

Friday	24.03.23	Laver	Laver Class celebration assembly 14:30 in school.	
Tuesday	28.03.23	All	Y4/5 Seven Stories Visit	
Friday	31.03.23	All	Easter Service, St Mary's Church. 13:15	
Friday	31.03.23	All	School closes for Easter 14:00	
Saturday	01.04.23	All	Easter activities in <b>Church</b> – more details to follow.	
Monday	17.04.23	Staff	Training Day	
Tuesday	18.04.23	All	Children return to school	

## Attendance

Thank you to everyone for making an effort to be here and on time. It really does make a difference to the children's learning. Scores on the doors this week are:

Swinney – 84%

Laver – 88%



Cover - 91%



**Rory N** – For being super ready to learn and spotting lots of links in our learning this week.

**Alex** – For always being ready to learn, respectful, safe and kind – what a wonderful role model for others!

Martha A – Showing an exemplary attitude and trying hard with everything she does.

**Bryn** – Having such a positive attitude in maths this week.

Jai – For being an excellent role model for others.

Ethan W – Great teamwork on STEM day.

Flo – Super amazing writing!

**Conor** – Amazing bridge building and focus during in STEM day.

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