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## Young Voices

**What a night!** On Monday Miss Fletcher took our choir of 30 children from Year 4 to Year 6 to the Young Voices Concert at the NEC in Birmingham. It was a superb evening—parents joined us for the 7.00pm concert which was packed with the children singing, dancers, musical acts and Heather Small (who was known by the adults but not the children!). Our children were fabulous and a complete credit to the school. There were 6500 children at the concert in total—so it was a busy and slightly noisy arena!! Can't wait for next year! More pics on Class 4 page on the website.

Thank you to Miss Fletcher for organising and the parent helpers.



## Trips and club payments

Please help us out by paying online for your clubs and trips as soon as possible.

We are looking to ensure that we keep the costs of trips lower by having visitors into school rather than having to pay for a coach. Please do help us by paying for the lower cost visitors—like Exotic Zoo and the Toy Museum—as on the form sent out.

## Ordering sandwiches at lunchtime:

Link to order: <https://forms.office.com/e/0rehayRB8E>

## A lovely visitor into Class 1—Shrewsbury Museum Toys Workshop



Class 1 were lucky to have a lovely visitor from Shrewsbury Museum on Thursday who brought boxes of 'old' toys from the past for them to play with and enjoy. Some things they recognised like lego, but there were also spinning tops and Meccano. There was lots of opportunities to play and talk about the similarities and differences to toys today. An excellent start to their history learning.

DATE	EVENT
Friday 3rd February <b>CHANGE OF DATE</b>	<b>Dress up as a Rockstar Day—TTRS, and maths workshop for parents. More to follow.</b>
Thursday 9th February—	FHEPS Valentines Disco—children! 6.00—7.30pm
Friday 17th February	Break up for half term
Monday 27th February	Return from half term
Thursday 2nd March	<b>World Book Day. Bedtime story event in school for children and parents. 5.30pm—6.30pm</b>
w/b 13th March	<b>Parent—Teacher Conversations</b>
Friday 31st March	Break up for Easter
Monday 17th April	Return after Easter
Mondays 1st and 8th May	National Bank Holidays

## NSPCC Rockstar Day! Friday 3rd February

We have changed the date of our Rockstar Day to coincide with an NSPCC day with the same focus! We are inviting all the children to come dressed as a rockstar—in some way!

Please also book some time to come along to a **workshop at 2.30pm**, led by Mrs Lingham to look at TTRS and Maths Shed and some of the brilliant resources available online to support your child—all ages!



**Being: Respectful, Resilient, Responsible,  
Reflective, Resourceful**

## Well done to:



**Class 1: George A—being responsible**



**Class 2: Rory D—being resourceful**



**Class 3: Arthur—being resilient**



**Class 4: Avril—being resilient**



**Class 5: Emily P—being respectful**

## FHEPs—Friends of High Ercall Primary School

Many thanks to those of you who stayed for a coffee and a chat today! FHEPs is a body of parents who just meet to chat about ways to fundraise to support the school. Unfortunately we don't have limitless budgets so we rely on fundraising for those 'little extras' - such as the beautiful garden area, new playground markings which are now booked, resources such as books and instruments. More events coming up through the year—**Valentines Disco next**. Please email if you'd like to help with this—or with anything else: [fheps2019@yahoo.com](mailto:fheps2019@yahoo.com)