



Weekly Newsletter

Friday 5th May 2017

Dear Parents / Carers,

Year 3's Assembly: Year 3 shared some of the practical learning that they have done with the Highly Sprung performing arts group this term and performed the 'Learning Haka' which was part of their performance at Warwick Arts Centre last week. It was fascinating to hear about their learning and great to see the haka!

Headteacher Awards: Congratulations to Salewyn Anantharupan, Nevaeh Elson, Harry Morris, Matas Butkus, Filip Lasota, Demi Higgins, Hayden Stevens, Caitlin Worwood, Joshua Lonsdale and Ryan Rhodes-O'Connor, who all received Headteacher Awards this week.

Golden Tickets: The children who have been rewarded with Golden Tickets this week and have been selected to sit at the 'Top Table' next week are:

Year Group	Children	Year Group	Children
R	Fatma and Henley	4	Demi and Poppy
1	Anshika and Bahati	5	Redir and Adam
2	Ali and Ndey	6	Aleksandra and Jay-Jay
3	Sylwia and Ben		

House Points: Last week's winners were: **Mowlam, Moorcroft and Godiva**

Godiva		Moorcroft		Herbert		Mowlam	
Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly
19	19	19	19	15	15	19	19

Year 3 at Warwick Arts Centre: Last Friday, Year 3 travelled to Warwick Arts Centre to showcase the work they have been practising with the Highly Sprung actors. The children all performed brilliantly in front of an audience, around topics including the water cycle, light and plants and the rainforest. Two of our children (Sajda and Abdul) were very lucky and were selected to perform on stage with the professional actors. The children thoroughly enjoyed the experience and were fantastic ambassadors.

Google Expedition: On Tuesday, the children from Years 1 - 6 enjoyed a fantastic Google Expedition, which consisted of children being able to experience a virtual reality trip. The children had an amazing time "visiting" places around the world and some even enjoyed an out of this world adventure in space!

Football Match: On Thursday, our football team competed in a league match against Stoke Heath Primary School. Sadly, the boys did not win on this occasion but they all put a great effort in, especially man of the match Nikita, who steadfastly tackled his opponent throughout.

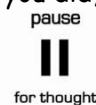
Class Assemblies: Please make a note of your child's class assembly detailed below:

Date	Class	Date	Class
Friday 19 th May	1LF	Friday 7 th July	Year 2
Friday 16 th June	5SG	Friday 14 th July	1EW
Friday 23 rd June	4HT	Tuesday 25 th July	Year 6
Friday 30 th June	5CB		

Fidget Spinners: We have become aware that children are bringing these toys into school and we are happy for children to play with these at appropriate times ie: playtimes and lunchtimes. However, children must ensure that they are not being used during learning time and that they take full responsibility for them. We have no plans to ban these toys at the moment, although this could change if we find that they are causing upset amongst children or if they are interrupting learning time.

Family Fit Sessions: We would like to apologise for the confusion about the Family Fit session that was supposed to be held at school on Wednesday. Unfortunately, there was a communication error amongst staff at Premier Sports, which meant that the company did not provide an instructor for the session. We have been assured that there will be an instructor for the next session on Wednesday 10th May.

Pause for Thought: "I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel." - Maya Angelou
How do you make people feel?



Please make a note of the following dates for your diary:

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| Monday 8 th May | - | Year 6 SATs week |
| Monday 15 th May | - | Year 2 SATs week |
| Monday 15 th May | - | Year 5 Imagineer Productions |
| Monday 22 nd May | - | Year 5 Jodrell Bank |
| Wednesday 24 th May | - | Year 5 to Charter House |
| Thursday 25 th May | - | Year 1 visit to Twycross Zoo |
| Thursday 25 th May | - | Half term break |
| Friday 26 th May | - | Teacher Training Day |
| Saturday 3 rd - Monday 5 th June | - | Hordain Football Tournament (France) |
| Monday 5 th June | - | Children return to school |
| Wednesday 12 th - Friday 14 th July | - | Year 5 residential Swadlincote (near Conkers) |
| Tuesday 25 th July | - | Year 6 Leavers' Performance |
| Tuesday 25 th July | - | Last day of Summer Term |
| Tuesday 5 th September | - | Children return to school |
| Thursday 19 th October | - | Half term break |
| Friday 20 th October | - | Teacher Training day |
| Monday 30 th October | - | Children return to school |
| Thursday 21 st December | - | Christmas break |
| Monday 8 th January | - | Children return to school |
| Friday 16 th February | - | Half term break |
| Monday 26 th February | - | Children return to school |

*Yours sincerely,
Alasdair Black
Headteacher*

Letters that were sent home this week: 03/05/17 - Jodrell Bank Space Centre (Year 5)



Attendance for last week:

Our school target for attendance is 97%.

Last week's attendance was 93.7%

The class with the best attendance last week was: 5SG with 99.1%

Attendance money won:
£1.00 - 6JK, 5SG, 2ET

