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"Be the best you can be"

25th September 2015

Headteacher's News

We had an exciting visit from The Sentinel this week. A reporter and a photographer came to find out about life in an "Outstanding" school. The reporter interviewed six children and I was immensely proud of them as they spoke so confidently about how our school has transformed in the last three years. The reporter was also very interested in the Art on Saturdays that we have and wanted to run a separate article about this unique feature of our school.

Yesterday, our Year 6 classes both went for their Year 7 taster day at our feeder high school Chesterton Community Sports College. I know they had a brilliant day and I have heard only good reports about how well behaved they were throughout the day. I do feel that it is important to remind all parents that you apply to the high school of **YOUR** choice in Year 6. I would always encourage parents to consider what their child wants when applying for a high school place. It is an important decision and it should be well thought about before any final decision is made. I must encourage the parents of Year 6 to get their forms filled in as soon as possible.

It was really lovely to see all the children in non-uniform today and thank you to all those of you who sent in donations to support Macmillan Cancer Support. Next week we will let you know how much was raised.

Diane Beardsmore
Headteacher

Y5 at Chasewater

Yesterday, all Y5 children should have brought home a letter inviting parents and carers to a meeting at 3:15 on Monday 28th September 2015 about Chasewater. We do urge you to come along to get all the information you need about this exciting residential visit.

Weekly Awards

	Class	Name
	Upper KS2	HEADTEACHER'S AWARD Dominic Jackson
	Lower KS2	HEADTEACHER'S AWARD Lexie Shaw
	KS1	HEADTEACHER'S AWARD Caitlin Heathcote
	Foundation Stage	HEADTEACHER'S AWARD Owen Worthington / Kian Locock
	6S	Emily McDonald Being a good sport at cross country
	6P	Lloyd Brown Great work in Maths
	5S	Jade Ninsiima Always being cheerful and helpful
	4S	Kai Smith Excellent listening skills
	4L	Alex Baxter Excellent progress in Maths
	3C	Lacey -Ann Dale Great Maths work
	2W	Lewis Yates Excellent Literacy work
	2M	Reece Elliott Super Maths
	1R	Aubrey Critchlow Being the best he can be
	Rec	Liam Mercer—Super shape work Brooke Kirby—Ready to learn
	Nursery	Leah Bennett Always smiling
	PE	Stephen Barlow / Macey Bates Callum Yates / Angelo Henry
	RE	Chloe Simcock Super work

Workers of the Week

- EYFS— Liam Carter
- KS1— Thomas Vasey
- LKS2— Otis Dunn
- UKS2— Caitlin Boardman



Attendance Award

This week's award goes to
with 1R excellent attendance
100% Attendance winner:
Lauren Goulding



TEAM OF THE WEEK

Yellow Team

GOOD TO BE GREEN AWARD
This week's award goes to 6P



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Harvest
(British Food Fortnight)
28th September 2015



Help?

Can we please ask you to continue to label everything that the children bring into school. Can we also ask that, as much as possible, the school reading books that go home are kept separate from any drinks in children's bags.

Non Uniform Day

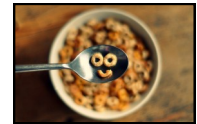
Thank you to all of the children who came in non-uniform today and gave a donation to Macmillan Cancer Support. We will have to let you know the total in next week's newsletter as we are still counting as the newsletter went to print.



Breakfast Club

We would like to remind you that we now have a breakfast club in school. It is fully supervised and the children can have breakfast, of course. It is £10 per week or £2.50 per day. Children must be booked into the office before the day that they are attending so that we can ensure adequate adult supervision depending on the numbers. We do hope you understand this. Our numbers are growing all the time so let us know if you would like your child to attend

Breakfast club is available from 7.30am and runs right up until school begins.



School Holiday Dates

Autumn 1st half

Tuesday 8th September 2015 School Opens
Friday 23rd October 2015 School Closes

Autumn 2nd half

Monday 2nd November 2015 School Opens
Friday 18th December 2015 School Closes

Spring 1st half

Monday 4th January 2016 Staff Training Day—
School Closed

Tuesday 5th January 2016 School Opens
Friday 12th February 2016 School Closes

Spring 2nd half

Monday 22nd February 2016 School Opens
Thursday 24th March 2016 School Closes

Summer 1st half

Monday 11th April 2016 School Opens

Week beginning : Monday 9th May 2016

Y6 SATs testing week

Friday 13th May 2016 Staff Training Day—School
Closed

Friday 27th May 2016 School Closes

Summer 2nd half

Monday 6th June 2016 School Opens

Friday 22nd July 2016 School Closes

Cross Country

It was my great pleasure to be invited to watch the first cross country event of the season on Wednesday at St Margaret's in Wolstanton. In the girls race, Emily McDonald came 7th. Bethany Phillips, Orla Banks-Jones and Anna Mielczarek also competed. In the boys race, Jay Cooper came 23rd. Kacper Stygar, Harvey Yemm, Jack Salmon, Joe Salmon and Ben Salmon also took part. The children were fabulous to watch, the race was thrilling and I can't wait for next week's event.

Mr J Skupham



Team Points this Week

Red	320	(So far this term 801)
Blue	322	(So far this term 788)
Green	325	(So far this term 826)
Yellow	326	(So far this term 811)