



Message from Mrs Kinsley

Harvest Assembly was joyous this morning—welcoming Nursery to their first ever assembly, and watching all the children enjoying singing and performing to their friends. Thank you again for the generous food donations—it will all be going to Bexley Food Bank to be shared with the local community :-)



Diary Dates

Monday 7th October— Reception parents' tours at 9.30 and 1.30

Wednesday 9th October—Rose Bruford Installation Ceremony (details to follow)

Thursday 10th October— World Mental Health Day— wear something yellow

Friday 11th October—Grandparents' Day—letters were sent last week

SAFE

In Safety assembly this week we were talking about not only the **adults** who keep us safe, but how we can keep **ourselves** safe by looking for risks in a 20-second scan around us. When out and about this weekend ask your child what they can see around them where they must be alert and take



CHATS-FEST

It was so lovely to welcome so many families to Chats-Fest last Saturday, what a lovely day in the sun. Thank you to everyone who supported this fundraising event for the Pioneer Passport, and an extra big thank you to the PTA for all their planning and hard work :-)



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HELLO YELLOW FOR WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

Next Thursday 10th is World Mental Health Day and we'll be marking it in assembly next week, talking about how we can all struggle with our feelings sometimes. We're inviting children to donate £1 to wear something yellow on the day but **please** don't feel you need to buy anything new. Just a hair bow, pair of socks or a bracelet will show others they're not alone!

Wear it loud. Wear it proud.

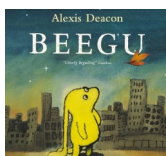
HAPPY

The Parent App for our My Happy Mind programme is now up and running—look out for login letters sent this week. This is a great way to support parents in understanding what your child is learning in their MHM sessions, with games and activities to do together—take a look!



LEARNING

Year 1 have been reading Beegu, the story of the little alien who crashes into Earth and has no idea where she is! The children wrote setting descriptions for Beegu's planet, planning their ideas together. "Her planet has blue grass and a purple sky, and buildings with alien eyes on the roof" (Chester)



GRANDPARENTS' DAY

We're looking forward to welcoming Grandparents into Chatsworth next Friday for Grandparents' Day, where the children can share a learning activity with a loved one. We're running two sessions from 9-9.45 and 10-10.45. Do let us know if you're able to come!



TT ROCK STARS

Letters have been sent out with logins and passwords for this times tables app which has a proven track record of boosting children's fluency and recall in multiplication and division, and its so much fun!

