



# Weekly Newsletter

Friday 20th July 2018

Dear Parents / Carers,

**Headteacher Awards:** Congratulations to Zema, Toni, Amiya, Mariana, Tyrone, Livia, Owen, Leah (YR), Jakub (2ET) and Imraan (3SH), who 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	Mariana and Faith	4	Abdul and Luca
1	Lamin and Fatma	5	Joshua and Amanda
2	Aaliyah and Nikola	6	Kellies and Elle
3	Rithika and Shannon		

**House Points:** This week's winner is

Godiva		Herbert		Moorcroft		Mowlam	
Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly	Weekly	Half-termly
25	147	25	153	17	101	17	117

**Reports:** Your child's annual school report was given out on Monday and we hope that you find it a useful record of your child's achievements and progress over this academic year. There was an opportunity for parents to come in to discuss their child's report on Tuesday. If you have any comments or questions and were not able to attend on Tuesday, please do feel free to catch your child's classteacher at the end of the school day, or ask the school office if you wish to make an appointment.

**Year R trip to Twinlakes:** On Thursday the children from Reception (and lots of helpers) went to Twinlakes. They saw lots of different animals at the farm, went on rides, visited Wild West Land and played in the water. They all had a fantastic time!

**Year 4 trip to Cadbury World:** Yesterday, Year 4 had a fantastic day out at Cadburys' World, learning all about the history and processing of cacao beans from tree to wrapper. The sun shone all day and the children really enjoyed themselves as they explored the factory, especially when they got to write their names in chocolate and choose their own melted chocolate treat! The 4-D cinema experience was a highlight as they 'travelled' around in Cadbury World Fantasyland, dodging flying mini-eggs and bouncing up and down the chocolate mountains roller coaster.

**Governors' Awards:** On Thursday, a special ceremony was held to recognise children at Moat House, who have worked hard or shown excellent behaviour or attitude. The following children were awarded with a certificate and a voucher, in front of a very proud audience of parents, governors and staff, for their hard work and achievements.

YN: Adam and Skye	Y1: George and Poppy	Y3: Ashleigh and Tyrelle	Y5: Karina and Salewyn
YR: Poppy-Low and Rafael	Y2: Harley-David and Aaliyah	Y4: Riziki and Scarlet	Y6: Alfie and Angela

**Community Events:** During the summer break, there will be a free summer holiday camp every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 11 am - 2 pm at the Moat House Leisure and Neighbourhood Centre. A range of activities will be available, including arts and crafts, music, health and beauty, cookery and sports and there is also a free meal for all school aged children.

On Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> August, there will be a Family Fun Day at the Moat House Leisure and Neighbourhood Centre from 1 pm - 5 pm. It is free entry for all and events include a dance show and a magician. For unlimited rides and a hot dog or burger, a wristband for children costs £4.00.

**Pause for Thought:**

“We generate fears while we sit. We overcome them by action.” - Dr. Henry Link.

What

fears do you need to face and take action?

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

- Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July - Year 6 Leavers' party
- Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 performance
- Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July - Summer break
- Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July - Year 5 to Dol-y-Moch
- Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September - Children return to school
- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October - Half term break
- Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October - Teacher day (children should not come to school)
- Monday 29<sup>th</sup> October - Children return to school
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December - Christmas break
- Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January - Children return to school
- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February - Half term break
- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February - Children return to school

*Yours sincerely,*

*Alasdair Black*

*Headteacher*

Letters that were sent home this week: 17<sup>th</sup> July - Dol-y-Moch travel arrangements (Year 5)



**Attendance for last week:**

Our school target for attendance is 97%.

Last week's attendance was 95.6%

The class with the best attendance last week was 6CB with 99.1%

Attendance money won:

£1 - 6CB and 2JG

