

NEWSLETTER 1

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Pre-School build



Thank you for parking further away from the school and walking more now that the Pre-School building has begun. Many of our neighbours were concerned that drop off and pick up time would be grid-lock but thanks to your consideration, traffic around school at these times has been relatively clear so far, so thank you very much and keep it up!

Congratulations to all the children who completed the Summer Reading Challenge:

Reuben and Arthur Beck; Elli and Seb Biss; James and George Blanchard; Jasper Bishop; Samuel and Isabella Bolton; Daisy and Jude Cox; Darcy and Dawson Crame-Baker; Reuben Davies; Florence Doré; Amy Duffin; Grace Eden; Alex Evans; Ruby and Greyson Evans; Josie Fearon; Evie and Imogen Fisher; Ben and Violet Foley; Max Gillard; Esme and Zach Goode; Anya Holdsworth; Dan and Carys Hughes; Rosie Illott; Grace Lillywhite; Annabel and Ceci Logan; Andrew Luo; Ben and Charlie MacIntosh; Logan and Emily Mayo; Joshua McCool; Zara McRae; Isla Miah; Olivia and Annabel Morris; Oliver and Beth Mutch; Phoebe, Zara and Tabitha Rex; Ben Rivers; Matilda Segal; Amie and Oliver Smart; Scarlett Symon; Jamie and Annabelle Travis; Hattie Trusson; Amelia Vere-Whiting; Bella and Ted Wallage; Barnaby, Mollie and Annabelle Watts.

Brilliant effort and all children received a staggering 10 team points for completing the challenge – well done everyone!

ATE's 2800 Mile Challenge

For many years, the school has supported the local charity ATE who raise money to give children in Lawra, northern Ghana a school lunch which in turn encourages more children to go to school. At the end of last term, to launch our 'Outdoor Learning Week', the entire school

joined ATE's 2800 mile challenge. Classes R, 1 and 2 walked to the Manor. Classes 3, 4, 5, and 6 walked to Littlecote House, via the Manor. The children also brought in coins, to add to our mileage, as well as raising money for ATE. Collectively, the school walked 1215.15 miles, with the distance of coins adding a further 1.07 miles, making it an incredible total of 1215.15miles! We raised £303 and this means that ATE can provide 1564 school lunches! Fantastic!

Reading Challenge 300 night readers

Congratulations for all of our children who read 300 nights last academic year:

Class 1: Caspian, James B, Dawson, Greyson, Erin, Zara R, Alex, Ted and Hamish;

Class 2: Reuben D, Jasper, Andrew, Angus, Jude, Daniel, Oliver M, Ewan, Naomi, Freddie, Zeb and Barney;

Class 3: Maisie, Jetton, Elli, George B, Luke, Daisy C, Darcy, Alex E, Josie, Esme, Ben M, Joshua Mc, Zara Mc, Olivia, Evie R, Scarlett, Annabelle T; Hattie and Jack C;

Class 4: Owen, Reggie, Ryan, Tom H, Rosie, Verity, Bella, Madeleine, Phoebe, Ruby, Anya and Amelia;

Class 5: Seb, Baxter, Ria, Sam Cl, Florence, Camille, Archie, Zach, Henry, Carys, Charlie, Emily, Jamie, Reuben W and Mollie;

Class 6: Tom A, Casey, Meredith, Sachen, Jasper, Tabitha, Rex, Jacob, Tara, Lily, Sofia, Nieve and George D;

Year 6 Leavers: Gregie, Hannah, Anya; Amie, Joshua, Eleanor W and Alex.

A spectacular 87 children – well done everyone! Each child was given a very special book mark to celebrate their achievement.

School Councillors



Congratulations to the following children who were voted for by their classmates to represent their class:

Class 2: Evie and Jasper with reserve Molly

Class 3: Arthur and Annabelle W with reserve George B

Class 4: Shared between Ruby and Phoebe and Owen and Ollie

Class 5: Emily and Jamie with reserve Verity

Class 6: Tyler and Alice with reserve Tom A.

Reading Challenge – 15+ nights so far...

We have just passed 15 nights in our Reading Challenge. Well done to all the children who are reading every night!

