

## Newsletter 45 Monday 19th February 2024 Dear Parents,

We hope you had a lovely half-term break and enjoyed some of the spring sunshine along with the occasional rain shower. We are excited to be back at school and are looking forward to lots of fun events happening this term.

## Film Night

Over 50 children attended our KS2 Film Night on

Cross Country: Today we celebrated the achievements of our children in a celebration assembly. The success of pupils at the Dursley and District Schools' Cross-Country Event was recognised. We are so proud that Slimbridge came 2nd overall in the small school category. Also successes for the following: Junior Boys 3rd; Senior Boys 1st and Senior Girls' 2nd. Violet and Henri have also been invited to run in this years' Gloucestershire Cross-Country Championships on Sunday 25th February at Newent Community School. Good luck to them both—we know you will make us proud, whatever your result..



Friday 9th February.

Thank you to everyone who turned out in the cold in your pyjamas! The hall was a sea of cushions and teddies and we all had so much fun watching Shark Tail, The Movie. We also enjoyed popcorn, crisps and squash and raised £160 for our fabulous

school. We are going to use the funds to buy new games, toys and outdoor equipment. Thank you so much—special thanks to the staff and parent helpers.

Thanks again for the support and kindness given to our school community, with best wishes from



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## **FOSS**

Friends of Slimbridge School will be holding their next meeting on Tuesday 20th February at 8p.m in the Tudor Arms, Slimbridge. All are welcome. We especially invite new members to join us ... particularly parents of our reception and Y1 classes as we are keen to keep our amazing efforts going. Your support and help can make a massive difference to the children of Slimbridge School. In recent months, FOSS has successfully commissioned the art work for the entrance hall, funded playground markings and given the children the wonderful opportunity of seeing Aladdin the pantomime at the Village Hall. You too could help: any time that you can spare is really valuable.

Term 6		
Date	Class	Event
Monday 19th February	Whole School	Return to School for Spring Term 2
Monday 19th February	Cross Country	9:15 Cross Country Celebration Assembly
Tuesday 20th February	R/Y1	Dental Checks
Thursday 22nd February	Y5/6	Young Voices Concert: Birmingham NEC
Monday 4th March	Class 4	Trip to Slimbridge Wetlands Trust
Tuesday 5th March	Year 1	Trip to Slimbridge Wetlands Trust
Thursday 7th March	Reception	Trip to Slimbridge Wetlands Trust
Friday 8th March	Whole School	World Book Day—Dress up Day and enjoy lots of fun activities in school.
Wednesday 20th March	Whole School	Easter workshop visits to St. John's Church
Friday 22nd March	Whole School	Spring Term Ends
25.3.23– 5.4.23	Whole School	Easter Holidays
Monday 8th April	Whole School	Return to School for Summer Term 1