

Newsletter

Dear Parents,

As you know next Thursday 7th March is World Book Day, the theme this year is 'Share a Story'.

Here at Finham, we share stories all the time [and not just on World Book Day] and we know you do too at home. We realise the importance of reading and sharing stories from breakfast to bedtime and the benefits being a lifelong reader can bring.

We are asking you to share stories and read with your children every day. Not an easy task we know in our busy lives but even 10 minutes of time together sharing stories and talking about books really does make a difference!

Please find included with the newsletter this week some top tips on sharing books and the benefits that reading brings.

On World Book Day, we are really looking forward to seeing which book characters your children will come as! We will be sharing stories in assemblies, in class and with visitors to the school!

There will be a book themed quiz to take part in and a reading challenge for all! These will be given out on World Book Day. Anyone who completes the quiz will be entered into a draw for a book themed prize!

Help us spread the word that 'reading rocks' by sharing stories and completing the reading challenge!

Happy reading everyone!

Richard Machin
Headteacher

STAFF UPDATE

It is with great sadness that I have had to inform the children today that Mrs. Hobman will not be returning to Finham Primary School. They were very sad, as are the staff. We wish her and her family every success in their futures together.

We will confirm what is happening as we know more but would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs. Cooke for supporting the children's learning over this time and ensuring they continue to make excellent progress.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS – TEMPEST

Individual photographs were taken on Tuesday. The deadline to return all photo orders to school is Friday 8th March. Many thanks.

MoMo CHALLENGE

There is a new craze called the MoMo challenge which is a very dangerous situation where children are talking to someone via WhatsApp, tiktok, YouTube and other social media's.

Below is a link to an article to help describe the situation.

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/resources/platform-guides/>

<https://www.theweek.co.uk/96248/what-is-the-momo-suicide-challenge-and-is-it-dangerous>

COVENTRY BLAZE ICE HOCKEY

Our incredible Hatrick triple offer just for you - For just **£8** a ticket Adult or Child

We have not one, not two but THREE fantastic elements to make the most incredible value package we've ever been able to offer.

The package includes

- Your ticket for a forthcoming Blaze game (usually £18 per adult)
- An ice skating session immediately after the game with skate hire included
- Free parking for your visit (one voucher per booking)

You can take advantage of our schools Hatrick package for just **£8** per person (still fantastic value even if you don't fancy the skate) – and you can book up to 2 adults and 3 children for one or both of the following games at the Skydome Arena.

Sunday 10th March vs MK Lightning - 5.15pm or Sunday 17th March vs Fife Flyers - 5.15pm

This offer has a very limited circulation and is not transferrable.

To book this package simply email coventryblazehockey@gmail.com, quote HATRICK OFFER and let us know the school your child goes to and how many adult and child tickets you would like to book.

We will then send you a confirmation email with full details for the game including instructions for your free parking and free skating session and skate hire. Bookings must be received by 2pm on the day of the game and can't be combined with any other offer.

Blaze Hockey – we'll sell you the whole seat but you'll only use the edge!

DIARY DATES

Wednesday 6th March – Year 4 Inspire Workshop – 9am