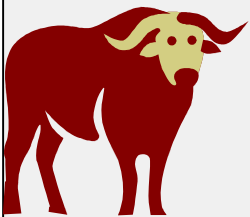




## KS2 CHALLENGE OF THE WEEK

This weekend the Chinese New Year of the Ox begins and around the world Chinese communities will be celebrating a new beginning. This weeks challenge is to:-

1. Find out the 12 animals that years are named after in this calendar?
  2. Find out the animal linked to the year you were born?
  3. Find out about the story traditionally told about the 12 animals. How was the order of the years decided and which animal came first?
- Kung hei fat choy!**



**Have you seen the minibeasts that decorate our front ramp?** These were designed and created by our current Year 2 pupils in the art project they worked on last summer. The children's work was sent to a foundry to be cast in iron. The results have been mounted and look fantastic. Well done to all our creative year 2 children who took part in the project.

## CHARLIE'S HOMEWORK

Charlie has been thinking about how to find out how long different objects are. So he decided, using his feet, to measure the cupboard he sits on.

He says '**Can you measure different members of your family using your feet?**'

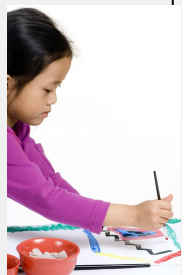
You need to ask your family member to lie on the floor and starting at one end put one foot in front of the other to see how many of your feet tall they are.

HELP A LONDON PARK

**Marsh Lane, Leyton**

Please vote for our park at [www.london.gov.uk/parksvote](http://www.london.gov.uk/parksvote)

Our classes have started work with artists Steve Martin and Zuky Serper as part of our 'Change Schools' creative curriculum project. Steve is working with Year 5 classes using multimedia approaches to develop writing skills. Zuky is working with Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 classes developing practical problem solving activities to enrich the curriculum. After half term he will be moving on to work with classes in Year 3 and 4.



## STARS OF THE WEEK

1ASH: **Marta**- for settling into the school well.

1ELM: **Isa**- for working hard in class.

1OAK: **Muhammad**- for trying hard with his literacy work during group time.

2ASH: **Nobin**- for showing a positive attitude when working independently to start the New Year.

2ELM: **Javairiya**- for being a calm and positive person to have in the classroom and for always setting a good example.

2OAK: **Rakib**- for good effort in lessons.

3ASH: **Malak**- for writing wonderfully po-

etic words and phrases to describe a setting.

3ELM: **Katrina**- for making us all smile everyday.

3OAK: **Briana**- for being helpful and well behaved at all times.

4ASH: **Alia**- for working well independently.

4OAK: **Devante**- for writing engaging and very well expressed stories about imaginary worlds.

4ELM: **Nana**- for being an exemplar of an outstanding pupil.

5ASH: **Isha**- for sensible behaviour.

5OAK: **Farzan**- for always making valuable contributions during class discussions and for his fantastic work in all lessons.

5ELM: **Bilal**- for dealing with situations in school calmly, sensibly and with admirable maturity.

6ASH: **Hussain**- for his efforts during Drama and for his confidence when performing.

6OAK: **Nabeil**- for excellent maths in both his lessons and booster classes.

6ELM: **Safwan**- for a positive attitude towards learning and excellent behaviour.

## DIARY FOR NEXT WEEK

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		<b>Basketball</b>  <b>Maths Club</b> <b>12-12.30pm</b>	<b>Toy Library</b>  <b>Basketball</b>	<b>Swimming</b>	<b>Basketball</b>
AFTER SCHOOL	<b>Bookshop</b>  <b>Interwood Soccer School</b>	<b>NO NETBALL</b>	<b>Environmental Club</b>  <b>Rummikub</b> <b>3.30-4.30</b>	<b>Multi Skills</b>  <b>Drama</b>	<b>The Debating Club</b> <b>3.30-4.30pm</b>

<p><b><u>NETBALL</u></b></p> <p><b>Please note there will be <u>no netball next Tuesday.</u> Netball will continue as normal on Tuesday 3rd February 2009.</b></p>	<p><b><u>Environmental Club</u></b></p> <p>A reminder for parents that the Environmental Club session finishes at 4.20pm; club members need to be collected promptly.</p>
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### SCHOOL DINNER MENU FOR WEEK STARTING: 26th January 2009

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal 1	Autumn Garden Pizza	Chicken & Leek Lattice Pie	Lancashire Hot Pot	Spicy Baked Chicken	Shepherds Pie
Main Meal 2	Sausage & Onions	Tuna, Tomato & Basil Oven Bake	Rice & Vegetable Bake	Curried Goat/Lamb	Salmon & Broccoli Fusilli
Cooks Choice		Country Cheese Bake	Jacket Potato & Baked Beans	Broccoli & Pepper Fusilli	Cheese & Cherry Tomato Tart
	Garlic Bread Mashed Potatoes	Warm Bread Parsley Potatoes	Crusty Bread New Potatoes	Crusty Bread Rice Saute Potatoes	Crusty Bread Mashed Potatoes
Vegetables	Garden Peas Sweetcorn	Broccoli Courgettes	Carrots Green Cabbage	Green Beans Mixed Veg Baked Beans	Cauliflower Carrot & Swede
Salad Selection	Three Fresh Salads from Salad Selection	Three Fresh Salads from Salad Selection	Three Fresh Salads from Salad Selection	Three Fresh Salads from Salad Selection	Three Fresh Salads from Salad Selection
Desserts	Peach Slices with custard Fruit Yoghurt Seasonal Fruit	Baked Rice Pudding Fruit Jelly Seasonal Fruit	Apple Eves Pudding with custard Pineapple Rings Seasonal Fruit	Chocolate Muffins and Chocolate Sauce Fruit Yoghurt Seasonal Fruit	Lemon Sponge with custard Homemade Biscuit with milk Seasonal Fruit