



## Message from Mrs Barker

As we approach the end of the school year, you will see from reading the newsletter, just how busy we have been!

This week, the children from both Years 1 & 2 enjoyed visits to the Dinosaur Park and to Gulliver's. All of the children had a great time. Our Year 6 children performed their end of year production brilliantly, in spite of the rain coming into the building!! They then ended their week with a three night residential at Caythorpe, which they thoroughly enjoyed.

A huge thank you to everyone who came along to support our summer fayre and to those PTA members, parents and staff who helped to set up and run stalls at the event.

An enormous congratulations to the nine children who took part in the two debating competitions; I was delighted when we achieved first place in the first competition and absolutely thrilled to bits when we also achieved first place in the second competition! A huge thank you to Mrs Stott for the hard work behind the scenes preparing the team to be so amazing!

It was so lovely to watch our Reception children perform their brilliant class assemblies, along with Hedgehogs' fabulous class assembly. Thank you to all those parents who came along to support their children.

What a treat we had on Wednesday after school, when a number of Year 4 musicians performed in a Woodwind Concert for us! I was very proud of them, especially as the children had only had 7 lessons before the concert. We are very much looking forward to seeing everyone move up to their new classes for our early transition period for the last two weeks.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend

# PTA NEWS

It's been a busy few weeks with the PTA and a **MASSIVE** thank you to all the parents, carers, family, friends & staff for your invaluable support and incredible generosity. Please do get in touch with any ideas on what we can spend the money on.

**Father's Day Shop**  
**You all raised an amazing £358.40**

**Sponsored Bounce**  
**The profit was an incredible £1,000.12**

- Sponsorship: £970.95
- Giftaid: £219.17
- Costs: £190.00 (castles and ice cream vouchers)

**Well done to the bounciest children from each year and we hope you enjoyed your ice cream voucher.**

Nursery - Jessica / Reception - Miguel / Yr 1 - Millie / Yr 2 - Eleanor, Maisie & Ricardo / Yr 3 - Davis / Yr 4 - Gabriela / Yr 5 - Haruki / Yr 6 - Harry D

## Scottfest

**What a fantastic day and thank you for everyone's hard work, we are delighted you have raised £2,152.18**



**A special thank you to the band Thr3e for volunteering their time and talent to make the event extra special.**



We wanted to host a summer event for our school community as there has not been a summer fayre since 2019 (sadly it was cancelled last year due to the heatwave). The aim was to bring us all together and to break even, however it is wonderful that we have raised money too.

**Don't forget to go to your new classrooms on Monday 10th July. Check Parentmail for full details**

## **DIARY DATES**

### **July**

11: Meet the teacher

12: Caterpillars Sports Day, 9am

13: Nursery Sports Day

20: Year 6 Awards Evening, 6pm

21: Last day of school (NO Friday club or afternoon Scotties)

### **September**

1: Staff training day

4: Back to school, Years 1-6

8: Back to school, Reception (current Nursery children)

12: Back to school, Reception (brand new children)

12: Back to school, Nursery (current Caterpillars)

### **North Pole drop off**

Please do not stop your vehicle in the road/driveway to let your children out as this causes delays, plus it is not safe. Please park up and escort your child (Years 3&4) to their drop off point and ensure they are safely through the doors

**In recognition of Refugee week, some of the Language Ambassadors held an assembly on the importance of showing compassion to others during times of uncertainty. Their presentation was informative and interesting and they finished with a quiz. Well done to all.**



# SUPERSTARS

**YEARS 1-6**

**YEAR 1 & 2**

Aaron D, Aaron F, Daniel J, Sienna W, Amarachi A, Roberto C, Roman D, Daniel, Nicholas R, Elliott R, Lola W, Rogan H, Ashton M, Dillan W, Kyrie B, Meredith E, Isabelle E, Alfie R, Amelia S, Elsa B, Laith A, Yaz I, Jake B, Alfie C, Inaaya H, Archie S, Willow-Grace E, Amara G, Evelyn H, Tommy L, Tommy M, Alfie P, Christopher W & Sophia L

**YEAR 3-6**

Harry D, Ella J, Isobel W, Zane Z, Timmy P, Clark B, Zinedine G, Aria M, Khiafa O, Harry R, Maddie F, Vanessa N, Poppy R, Giacomo S, Anna S, Archie M, Sulaimaan A, Oliver R, Oscar X, Samuel P and Logan E, Natalie N, Leen S, Lucas S, Finley T, Poppy W, Finley Y, Jessica M, Ummayah R, Jayden S, Abel C, Satkirat P, Sunyana E, Colette J, Beatrix T, Grayson W, Rueben W, Phoebe G, Alisha B, & Mohammed K

## **Attendance**

**Year to date (Years 1-6): 94.8% - Target 97%**

**Week: 19th June**

**Years 1-6: 95.9%**

**Classes with the highest**

**South**

**Hedgehogs: 99.3%**

**North**

**Fossey: 99.3%**

**Week: 26th June**

**Years 1-6: 93.7%**

**Classes with the highest**

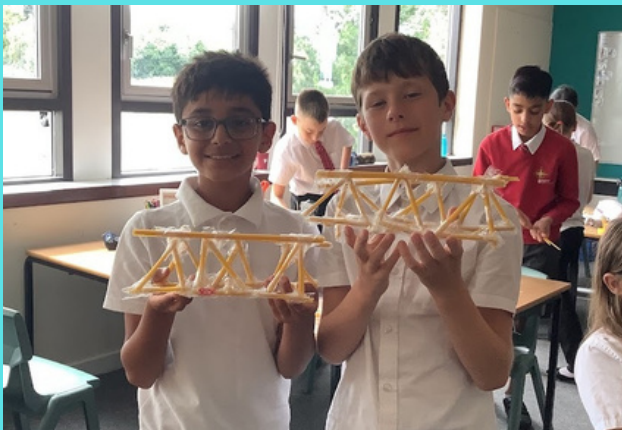
**South**

**Rabbits: 99.3%**

**North**

**Grylls: 97.2%**

**Years 3 and 4 have enjoyed playing their new playground games this week!**



**Year 5 made truss bridges out of spaghetti. They investigated their strength and why triangles made them stronger.**

**Year 4 enjoyed going into the woods to test river water. They learned about how water can be polluted and how it is cleaned so it is safe to drink. They also talked about how to reduce pollution.**



**On Thursday, some Year 5 children were invited to attend the STEM fair at Biddenham School. They learnt about different types of energy and enjoyed time in a planetarium. The teachers were very impressed with their science knowledge.**



**Year 2 really enjoyed learning all about how to make sea creatures and shells out of clay and explored thumbing, coiling and pinching techniques as well as using a range of media to create shape, texture and form... we can't wait to paint and glaze them!**

