

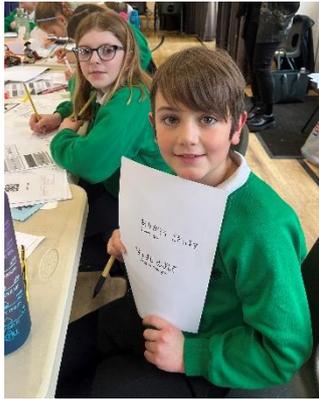


Northbourne News

10th March 2023

What a lovely surprise we had on Wednesday morning waking up to snow in March. The children were all very excited arriving at school; hopefully, they all managed to enjoy it while it lasted.

International Day at DGS



Pupils in Year 4 had a wonderful session travelling the world at Didcot Girls' School this Wednesday. Pupils had a whistle stop tour of a range of countries, experiencing new languages, finding out facts, learning to write in Japanese and even tasting some delicious biscuits. Mrs Conway and Mr MacFarlane were extremely proud of our pupils who demonstrated excellent behaviour and integrity throughout the visit. Well done Year 4!

Prezzo

Owls will be going to Didcot Prezzo on Monday 13th March and Hawks on Tuesday 14th March. The children should bring a plastic bag in case it rains, and they need to keep their pizza box dry. Please could Owls also bring in a named plastic tub on Monday so that they are also able to bring home a side dish that children will prepare in school on the same day. Children will eat their normal school lunch and take their pizzas home to share with you!

A Message from PTA

The PTA have organised a clothing collection with *Rags 2 Riches 4 Schools* to raise money for Northbourne – the more donations we receive, the more we raise. We'll be sending home collection bags and flyers soon and would appreciate your help in raising as much as we can for our school. The clothes then get sent to small businesses in the Ukraine who sell them to generate their own income.

Do you have clothes in your wardrobe that you no longer wear? Please help us fundraise by donating your good quality unwanted, re-useable (clean, dry and wearable) clothes and accessories (please pair and tie shoes together). Even if it's only one t-shirt please bring it in, as it will all help our school.

Please do not send damaged, dirty or wet items, and no duvets, pillows, curtains, books, CDs or bric-a-brac. Is it something you'd wear out and about yourself or pass to a friend? If not, it's not suitable for our collection and can't go in the bag.

If you can involve family, friends and neighbours please do.

We truly appreciate your support in helping raise additional funds for our school for the benefit of our children. In addition, recycling good quality clothing raises funds, helps the environment, and helps small businesses in other parts of the world - in this case Ukraine.

Please bring your donations to school on the morning of 24th March. Our lovely PTA team will be there to take it off your hands!