



Friday Bulletin

5th May
2017



Celebration Awards go to children who have been:

Reflective; Resourceful; Resilient; Collaborative; Creative and Curious



Comets - Beau Golden and Scarlett Southgate.

Satellites - Kian Bidewell and Casey Lewis,

Endeavour - Mary Squires, Isabella McGregor, Gabi Zattini, Grace Chamberlain, Ben Brolly, Samuel Parkings, Gyles Harley, Blessing Muzire and Jayden Harris.

Enterprise - Lewis French, Jade Dewey, Claudia Fallas, Marley Reynolds and Jessica Leach.

Gold Stars

Thomas Van Dop, Samuel Leach, Max Crowhurst, Harry Haydon, Gyles Harley, Abbi Sadler, Isobel Horsfall, Toby Kelly and Nazar Hladkykh.

Accelerated Reader

Bronze - Lewis Spurdin

Silver - Noah Lambiase.

Next time you are in school please look at the children's work on display in the reception area.

School Attendance by Class

(Our whole school target for 2016-17 is 97.5% Last year we achieved 96.5%)

Comets 100% Satellites 99% Endeavour 89% Enterprise 94%

Whole School Attendance this week is **95.5%**

Whole School Attendance since 5th September 2016 is **96%**

Year 6 will be sitting their statutory tests week beginning 8th May. If you have a child in Year 6 please ensure that they arrive at school on time. We could not be prouder of how hard the children have worked this year and all through their time at our school. We have seen them excel in areas that unfortunately are not assessed at the end of Year 6. SATs can be a stressful time and we understand that the children will be feeling unsettled and anxious about them. Please try to remember: **"Don't get stressed. Just do your best. Remember you've been blessed, With skills SATs don't test."** You will be fine!

Year 2 Will be sitting statutory tests in May. Mrs Sharpe will be working with small groups of children at the appropriate time - as part of normal classroom practise. Many children will not realise they have taken a test. All assessments will be shared with parents later in the term.

Emergency Contact details Have your emergency contacts changed address, mobile or landline number? If so, can you please contact the Office so we can update our records. Thank you.

School Photographs Please note the change of date to Monday 22nd May for the class photos. Please ensure your child brings a school jumper or cardigan into school on that day. A named brush or comb would also be useful.

This week in Endeavour This week Endeavour have been taste testers for Clive. Clive is planning to put some new salads on the summer menu but of course he only wants to add food that he knows children will eat! So on Tuesday afternoon he made five new salads for the class to try. They were: American Coleslaw, Potato Salad, Cucumber and Mint Pasta Salad, Apple & Celery Salad and Rainbow Salad.

Some of us had to be very brave about trying new food because we don't find that very easy BUT we were very happily surprised! Here are some of the comments Endeavour made about the salads...

'It's good to try something new and I thought it was nice.'

'I wasn't sure about all the colours but it was crunchy and tasty too.'

'I've never had purple cabbage before and didn't think I wanted any but I actually liked it because it was crunchy.'

'The American Coleslaw looked good and it tasted good too!'

'I didn't think I would like the Apple & Celery salad but Clive said to leave the bits I didn't like and then the rest was lovely.'

Our favourite salads were American Coleslaw, Potato Salad and Rainbow Salad. We think that when Clive puts them on the menu everyone should try just a little bit because you might find something we like.

Year 5/6 Celebration table 15th May 2017 As a thank you for Year 5 pupils and for the end of SATs for Year 6 there will be a special celebration lunch for them on Monday in school. There will be no charge for this event.

Hilltop Residential Year 5 and 6 Further payments are required for this year's residential. The final instalment or total cost must be paid by 24th May 2017. There will be a parents' meeting on Monday 12th June 2017 at 2.30 p.m. to advise you of the final arrangements.

Afterschool Club This week the children have been on a bug hunt, enjoyed making mini obstacle courses and have been creative with making kites and windmills. Ms Vincent would like to say thank you to some of the older children who have been so supportive to the younger members in both their play and in setting out activities. If your child wishes to join the fun, please complete an afterschool club form which are available from Reception or our website.

Sainsbury's Active Kids Your vouchers were very much appreciated. The date for collection has now closed and we will be looking to "buy" from the list of resources soon.

Fidget Spinners and Toys Just a reminder that toys (including fidget spinners) are not allowed in school unless your child's teacher has asked them to bring something in to support their learning.

Payment Please ensure all payments into school are put into a clearly marked envelope with your child's name and any other information needed. Lunch money is due at the beginning of each week and Breakfast Club and After School Club monies should be booked and paid for in advance.

The Week Ahead KS 2 Sats Week