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FRIDAY LETTER

Dear Parents and carers,

CHUF – Children’s Heart Unit Foundation

Our school council hosted a fundraising event during playtime for the Children’s Heart Unit. [#CHUF](#). There were lots of cakes and treats on sale, guess the name of the teddy, how many heart sweeties in the jar and the opportunity to buy a CHUF wristband and pen.

The winner of Guess the Name of the Teddy was Logan in Year 1 and How Many Sweets in the Jar was won by Hugo in Year 2. Thank you to everyone who helped raise much needed funds for this wonderful charity 

Paperless Friday!

All classes have had a paperless day in school today, using whiteboards rather than paper and being creative in their learning. Children in Year 1 used water and sand during their maths lesson which focused on measuring and Year 2 used the computer to type up their English work this morning. Year 6 have taken paperless Friday very seriously! They started with an online kahoot quiz to help to revise their grammar and punctuation rules. Then they braved the outdoors for a maths trail on the playground. This afternoon they have done their usual computing lesson and then finished the day by enjoying playing some board games together. Not a piece of paper has been used in Year 6!

Year 2 Open Afternoon

Thank you so much to the parents and carers of Year 2 who came along to our open afternoon yesterday. The children told the story of ‘Eddie the Penguin Saves the World’ through performance and song, and I’m sure you’ll all agree they delivered this important message wonderfully well. Well done Year 2!

Police Neighbourhood Team Visit

Two police officers from the Neighbour Team came to Crookhill yesterday. They spoke to children in Year 5 and Year 6 about the dangers of anti-social behaviour and the consequences of knife crime. The officers explained how anti-social behaviour affected everyone living in the community, including those committing the crimes, stressing the importance of choosing our friendship groups carefully and keeping ourselves safe.

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World Book Day

A reminder that Thursday 2nd March is World Book Day and once again we will be celebrating by dressing as our favourite characters, reading our most loved stories by our favourite authors. Children are welcome to attend school dressed as a character or in non-uniform, whichever they choose. School staff will be dressing as characters from the stories of Roald Dahl.

Next week is half term and Monday 27th February is an INSET day. School will reopen on Tuesday 28th February to all classes apart from Year 3 and Year 6 due to industrial action. Children in Year 3 and Year 6 should return on Wednesday 1st March.

Have a lovely half term break.

Yours sincerely,

Miss K McCormack

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