



# Northbourne News



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## Message from the Headmaster

Welcome back from half term, I hope you all had a relaxing time. We have quickly got back into the full swing of daily life, the senior pupils have shown great focus this week in preparation for their exams over the next two weeks.

I want to congratulate everyone at the Pre-Prep, children and staff, for an incredible art exhibition, showcasing the children's impressive work.

The sun is out, the grounds of the school are looking great and the children are firing on all cylinders.

## Water bottles

All the children in the Prep School have been given a water bottle to keep them hydrated through the day. For day children it should come home everyday for a clean.



## World Book Day

On Friday 8th March we are celebrating World Book Day. With our passion for reading, it's always an amazing day to see the children dressed in some fantastic creations based upon their favourite book or character.



## Pre-Prep News

At the Pre-Prep the children have been making the most of the Spring sunshine. Each week we have a playtime "Craze of the Week", this week was Hula Hoops.

Our Art Exhibition was a huge success. The children all worked hard to create the different pieces on display. They always enjoy an opportunity to showcase their work to family and friends. Some of the work will be displayed at Dover Library in The Discovery Centre over the Easter Holidays.

Next Friday we will be celebrating World Book Day. The children can come to school dressed as a character from their favourite book.





### Under 9 Netball

The Under 9 girls had a fabulous netball match on Wednesday against Dover College. They have clearly been training hard as they played some very exciting netball and were leading for most of the match until a final score of 5-4. Great to see all the girls taking part and being super ambassadors for their school.



### Year 3 Forest School

In Forest School this week the Year 3 class showed off their team building skills and then created lizard/snake traps (all animal friendly of course).



### Boarding News

After a relaxing break, the Boarder's have returned ready for the second half of term! We have been busy this week getting back into routine, playing a game all together in the gym on Monday with some great teamwork from the Foxes, Chickens, Worms and Humans! The children have worked hard in school this week and have begun their new clubs on Wednesday. We are looking forward to a quiet Sunday, hopefully with some Spring sunshine!



### Dates for the Diary

**MARCH**

**WEEK 8**

Sat 2 09.30-12.30 Open Morning  
10-11am Music Club Strings  
14.15 U11 netball A&B vs Junior King's School (H)

Sun 3 10am Holy Communion

**WEEK 9** Year 8 Mock CE Exams week

Mon 4

Tues 5 Pre-Prep Mardi Gras Parade  
Steven Wainman Cross-Country

Wed 6 14.15 U9 Netball vs Dover College (A)  
14.15 U11A Netball vs Dover College (A)  
14.15 U13 A&B Netball vs Junior King's School (A)  
15.30-16.30 Uniform shop open

Fri 8 World Book Day