

NEWSLETTER - WEDNESDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2021



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Sun Shine Awards (04/10/21-11/10/21)

Reception: Otis.

Class 1: Molly W.

Class 2: Jack P.

Class 3: Maddie W.

Trophy awarded to: Class 2

W/C 4.10.21 School Sports Award goes to Oliver in Class 1 for Honesty.

W/C 11.10.21 School Sports Award goes to Maddie for Teamwork.

W/C 18.10.21 School Sports Award goes to Molly H

School Day

Just a reminder that the school days starts for the children at 8.55am, children can enter school from 8.40am for 'soft entry' time for reading or preparing for the day. Please also ensure that children are collected on time at the end of the day and after any club. Thank you for your support with getting the children to school on time.

African Drumming

Pre-school joined school for African Drumming and had great fun. The drumming was all part of our Black History month and the children were able to build on their cultural capital and enjoyed learning about the different sounds and how they are created on the skin of the drums.



After School Club T2

02/11/21-30/11/21 Art Club 3.15-4pm Yr 3&4

01/11/21-29/11/21 Camp kindness Year 1 3.15-4pm

06/10/21-08/12/21 Netball Club Yr 4-6 3.15-4pm

04/11/21-09/12/21 Football Club Yr1-6 3.15-4pm

Future Dates/Notifications

20/10/21: ISing Pop Concert Deerhurst Church

21/10/21: INSET DAY

22/10/21: INSET DAY

01/11/21: Term 2 Starts

03/11/21: Reception Class Trip

11/11/21: Class 3 Remembrance at the cross 10.50am

12/11/21: Non-Uniform Day (Bottle/Chocolate donation PTFA)

12/11/21: Book Looks 2.30-3.15pm

16/11/21: Parent Evening 3.30-5.30pm [appointments have been sent.](#)

17/11/21: Class 1 Trip

17/11/21: Parent Evening 3.30-5.30pm

18/11/21: NCMP & Vision Screening Yr R & Yr 6

19/11/21: Christmas Enterprise School Hall 2-4pm LTF

21/11/21: Community event @village hall, PTFA serving refreshments 12-4pm

02/12/21: Flu Immunisation in school

Well done Imogen who has just been awarded her Level 2 Learn to swim award!



Scribe Award

Congratulations to Ben, Millie, Mary & Amber for achieving their scribe award. Also well done to Eden, Jenson, Maddie, Ryan & Valentine for achieving their apprentice scribe award.

Bench

A huge thank you to Mr and Mrs Matthews who have reinvigorated our school bench. The whole school are very happy and it even has our school vision and badge on it! Thank you.



Cross Country

All the children had a great run. They were all superstars. Molly won the girls race by a good 15 metres. The boys team had increased so we had a great little team. For a small school we really did make a great representation. There were 93 girls & 160 boys in total that took part. Well done everyone!



Police Visit

School had a special visit from PC Curtis who talked about the role of the police and how they help us. They thoroughly enjoyed looking at his working resources and had lots of questions!



Reception were busy getting ready for Harvest, using their colour mixing skills to create different fruit and vegetables. They have talked about how Christians celebrate harvest festival in churches to say thank you to God for helping the crops to grow.



Honours List

Each week, awards for children's achievement will be presented in Celebration Assembly. We will also recognise children who have demonstrated our value for each term in the everyday life of our school - our value for Term 1 is Friendship.



Award winners for w/c 4th October - 15th October 2021

Achievement:

Reception - Reception for amazing troll descriptions for writing.

Class 1 - Finnlay & Flynn for problem solving in Maths.

Class 2 - Rose, Luke & Ben for amazing story writing.

Class 3 - Class 3 for their amazing time-slip stories.

Values:

Reception - Poppy, Maisy & Ernie.

Class 1- Eleanor & Harvey.

Class 2- Molly & Isla.

Class 3- Ben & Charley

Y6 Maths Challenge

Congratulations to Y6 pupils, Amber, Sophie, Ben and Eleanor who were a very successful team at the Year 6 Maths Challenge held at St Edwards senior school. We are extremely proud of all of them!

Thank you to the parents who helped with transport and Mrs Cane for supervising the children at the event.



Rags2Riches

Thank you to everyone who donated we collected 81.2kg and raised £32.48 for PTFA.



Well done to Imogen & Ella who have raised £160.71 for Sue Ryder from their cookie stall at the weekend.

Reception would like to thank PTFA for our new stem toys and Lego, the children have loved the new challenges in the classroom. We had lots of new models on display. Otis followed instructions (images) to build his model!



Class 3 have been busy planting spring bulbs. They planted muscari and crocus bulbs in pots which they then sold before and after school. Thanks to your generous donations, they raised £50 which they are going to spend on more tools and equipment for their gardening activities.



Harvest

Thank you to everyone who came to our lovely Harvest Festival in the school grounds. It was wonderful to welcome you back into school once again. You were very generous with your donations and they will be very much appreciated by the families who use the Tewkesbury Food Bank. The children thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon and it was super the weather stayed dry for us all.



Book Boats

The children are starting to enjoy our Book Boats in school! Eden and Sonny christened them and their verdict was a resounding success!



Class One have been superstar problem solvers in maths and have had great fun working out how many possible number bonds there are to ten as well as the Year Twos building on this to work out related facts with bonds up to 100! Well done Class 1 we are so proud of all of you and your hard work.



Please remember to order any school lunches before the deadline of 28th October for the return to school on the 1st November.

This term has been so much fun in school PE lessons. Class 1, 2, and 3 have all been having Rugby and have thoroughly enjoyed all the sessions. We have been very lucky with the weather and most Wednesdays the sun has shone brightly and the grass has been dry allowing for the children to really get stuck in.

Reception class have been working hard on their A,B, and C of PE, agility, balance and coordination, and they have really enjoyed all of the games we have played and their development has been great to see.

We have also started the county Cross-Country series for children in years 4, 5, and 6. Each week our team seems to gain another runner, and this series will continue again in February for any more children who would like to be involved. We have had some fabulous results for both individuals and teams.

Netball club has also started after school on a Wednesday and all the children have enjoyed being involved and learning a new game. The emphasis is on having fun and learning new team positions each week.



Cross Country Results 14/10/21

Girls: Molly 1st Eleanor 15th total 85

Boys: Ben 3rd, Charlie 24th, Jonathon 39th, Gabriel 44th, Jenson 47th total 145

Race 1: Boys 4th, Girls 5th

Race 2: Boys 1st, Girls 3rd

Race 3: Boys 1st, Girls 2nd

Thank you to all those who have taken part so far, and well done to both Molly and Ben who had outstanding performances finishing in the top 10 every week.

Cross country will continue in February with the following dates:

Race 4 - Thursday 10th February 2022

Race 5 - Thursday 17th February 2022

Fun run and presentations Thursday 3rd March 2022



Class 2 have worked hard making some lanterns for the festival of light.



Donations

Thank you to Mrs Dyer who made a donation to the year 6 gardening fund. Thank you to Sheila Ryan who has donated a football goal and ball to school. Thank you for all your support again this term. Have a wonderful half term.



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