

This week has been full of excitement and achievements! On Safer Internet Day, students learned how to stay safe online, gaining tips on protecting personal information, recognizing risks, and communicating responsibly. In sports, our Netball Team celebrated a fantastic 8-1 victory against Sherwood Park, showcasing excellent teamwork and enthusiasm. One of our Boys' Football Teams showed great resilience in their match against Hurst. Despite not winning, their determination and teamwork were impressive. In the classroom, creativity flourished with Art, Design, and Technology projects. Students explored sandwich making, pointillism, portrait drawing, and bridge building, blending practical skills with artistic expression.

We are incredibly proud of the hard work and creativity our students have shown this half-term. We can't wait to see their continued success in the second half of the school year. We hope you all have an enjoyable and restful break.



Pupil Special Achievements & Awards:

Headteacher Postcard: Remi (Y1) Wiltshire Class (Y2) Amba, Daisy, Olivia, Oliver, Joshua E, (Y4)

Teacher postcard: Joshua, Sehej, Jessica, Mason, Luca (R), Louis, Lilly, Albie, Imogen (Y1) Jacob, Liam, Eahej, Emilia, Noah, Mason, Sarnaee (Y2) Arthur, Albie (Y3) Kimaya, Cameron, Noah, Sofiyah, Erin, Oliver R, Suveer, Darcie D, Arabella, Ben, Frankie (Y4) Skye (Y5)

Swimming: Livvy (R) Stage I; Millie M (Y3) best swimmer; Willow (Y3) completed Level 2; Deergh (Y4) Stage 4, Ronnie (Y4) trophy; Maisie (Y5) fastest butterfly 200m – Kent Championships; Josh (Y6) stage 7

Football: Renzo, Bobby (Y3) player of the match; Velencie, Antonio (Y5) players of their match; Jaideep, Saajun (Y6) players of their match; Lillie-Rose (Y6) player of the match London City Lionesses: Archie (Y2) player of the week:

Harper, Natasha, Albie, Stef, Leo, Simar (Y1); Bjorn (Y3); JMFALLstars

Irish Dance: Lily (Y2)

Dance: Jasmine V (Y4) Star of the week; Lacey (Y6) 1st place and 3rd place in SE challenge

Gymnastics: Imogen T gold star certificate

Karate: Sahvan, Akain (Y3) green belts; Benajamin (Y4) blue belt; Rohan (Y6) blue belt

Rainbows: Rahaat (Y2) badge to celebrate 2 years

Top Ten Texts: Alex (Y2) Darcie (Y4)

Pen Licence: Alex (Y2) Ronnie (Y4)

Just 4 Fun Dodgeball festival: Zac, Lily, Sam, William, Antonio, Harley, Austin, Finley, Lucia C, Isabelle, Summayyah, Harrison K, Jake, Harrison P, Skye (Y5)

TTRS: Star: Lacey, Amber, Josephine, Lillie-Rose (Y6) **Legend:**

Manyav, Abhinav, Isha, Mokshu, Freddie, Zeliya, Will, Harry L (Y6)

Hero: Roop, Yuvraj, Lois, Raj, Saajun, Rohan, Daniel (Y6)

Half term achievers: YN: Alba, Harley, Aria, Rudy

YR: Truly, Luca, Logan, Jack B, Ella, Amel, Lottie, Luca, Sayed, Sehej **Y1:**

Eknoor, Evie, Isla-Rose, Stefano, Jaya, Arda, Charlie, Fred, Isabella, Srinika **Y2:** Albie, Isla, Mason H, Harry B, Sarnaee, Blake, Elsie S, Harry

B, Raahat, Riley

Y3: Shazana, Ronnie, Renzo, Isabelle, Daman, Rio, Oliver, Isabella M,

Freddie, Edie **Y4:** Ayla, Daisy, Finley, Jesse-James, Louie, Joshua E,

Aarna, Frankie, Daisy, Freddie **Y5:** Isla, Jasmine, Jenson, Sarwan,

Summayyah, Amelia, Austin, Seren, Zach, Skyla

Y6: Lois, Elizabeth, Lettie, Florence, Finley, Freddie, Harry L, Leyland,

Lillie-Rose, Nicole.



Notices

School Office

Please be reminded that the office closes at 4:30pm. Any calls or emails made after this time will not be answered until the following day.

Scooters:

Pupils are not permitted to ride their scooter or bike on school site.

Please ensure that your child disembarks before coming through the gates. There has been an increase in pupils not following this rule which poses a risk to themselves and others.



Diary Dates:

Friday 14th February:

PTA sweet sale – after school

Monday 24th February:

First day of spring term 2

Thursday 27th February:

Nursery open afternoon 2.15pm



Better Together,
Together Achieving



Community/School Links:

Children's Mental Health Week

Last week was national Children's mental health week. The Place2Be which is a service providing advice and support to

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/families/>

Word Book Day – 6th March – please see the recent letter highlighting the exciting activities planned for an often very popular day.

Parent-Teacher Progress Meetings – to be held on 25th & 27th March – more information will be provide in the new half-term.

Attendance and Punctuality:

School attendance is mandatory for all pupils.

This year we continue to have high attendance aspirations for all pupils and have set our whole school attendance target at 96%

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Parents are reminded, term time holidays are not authorised and will result in a fine.

