# JYS News

Newsletter: 16 ~ 26th January 2024

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### **TT Rockstars (and Numbots)**

Times Table Rock Stars (TT Rockstars) and Numbots are fun and challenging online programmes designed to help pupils master the times tables and other maths skills. The children really enjoy taking part and it can enhance their maths learning and understanding both at school and at home. These are paid for programmes, and this academic year has been paid for

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## Parking (Norwich Road)

We have had several reports of people parking inconsiderately over the past few days. It has been highlighted to staff that people are often parking on the yellow zig-zag lines and blocking crossing areas.

The safety of everyone in our community is our top priority, and we insist that people park in a safe and suitable space.





Despite the change in weather, we have had a great week for sport. On Monday, after school, we hosted Parklands for a football match. Our squad ranged from a Year 3 through to a few Year 6s, and we are pleased to report that we won 5-0. We look forward to visiting them next week for a netball match.

Tuesday saw a squad compete in a dodgeball competition in Bognor and do brilliantly to receive 4th place.

Wednesday and we took 41 pupils from Years 5 & 6 to compete in a cross-country event at Bishop Luffa where there was a 2.1 km course!

On top of this, we were learning things in school - and were pleased to again have Paul Ullson in, working with Year 2 to look at materials.



#### **House Points**

Children earn house points for different things throughout the week, and here are the weekly results:

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		Term Total	Year Total
	This week	(Since Jan '24)	(Since Sept '23)
Ash	126	450	1690
Beech	107	443	1626
Maple	80	388	1687
Dak	89	413	1661

## Important Dates Coming Up

Friday February 2nd - TT Rockstars Day (come dressed as a Rockstar and help raise funds to pay for the school to continue to use Numbots and TTRockstars)

Wednesday February 7th and Thursday 8th - Parent Consultation Evenings

Monday February 12th - Friday February 16th - Half term holiday (school closed)

Monday February 19th 2024 - INSET (school closed)

Friday March 8th - World Book Day celebrations

Friday March 22nd - Quiz Night (adults only) 19:00 - 22:00

Monday June 3rd 2024 - INSET (school closed)

Friday July 19th 2024 - Last day of term

Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd July 2024 - INSET (school closed)