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St Mary's and St Benedict's RC Primary School

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	Star of the Week	Reader of the Week
Beesley	Sebastian and George	Jessica
Benedict	Leo and Francesca	Eric
Finch	Emily and Jason	Clara
Haydock	Chloe and Lily	Ada
Mary	Lacy and Lucy	Ellis
Marsden	Harvey and Jerahmeel	Cairo
Rigby	Daniyal and Rozalia	Finley
Roe	Autumn and Liliana	Ochelle
Southworth	Tyler and Nikifor	Joshua
Ward	Benedict and Bettsy	Dylan
Woodcock	Luke and Sam	Grace



NSPCC Rocks! - Friday the 3rd February was a wonderful day at SMSB as we celebrated NSPCC Rocks. It was fantastic to see the creativity that went into the children's outfits as they represented their favourite numbers. We saw everything from Harry Potter related outfits to children dressed in playing cards and t-shirts covered with mathematical symbols.

We are pleased to say that we raised a total of £54.00 for the NSPCC and we thank you tremendously for your support.

As part of the day, we took part in a national Times Tables Rockstars competition. A special 'well done' to Rigby Class for winning the most points in our school. They will be enjoying a tasty treat today! Congratulations also go to Grace in Year 6 as our top scoring girl and William in Year 4 as our top scoring boy.

Half-term Holiday – Please remember we break up today for the half-term holiday until Tuesday 21st February.

World Book Day 2023 - This year World Book Day will be celebrated on Thursday 2nd March. We would like children to come to school dressed as a book character, either as a full outfit or by wearing/bringing a prop relating to the character. A letter has been sent home today via the school app with further information. We can't wait to see the many different characters!



Community Larder - Please continue to support our local food bank by bringing into school an item of food each week. The Community Larder is situated at the back of St Aidan's Church Hall on Station Road and provides food and support to individuals and families from Bamber Bridge, Clayton -le-Woods, Lostock Hall and Walton-le-Dale. It is open Monday - Friday 9:30am - 11:30am and is dependent upon food donations from local Christian communities and schools. Thank you for your continued donations.