Assembly Ambassadors

Congratulations to our Year 6 Ambassadors: Sachen, Libby, Tabitha, Izzy, Rex, Casey, Sofia, Millie and Nieve.

Welcome to...

Pippa Cook (Class 2), Elizabeth Cook (Class 5) and Tyler Vicars-Rosier (Class 6) and their families.



Sports Leaders

Congratulations to our Year 6 Sports Leaders: Bridget, Miles, Harvey, Joseph, Toby, Emily, Gabriel and Ellie.

Congratulations to:

Zara (Class 1) for passing the Pre-Primary Ballet exam;
Phoebe (Class 4) for coming 3rd in the U9 MADJA Club Champs;
Tabitha, Tara, Sachen, George D, Ellie and Joseph (Class 6) and Ollie (Class 4) for completing a 6km Glow Run at Longleat;
Meredith (Class 6) for passing Grade 1 Cello with Merit;
Daisy C (Class 3) for coming 1st in the U9 Quad Kids as well as being nominated as 'Coach's Athlete of the Year';
Oliver S (Class 4) for passing Pre-Prep Piano with Distinction;
Millie B (Class 4) for passing Pre-Prep Piano with Distinction;
Grace E (Class 4) for passing Pre-Prep Piano with Distinction;
Ewan H (Class 2) for passing Stage 1 in Swimming;
Jamie (Class 5) for passing Grade 2 Trombone with Distinction;
Millie C (Class 6) for passing Grade 2 Ballet with Merit;
Ruby (Class 4) for being awarded with the 'Most Improved Player' from Marlborough Angels Football Club;
Phoebe (Class 4) for being awarded with the 'Best Player' from Marlborough Angels Football Club;
Bella (Class 4) for being awarded with the 'Coach's Player' from Marlborough Angels Football Club;
Angus (Class 2) for being awarded with a Blue Peter badge for his drawing of his favourite Roald Dahl character – Fantastic Mr Fox;
Oliver M (Class 2) for passing yellow belt in Taekwondo;
Oliver S (Class 4) for passing Stage 7 Swimming;
Rosie (Class 4) for swimming 100m;
Elsa (Class 1) for swimming 50m;
Sam Cl (Class 5) for playing for the Wiltshire team in tennis in the County Cup; coming 3rd in the Wiltshire

County Tennis Championships in the 9 and under singles and runner up in the 10 and under, as well as being selected for the U10 Elite Squad for STFC!!

Spelling Superstars Summer Term

Well done to the following children who passed their class Spelling Bee at the end of last term with full marks:
Class 2: Naomi, Reuben, Evie, Jasper, Molly, Ewan, Andrew and Jude;
Class 3: Max, Daisy D, Alex, James, Daisy C, Scarlett, Olivia, Annabelle T, Arthur, Joshua, Jack C, George M, Annabelle W, Hattie and Jetton;
Class 4: Jemima and Anya;
Class 5: Charlie, Mollie, Sammy, Florence, Jamie, Isabelle, Kitty, Zach and Ben;
Class 6: Alice, George D, Millie, Bertie, Sofia, Ellie, Emily, Tara, Tom A, George H, Meredith, Harvey, Sachen and Thomas.



And bravo to the following children who are our most improved spellers of the Summer Term:

Class 2: Oliver
Class 3: Zara
Class 4: Ollie C
Class 5: Ben
Class 6: Ellie

PTA and Parent Reps

Many thanks to all of our newly appointed Parent Reps and PTA lead.

Your reps this year are:

Class R: Linda Williams, Clare Fawcus, and Catherine Dallas;
Class 1: Anna Blanchard, Bryony Beck, Clare Morris and Elle Fowler;
Class 2: Annabel Mackay, Clare Fisher and Nicky Scott-Harden;
Class 3: Jo Reade, Anne Evans, Becs Symon and Sam Dascombe;
Class 4: Tina Harrigan-James and Rosie Bellman;
Class 5: Liz Watts, Vanessa Mayo and Vicky Hughes;
Class 6: Jane Rex.

Secretary: Kathie Bishop
Treasurer: Lynne Thomas
Chair: Kerry Edwards.

