



Self-belief, Determination and Courage

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Look - another exciting week of learning!



ADVENTURE LEARNING WEEK

All children in school fully participated in 'Adventure Learning Week'. The week was based around moving children's knowledge and understanding on around RSE (Relationships and Sex Education) and Drugs Education at an age-appropriate level. Online safety and physical health and well-being were also explored - with Sports Day and the KS2 Beach Hike used as moments of celebration. The children did a great job in being curious, asking questions and involving themselves throughout the week and the new learning continues to be built upon in Science, PSHE and Circle Time sessions. Year 5 also enjoyed a surf day experience which helped create such moments of joy; the way the children supported each other to be successful was fabulous. Following feedback from the children about Adventure Learning Week, we are already considering how we can make this experience even better next year.

MODERATION of TEACHING and LEARNING

Local authorities are required to externally moderate assessment judgments of 10% of all schools in their area for each primary phase. Unusually this year, we have been moderated in all three phases. I am delighted to share that each moderation visit was very successful, providing an important stamp of approval for our assessment practices across the school. I am very grateful indeed to our fantastic staff team who have worked incredibly hard to secure these outcomes. Well done all!

FUNDRAISING REQUEST

My name is Emilia . I'm nine years old and on the 26th of July I'm getting my hair cut for the Little Princess Trust. This is a charity that makes wigs out of human hair for children who have cancer. Please sponsor me and lets make wigs! Also thank you to Kitty and my mum for giving me the idea to do this. Thank you. Emilia.

SPORTS DAY AND FAMILY PICNIC



What a fabulous afternoon- the family picnics looked delicious and we managed to get through the afternoon before the wind really picked up! Thank you to everyone for making this a special day for our children and huge thanks to St Day Parish Council for sponsoring the event- providing certificates and prized medals.



While this was a great afternoon, we are already thinking of ways to make it even better next year. One suggestion is to have KS1 races before the family picnic and KS2 races after lunch. We are open to your suggestions, so please leave any feedback with the office staff. In school, our children are really good at leaving WWW (What Went Well) and EBI (Even Better if...) feedback. We like to hear the positives too!

CELEBRATING FEAST

Wow! Didn't our children look amazing! Having experienced my first Feast, I now understand why everyone loves this day. Thank you to all the families who supported us to get ready for the day and to Father Simon for leading a special assembly. I'm looking forward to many more!



HIKE AND PORTREATH BEACH DAY

An enjoyable five mile hike to the sea was a real achievement for many of our children. Well done everyone! After a safety talk with RNLI, everyone had the chance to jump in the sea. It was a great day made memorable by the appearance of a seal – another first for many children! We will do this again! Thank you parents for making it happen.

OPEN AFTERNOON – 'CELEBRATION OF LEARNING'

Thank you to all the families who made it into school last week. This event means so much to your children. If you were not able to make it, please pop in one day this week after school if you would like to look through your children's learning journey with them.

TRANSITIONS

Across the school, we have been trying out our new classrooms and teachers – everyone seems to be very happy! Our new Reception children are already experiencing life in our school with their third visit today and lunch! We are very excited for September. Our talented Yr 6 children have had their transition days at secondary school and are ready to 'fly'. We can't quite believe it! They gave a fantastic performance to their parents last Friday and we must congratulate them all on a great set of SATs results. Our final farewells are yet to come.

NEW APPOINTMENT- We welcome Miss Clark!

The Governing Body have made a successful class teacher appointment. Carly-Ann Clark will join the team as the Yr 5 teacher in September. The School Council played a big part in helping us reach this decision. Yr 4 children will have a transition day with Miss Clark before the end of term.

SPOT THE DIFFERENCE



Thank you to our gardening trio for giving the front of our school a much needed make-over. They were exhausted. And muddy. Much fun and new learning was had by all.

IMAGINATION STATION!



All classes have now had the wonderful opportunity to spend time using equipment from the Imagination Station. We have seen cars, trains, assault courses, tyre jungles and many more creations! The creative minds and team work shown has been amazing. Hopefully, more equipment is going to arrive from BIFFA recycling to add to our Imagination station...watch this space!



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR GOLDEN STARS

A special edition will follow next week to celebrate everyone
Thank you