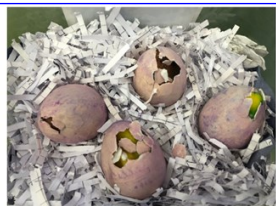


## Blog of the Week

There are some super blog posts this week. In Early Years both [Nursery](#) and [Mrs Parry Jones'](#) class have published videos showing the children enjoying their learning. Ibrahim Atif has published the third, and concluding, episode of his exciting mystery story on Mrs Bloom's Class [Blog](#), while Mrs Kassam's class followed up

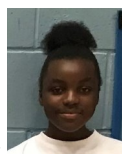


Mysterious Eggs  
March 20, 2019

Olivia Luczak's brilliant review of the Lion King, which won her the Blogger of the Week certificate last week, with many more sensational pieces on the same theme. But

this week's Blog of the Week is Miss Sutton's class, where the children have been intrigued by these mysterious eggs, which appeared out of nowhere, hatched, and mysteriously disappeared.

The award of Individual blogger of the week goes, for the second week running to [Mrs Kassam's](#) class, but it was so difficult to choose a single blogger amongst these magnificent reviews, that this week we have awarded two certificates, to Michell Kytama and Enzo Silva.



PLEASE PRAY FOR MRS CAMILLERI AND HER HUSBAND, GEORGE. MR CAMILLERI WAS ADMITTED URGENTLY TO HOSPITAL LAST WEEKEND AND IS STILL IN THE ROYAL BERKS IN A VERY SERIOUS CONDITION. MRS CAMILLERI WILL NOT BE IN SCHOOL FOR THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.

## Our Week on Twitter

This week we have tweeted about the Radio 2 young writers competition; information from the Book Trust; photographs of Mrs Bloom's class's Iron Men, and snow pictures. Follow us at [twitter.com/CIK\\_RDG](https://twitter.com/CIK_RDG).



## Parenting Special Children

### Support Group

A support group has been set up for family members who have children/young people with additional needs living within the community of Whitley.

This aims to be a safe and supportive space for sharing experiences and gaining support with the unique challenges faced by families of children with additional needs.

Each session will include a half hour talk about being a parent of a child with additional needs. The remainder of the session will be for discussion of the topic and social support time.

- ◆ Fridays, 8 Feb; 8 Mar; 5 Apr; 10 May; 14 June; 12 July 2019, 09:30–11:30
- ◆ Refreshments provided
- ◆ Held in Room J at the South Reading Community Hub, 252 Northumberland Ave.
- ◆ Children are welcome under parental supervision
- ◆ And it's FREE.
- ◆ Contact Charlie Taylor on 07810 689679 or via [email](#) for information or to book.



## SNIPPETS

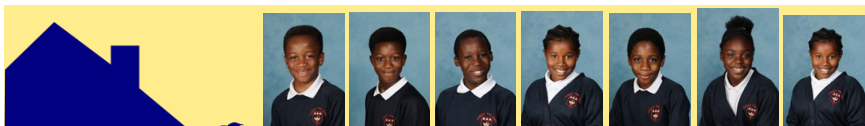
**World Book Day** (March 7th) when we invite the children to dress up as book characters is also class photograph day. Combining this was so popular last year that the photographers will be doing it again.



**Wear Red Day**—We are supporting CHD week again this year. Children and staff are invited to donate and wear red on Thu 14th Feb in support of children born with Congenital Heart Defects.

## NO NUTS

It is vitally important that we have no nuts or nut products in school, as some of our children are extremely allergic to nuts, and the smallest trace can cause them to become ill. Please remember not to include any nut products, including nut butters, in packed lunches.



We started our week in  
**Akan-Twi Fanti**

**"Maakyel!"**



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# Whitfest Showcase

Whitfest Showcase is a fantastic celebration of local talent and an opportunity for individuals and groups to take the stage at the South Reading Community Centre. There are opportunities to rehearse, and free workshops to help people develop their acts.

It's open to children and adults, and the organisers are particularly keen to hear from local school children.

Artists, writers, poets, bands, choirs, theatre groups, schools—in fact anyone creative—are all welcome.

For more information visit the [website](#) or [Facebook group](#).

If you are a group or individual that would like to get involved please contact Jessica at Creative Junction via email at: [Jessica.jhundoo@creativejunction.org.uk](mailto:Jessica.jhundoo@creativejunction.org.uk).

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ARE DELIGHTED TO LAUNCH THEIR NEW INITIATIVE...



WhitFest continues to be a Whitley centred event, aiming to use the arts to make a positive difference in local people's lives. With aspirational, high quality and community focused workshops in the lead up and opportunities to participate, create, perform and exhibit at a fantastic WhitFest Showcase finale event.

FRIDAY 1ST MARCH 2019  
@ SOUTH READING COMMUNITY HUB

A platform to showcase and share Whitley arts - An exciting evening of community togetherness and celebration.

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## SNIPPETS

**Contact details**—given the current weather, we would like to ask you to check if the school has your up-to-date contact details. Please see Mrs. Brophy in school or [email the office](#), if you have new details or are in any doubt.



**Board Games:** Do you have any board games at home that are no longer used? Mrs. Asker would love to have them to use with her class.



DON'T FORGET TO KEEP AN EYE ON [OUR WEBSITE](#).

## THE COMING FORTNIGHT

| Date | Item                                     | Location |
|------|------------------------------------------|----------|
| 8th  | Mass for Mrs. Gooch's Class—9.30AM       | Church   |
| 14th | Wear Red for Children with Heart Defects | School   |
| 15th | Mass for Mrs. Asker's Class—9.30AM       | Church   |

Congratulations!



MATHS NINJAS



*Leo Francis who has achieved his brown belt for karate,*

*Julia Luczack who distinguished herself in a ballroom dancing competition last weekend, winning medals for waltz and cha-cha-cha;*

*Kosi Obi who last Sunday morning sang the psalm at the 10 o'clock Mass: performing a beautiful solo in front of 200 people.*

*Our Year 5/6 football team who played very well in the quarter final of the Berkshire School's Cup, narrowly losing an exciting match by 4 goals to 3.*

*The newsletter has suffered from the snow!*

School was closed today and so we don't have details of the RED challenge or maths ninjas today. Thank you all for your patience; normal service will be resumed next week! Be safe in the snow, and remember to send us your snowman pictures!