



PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

Friday 21st
March
2025

Useful Dates

March

- 25th - Last swimming session for 3EE
- 28th - PTA International Day - Schuman Hall
- 28th - PTA Cake sale (Thame Ln entrance)

April

- 2nd - 4th Yr 4 Residential - Woodrow High House
- 7th- 18th Easter Holidays
- 21st - Bank Holiday
- 22nd - Back to School
- 25th - Enrichment Concert, Years 2-6
- 25th - 3FE 1st Swimming Session - Didcot Wave



The Europa Easter Bake Sale

Friday March 28th

At the Canopy at Thame Lane | from 3pm

Donate your cakes after drop-off or little before pick up.
Let's make it the **best** one yet!

Useful Contacts

General Enquiries: reception@europaschool.uk

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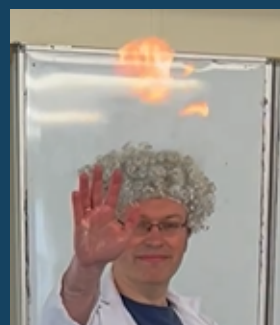
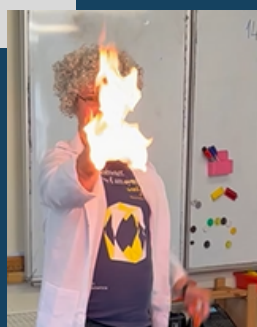


International Day - 28th

March

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| 1. Spain | 8. Thailand |
| 2. Portugal | 9. China |
| 3. Netherlands | 10. Canada |
| 4. Poland | 11. Sri Lanka |
| 5. Iceland | 12. Greece |
| 6. Turkey | 13. Brazil |
| 7. Syria | 14. Germany |

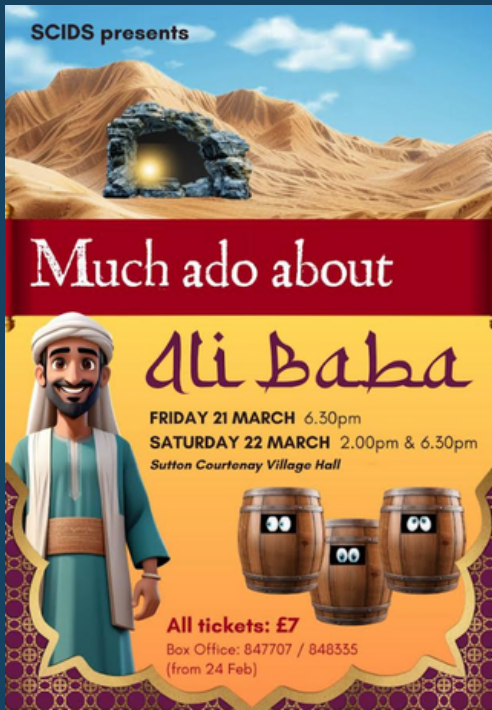
We're looking forward to another fantastic International day. If you are inspired to help out with a country stall please get in touch with Vicky Shepherd:
strawsonvicky@gmail.com



2DE was very privileged to have a parent, Mr Schlackow, come in to conduct some science experiments and stimulate their thinking on the science behind them. The children were spell-bound by his performance - this was science for children at its best! A huge thank you from 2DE.

The cast of this show includes many Europa primary and secondary pupils/students

Full number to book tickets is 01235 847707 or 01235 848335



BIKE BUS NEWS

CulBug has some funding to support a bike bus to Europa school. We can provide training and other support; however we really need a parent or staff member at the school to lead it. If anyone is interested please contact: Aidan Reilly president@culbug.uk



Drama Workshops & Music Tasters.. Both local

Music taster lessons! Matrix Arts Centre is offering families an opportunity to experience their music courses on Sunday 23 March. Parents of 2 and 3 year olds attend an information session; 4 – 7 year olds have a taster lesson. For more details and to book, please visit <https://www.matrixartscentre.org.uk/yamaha-music-school>

Come and try our engaging music courses on Sunday 23 March - book now!

Children start their music journey with us between the ages of 2 - 7 and can continue through to 18

Matrix Arts Centre
Sutton Courtenay OX14 4UA
www.matrixartscentre.org.uk

PTA Information

Support the PTA with your daily shopping

Register with Easyfundraising at <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/europapta/> and start donating to the PTA at no extra cost for you; the cost is covered by the brands..And with over 8,000 brands who will donate, there're plenty of options!"

Do you use PayPal?

Raise funds for the PTA

If you use PayPal, set Europa PTA as your favourite charity to easily give £1 every time you chose PayPal to checkout. Visit <https://www.paypal.com/fundraiser/hub> for more info.

You can also use our PTA PayPal Giving Fund page to give directly: <https://www.paypal.com/gb/fundraiser/charity/3220546>.

For information on how we use the money raised, check this page <https://www.europa-pta.org/grants.html>.

Any question about the PTA, email the committee at committee@europa-pta.org



Young Climate Warriors

It's Earth Hour this weekend - Saturday – 22nd March @ 8.30 pm (local time). (If 8.30 pm is a bit too late, maybe do part of it, or suggest an Earth Hour earlier in the day?)

Encourage your pupils to take part ... along with 10million others in the UK alone ... and many more millions in over 190 countries!
It's the 'BIGGEST HOUR FOR EARTH'.

Whilst lights are off ... here are some ways to enjoy marvelling at our natural world:

- A candle-lit 'seasonal' meal ... talk about your favourite animals ... and play an animal-based game?
- Share some wonderful poems about our natural world – or even write your own?
- Turn up the radio and have a kitchen disco – you could dance like different animals?
- Do some candle-lit colouring, whilst listening to some relaxing music – here are some free animal colouring pages?
- Play charades with a twist – act out different YCW carbon-busting challenges?
- Read a book about animals - by torchlight!
- How about a quiz ... here are some excellent WWF quizzes.
- If you're feeling more adventurous – wrap up warm and go outside and see the stars, or if it's cloudy listen out for nocturnal animals or birds.

Let us know what your pupils get up to ... would you agree that feeling part of a worldwide event in support of our natural world can be a powerful motivator for helping to take action - let us know!?

'The Biggest Hour for Earth ... a precious moment of unity, reminding the world that our one shared home needs our help and that we all can – and *must* – play a part in protecting it'.

Earth Hour



EARTH HOUR 2025

Join millions of families in over 190 countries celebrating the 'BIGGEST HOUR FOR EARTH'.

Switch our lights off together, and spend 60 minutes learning about, or engaging with, our natural world.

What will you choose to do? Candle-lit games, animal colouring, share 'nature' poems, an 'animal' kitchen disco, carbon-busting charades, animal quizzes, star gazing ...

EARTH HOUR
Sat. 22nd March
8.30pm (local time)

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EARTH HOUR

YOUNG CLIMATE WARRIORS

When you've completed this challenge ... Remember to hit the red button!