



Weekly Newsletter

Friday 8th June 2018

Dear Parents / Carers,

4HT's Class Assembly: 4HT shared lots of information about Brazil in their assembly this morning and showed us lots of pictures of different aspects of the country from the wildlife and rainforests through to Rio de Janeiro. It was well researched and presented and gave us a real flavour of what it would be like to live there. I wonder how their football team will get on in the next few weeks...

Headteacher Awards: Congratulations to Amelia, Alfie, Kara, Esmee, Lilymay, Carlton and Kelsey Mai, who are all in Year 1 and have 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	Scarlett, Jacob and Jakub	4	Kiera and Julia
1	Amelia and Kara	5	Cameron and Tyreece
2	Anshika and Riley	6	Nathaniel and Olivier
3	Ndey and Lacey		

House Points: This week's winner is

Godiva		Herbert		Moorcroft		Mowlam	
Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly
22	22	20	20	12	12	17	17

KS2 Tennis Competition: On Tuesday, some of our Key Stage 2 children represented the school at a tennis competition at Coventry and North Warwickshire Tennis Club. The children: Ryan, Renikah, Hashim and Layla from Year 4 and Nathaniel, Olivier, Alisha and Jamila from Year 6 were very enthusiastic about the contest. However although they did not win on this occasion, they put in a tremendous amount of effort in the five matches that they each played.

Marvellous Me: You will have received a letter this week about Marvellous Me, which is an app that you can use on your smartphone, tablet or computer to keep you informed of your child's activities and achievements at school. In the letter that was sent home are instructions about how you can sign up and this includes a parent join code for your child. Your child's teacher will be sending messages about his/her school day to help keep you informed - you are also able to interact with the app, for example by sending a "high five" to show that you have received a message. We hope that through using Marvellous Me we can improve communication and home school links.

Early Bird Week: Starting on Monday 11th June, our Early Bird Week will be beginning. This is a chance for your child's class to earn some tasty treats. All they have to do is come into school before 9:00 am to earn a sticker. The class with the best overall percentage of children earning stickers will win the tasty treats. This is open for Reception to Year 6. Mr Goodbody's class are confident that they will win again after triumphing last half term - can your class take on the challenge?

School Bank: With the long summer break fast approaching, why not make the most of the school's bank and encourage your children to save some pennies for their free time in July and August? Your child can deposit a small (or large) amount on a regular basis and it is a great opportunity to teach your child about saving for the long term. The Moat House School Bank is open every Tuesday morning from 8:40 am. If you require any further information about this, please speak to the school office.

Nursery Notices: Please note that the Nursery doors open at 8:45 am and close at 8:55 am for children who attend Nursery in the morning session - this in line with whole school policy where registers are taken promptly after ten minutes of the doors opening.

Pause for Thought:

“People who are crazy enough to think they can change the world, are the ones who do.” - Rob Siltanen. How can you make the world a better place?

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

Monday 11 th June	-	Early Bird Week
Friday 15 th June	-	Key Stage 1 Art Exhibition
Friday 15 th June	-	Year 6 bowling trip
Monday 25 th June	-	Sports Week
Tuesday 26 th June	-	Sports Day
Thursday 28 th June	-	Reserve Sports Day
Monday 2 nd July	-	Health Week
Wednesday 4 th July	-	Transition day
Thursday 5 th July	-	Meeting for parents of Y5 children going to Dol y Moch
Monday 9 th July	-	Year 1 to Twycross Zoo
Wednesday 11 th - Friday 13 th July	-	Year 5 residential to Swadlincote
Friday 13 th July	-	Nursery to Umberslade Farm
Monday 16 th July	-	Annual reports to parents
Tuesday 17 th July	-	Parents' Evening
Thursday 19 th July	-	Year 4 to Cadbury World
Tuesday 24 th July	-	Year 6 Leavers' party
Wednesday 25 th July	-	Year 6 performance
Wednesday 25 th July	-	Summer break
Thursday 26 th - Sunday 29 th July	-	Year 5 to Dol-y-Moch

*Yours sincerely,
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Headteacher*

Letters that were sent home this week:

5th June - Bowling treat (Year 6), 6th June - Marvellous Me (whole school), 7th June - Dol-y-Moch arrangements (Year 5).



Attendance for last week:

Our school target for attendance is 97%.

Last week's attendance was 93.6%

The class with the best attendance last week was 6CB with 98.8%

Attendance money won:
£1 - 5ST, 6CB

