





FRIENDS OF







# february

### 3rd February 2020

#### **Dates for your Diary**

#### **February**

Fri 7th NSPCC Number Day
Thurs 13th Silver Coin Challenge Ends
Fri 14th Mufti Day / Last day of Term

Fri 14th School Discos

15th-23rd Half Term - February Break

Mon 24th Back to School

March

Thurs 5th World Book Day

**April** 

Fri 3rd Inset Day

4th-19th Half Term - Easter Break

Mon 20th Back to School



This year, the **Early May Bank Holiday** has been moved to **Friday, 8th May** to coincide with Victory in Europe Day (VE Day) which marks the 75th anniversary of the formal end of World War II.

Monday, 4th May IS NOT a Bank Holiday.

#### **Friends of Parkland Schools**



The most overwhelming key to a child's success is the positive involvement of parents

#### **Mufti Day**

**Friday, 14th February** is not only the last day of term... and the day of the school discos... it is also a Mufti Day!

Your child can wear non-uniform (mufti) to school in exchange for a **Child Tombola** prize, for an upcoming FoPS event - or a **£1 donation.** 

- Thank you -

#### **Infant & Junior School Discos**

School discos are taking place on Friday, 14th

**February!** Full details and forms have now been sent out with copies available from either school office.

Please return booking forms to us by **Wednesday**, **12th February**.

Refreshments, hot dogs, snacks, glow sticks etc will be on sale, priced from 20p each... so please send your child in with loose change in a named purse/wallet... and please remember to collect them from their classroom at the relevant times!

Please ensure forms are completed in full as without the relevant information we will not be able to issue tickets to your child/children.

We need lots of parent helpers to ensure this event can take place; so please let us know if you are able to volunteer.

Thank you!

## **'Silver Coin' Challenge 29th January - 13th February**

The FoPS Silver Coin Challenge started last Wednesday! Each class has been given a bottle they must try to fill with as many 5p, 10p, 20p or 50p coins as possible.

The overall goal is to raise **£800** to enable us to bring a mobile planetarium into school, for all the children to enjoy!

The challenge runs until **Thursday, 13th February**... and the class who raises the most money in both the Infant and Junior schools will win a prize!

So, get finding those silver coins... look down the back of the sofa or in the car and help fill those class bottles!!

('Silver' coins only please - thank you!)





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"Parkland FoPS & Parent Council"

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Our events rely solely on parents and teachers who can spare their time after school to assist. Without this it would not be possible for our fantastic events to happen.

You do not have to be a regular attendee of FoPS but if you can spare a couple of hours to help at an event then that would be fantastic.

Thank you for all your support which is what makes it all possible.

Thank you! Michelle & Jane - FoPS Co-Chairs

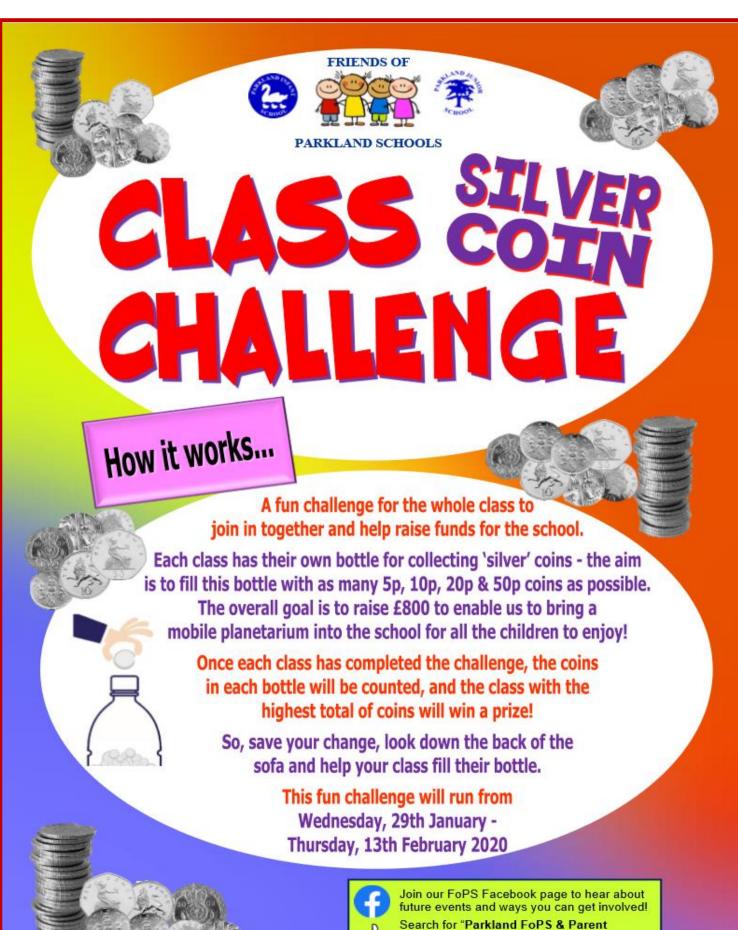












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Children will be allowed to wear non-uniform (mufti) to school, in exchange for a Child Tombola prize for an upcoming FoPS event.

(this could be any new toys, games, books, stationery, bouncy balls, felt tips, pencils, notebooks, colouring books, paints, cuddly toys / teddies, craft items etc etc...)

Alternatively, a £1 donation would be very much appreciated.

Thank you for your continued support -