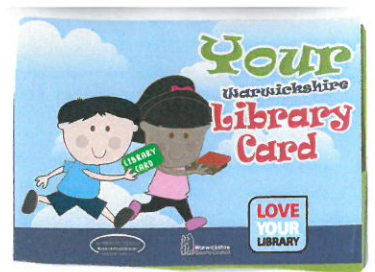


CLINTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

FRIDAY ASSEMBLIES AT 9.00

We hope to see you!

WORLD BOOK DAY AND LIBRARY CARDS

Children looked great in their outfits today! We've had a speaker from Warwickshire Libraries today, and children are bringing home a library card each (2 cards, in fact, the main one plus a detachable key fob card). There's some additional information attached to this newsletter.

Children were given letters yesterday about our 'make a book' competition – please encourage them to take part and bring in their entries by Tuesday 24th March. We still have some spare £1 book tokens, so please let the office know if you could use one.

'READ FOR YOUR SCHOOL' COMPETITION

The end date for the competition has now been extended to Friday 10th April, so your children can keep reading for Clinton during the Easter holidays! We're doing really well with this. Keep it up!

SPRING CONCERT ON THURSDAY 19TH MARCH

We're planning this year's spring concert and will be sending out letters tomorrow or on Monday to the parents of the children taking part.

ENSEMBLE 360 CONCERT THIS WEEK

This is the fourth time we have been treated to Ensemble 360's 'stories through music'. Professional musicians accompany the narrator, with the music capturing the moods within the story. They're performing again locally soon – see the link on our website.

CHIME AGM – TUESDAY 10TH MARCH AT 7.30PM

Please come along to this very informal meeting at 7.30pm if you would like to be involved in CHIME. Music is one of Clinton's great strengths because we have the support of this charity. Please get involved if you can!

CHIME NEWS

Please come along to the **CHIME AGM**, next **Tuesday 10th March at 7:30pm** at school. This is a great opportunity to get involved in CHIME, and influence activities that directly enrich our children's learning experiences through music. You do not have to be a musician yourself to take part in CHIME.

The Barn Dance is on Friday April 17th. Tickets will be on sale at the **Spring Concert**, and can be ordered from the office after that date. This event is suitable for all the family, a lovely opportunity to enjoy **LIVE** band music with all generations! You do not need to know how to dance, as we'll have a fantastic 'caller' guiding us through the moves.

CHIME will appreciate your help, even if just for half an hour, to make the BARN dance a success. Please let the office know, or contact Deborah Thomas on 07976 977 247 / thomdeborah@gmail.com.

CLINTON CAMP

Children in Y3 are bringing home letters today about our exciting on-site residential in September!

DINNER LETTERS

These will be sent home on Thursday next week so you can order lunches for the first half of the Summer term.

NETBALL TOURNAMENTS / FOOTBALL GAMES

There have been a few sporting fixtures recently. Year 5 and Year 6 netball teams have been in action, with both representing the school really well with their excellent attitude and sportsmanship. Year 6 came second in the Kenilworth Year 6 tournament. Last Thursday, our football team won a gripping game against one of the biggest primary schools in Warwickshire, Newburgh, 5-4. Mr Viner commented that the teamwork was excellent! We're really grateful to our staff for enabling sports events like these.

TRIP TO FRANCE

Please remember that the next payment for the trip is due on Friday 13th March. Parents should have received payment cards acknowledging receipt of deposits.

PYJAMA/ONESIE DAY: 6TH MARCH

Please remember this takes place tomorrow, in exchange for a donation of £1 which School Council will use to make our school even better!

NO IMAGINEERING TUESDAY 10TH MARCH

Please note that the next meeting of the club will take place on Tuesday 17th March.

PARKING AROUND SCHOOL

We're keen to ensure safety and to keep good relations with our neighbours. **Please park so that pedestrians and drivers can see and move around safely, and so that our neighbours aren't blocked in (or out).**

PTA NEWS – FROM AMANDA

Mother's Day Secret Room - Friday 13th March - Thank you to those of you who have already sent in requests. **If you do still want to participate please send your form and payment in tomorrow.** Children will be collected from their classrooms on the afternoon of Friday 13th March to select however many gifts you've paid for.

Wear what you like day - Thursday 26th March - in exchange for an Easter Egg that we will use that night at the Bunny Hop Disco on the Easter Egg Tombola.

Bunny Hop Disco - Thursday 26th March - 6.00-7.15pm - Admission - £1.00 - This is a combined KS1/KS2 disco for all the children to enjoy. Details of both events to follow next week.

Easter Colouring Competition will run again!

Summer Fair - we are going "Round the World!" Please see last week's letter for details.

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Yours sincerely,

**SAM PATER
HEADTEACHER**



A
Library Card
for
Every Child
in Warwickshire

For school newsletters and information channels:

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This week, your child will be coming home with a library card for use across all Warwickshire Public Libraries. **This new card will replace any card your child currently holds for a Warwickshire Library.**

This is part of Warwickshire County Council's scheme to enable every primary school child in Warwickshire to have a personalised library card and access to the library network.

Please ensure you do NOT destroy the new ticket, even if you have one already. This ticket over-rides any previous one. If in any doubt, please take both when you next go to the library and ask the staff, who will be happy to confirm the process with you.