

Headteachers Message

Many thanks to all for such a super half term. I have been so impressed by just how much we have covered in 7 weeks. Thank you to all the children for working so hard and showing our school values every day. Thank you to all of our staff, governors and regular volunteers for their superb commitment and support to ensure that all of our children can shine. Thank you to all of our families for your fantastic support this half term. Have a wonderful half term all, see you on the 31st October.

ROBINS

Robin Class have been working exceptionally hard this week!

During maths this week we have been exploring the concept of greater than, less than and equal to. Reception have been working hard to identify the number of spots on a dice and dominos.

This week during Geography we have been learning about some of the features of a rainforest, the climate you might experience there, as well as the animals you might find there.

During PE we have had fun experiencing roleplay as mythical creatures, using different movements to express the different motions of fairies, unicorns and fire breathing dragons. The children were exceptionally good at stopping quickly and carefully.

WOODPECKERS

What a great end to the first half term! The children have all been working extremely hard across all subjects. In Maths, we have been working on adding three 1-digit numbers by using number bonds to 10 to help make our calculations easier. We looked at different animals who live in hot or cold places in Geography, looking at how they were adapted to suit their habitat. In Art, the class did some still life drawings of some soft toys, using different patterns to show texture using only a pencil!

I hope everyone has a lovely half term break and can I please ask that we continue to read daily throughout the week!

BARN OWLS

For the final week before half term Barn Owls have been doing their first lot of assessments for the year. They all did their very best - well done. We have also finished our science work on magnets and forces and our investigations into different climate zones on earth. We had our last session with Elliott from ITFC, our last BSL lesson and we completed our art focus on drawing skills with a picture of the Hippocrump using waxed crayons and brusho. Finally, we finished our letter writing based on our story 'The King of Fishes'. Well done all on achieving a great first half term in Barn Owls - we are looking forward to welcoming you back in a week's time.

GOLDEN EAGLES

This week in Golden Eagles we have spent a lot of time writing and finishing off our discussion texts. We also finished our guided reading books on Thursday, ready to start new ones next half term! We started some research posters all about wartime Britain and summed up our learning about light in science. I hope that everybody has a wonderful, restful week off and I look forward to seeing all of the Golden Eagles in a week!

CONGRATULATIONS

KINGFISHER READING WINGS WINNERS - WOODPECKERS!

MATHS MONTER WINNERS - WOODPECKERS!

CALENDAR

- 24/10 - 28/10 - Half Term
- 14/11 - Nasal Flu Immunisation Session
- 15/11 - Golden Eagles WW2 food afternoon
- 16/11 - Swimming Gala at Hobart
- 13/12 - Y6 NCMP Screening

REMINDERS

- Remembrance Poppies will be on sale from the school office when we return
- Please ensure your child brings a change of shoes, and a coat as the weather is getting cooler

ATTENDANCE

- Many thanks for your support with attendance. This week our whole school attendance figure was **97.01%**.

WHO'S WHO



Name Mr James
Role Barn Owls Class
Teacher & Maths Lead
teacher

Favourite Subjects: Maths/
History/ PE

Hobbies: Looking after my
chickens, dog and
vegetables - and riding my
bicycle.