



Life in all its fullness

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Dear All

The last eighteen months have been particularly ‘challenging’! However, I am very proud of the way we have all worked together to ‘keep things going’ for our children. I know parents and grandparents have had so many disappointments during this time, but I would like to reassure you, that life in school for all our children has been settled and happy. We have all ‘missed out on’ so much, but we really have ‘made the best of it’ during this academic year. Our priority has always been putting children first throughout.

Whilst Monday 19th July has been dubbed ‘Freedom Day’, here in school we have to follow rules set down by the DFE and keep established routines in place as best we can. As such, we will remain in our ‘Bubbles’ indoors until the end of term and spend some time together outside when we can. Mask wearing at the end of the day remains in place please!

Sports’ Day on Tuesday 13th July 2021 was the first time the whole school had set eyes on each other since March 2020! With ‘Bubbles’, sitting on either side of the track it really was socially distanced!





Following Sports' Day, presentations were made. Gold, silver and bronze medals were presented to the winning athletes from each year group. The long distance run, throwing and jumping results, which took place last week, were added to the running, skipping and obstacle races, which took place on the actual day. A trophy was also presented to the winning athlete in YR-Y2 and Y3-Y6. Medals are for 'keeps' but the trophies must be returned for next year. We will send a reminder home next summer!

Sports' Day 2021 Results:

YR, Y2 and Y3 (Boys)

Gold: Jack Turner

Silver: Charlie Newbury

Bronze: George Connett

YR, Y2 and Y3 (Girls)

Gold: Thea Hack

Silver: Pearl Ford

Bronze: Anna Mingo and Iris Doe

Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 (Boys)

Gold: Rory Young

Silver: Freddie Fowle and Harry Marshall

Bronze: (Not presented as two silvers awarded)

Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 (Girls)

Gold: Lola Ford

Silver: Danielle Davies

Bronze; Maisie Curtis & Georgia Waters



Traditionally, other trophies are presented following Sports' Day and excitingly this year was no exception!

End of Academic Year Presentations:

Key Stage 1 Progress Cup: Anna Mingo and Oscar Wooler (for academic and all round progress).

Key Stage 2 Progress Cup: Joseph Rowland & Gracie Goody (for academic and all round progress).

Key Stage 2 Attainment Cup: Sienna Heath (for academic attainment and attainment in all subjects across the curriculum including art, P.E. and music).

Burnett Goodwill Cup: Beau Lancaster & Josh Mullins (for being good adverts for our school; reliable, friendly and able to treat everyone with respect and courtesy).

Smile Award: Emilia Bagshaw (for being a 'good advert' for our school; friendly and does her best to keep calm and carry on)

Music Award: Chloe Hunt (presented by Mrs Aylett for her excellent and sustained enthusiasm and valuable contributions to music lessons over time).

Bridson Good Sport Cup: Brandon Curto (presented by Mrs Bridson for being a very good all round sportsman, for helping others and being able to win and lose graciously... and all with a smile on his face).



Well done to PURPLE TEAM... the overall winners on Sports' Day!



HOODIES

You may notice that our Year 6 leavers are wearing 'hoodies' These have all been individually designed by each Year 6 pupil and look amazing. These may be worn from now until the end of term. Thank you to Mrs Bagshaw for organising these.



ROBIN CLASS SHOW: 'Reach for the Sky' was performed and videoed on WEDNESDAY 14TH JULY. This will be sent out to Robin Class families, as soon as we (Miss Smith) can edit it! Well done to Robin Class for working together to produce an excellent show. Thank you to all the staff who worked so hard to make this possible, particularly Miss Crook who has worked tirelessly, producing a show, doing extra duties and cleaning her classroom twice a day!



ICE CREAM PARTY will take place, in school time on WEDNESDAY 21.07.21. This is funded by the FOSS and is completely free to all. It involves playing music outside, dancing, chatting and eating ice cream. If you do not want your child to eat an ice-lolly or an ice cream on this day, please let the school office know by Tuesday 20.07.21.

LEAVERS' SERVICE: FRIDAY 23.07.21 AT 13:30.

A Leavers' Service is planned this year and will take place in the Church grounds. As it is outdoors, the Year 6 pupils can invite up to two guests (e.g. parents or grandparents). Due to C-19 restrictions, no other people may attend. Sorry!

Attendees are requested to bring a chair to sit on and to sit 1m apart from each family 'Bubble'.

After the Leavers' Service Year 6 will return to school and leave the school premises last of all. This will take place at about 15:10. Parents of Y6 pupils may wait on the playground for Y6 leavers. The staff wish to give them a send-off as they walk down the drive.

Currently the weather is looking promising so hopefully, all will go smoothly!

Next week... Please keep your eye out for a letter giving the details for next academic year.

If you have any opinions or thoughts regarding school routines for next year, please let me know!

Kindest regards

Kay Bridson