



Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Our Current Value: RESPECT

## DIARY DATES

- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October**  
Closing date to return Parent Governor Ballot forms.
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> October**  
Year 5 overnight to Winmarleigh
- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> October**  
Scholastic Book Fair in School
- Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October**  
Parent's Evening
- Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October**  
Parent's Evening
- Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October**  
Y3 Class Assembly
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October**  
Finish for half-term

Our Pupil Parliament is now complete! Thank you to all children who stood for election and well done to those who were elected.

The membership is as follows...

PUPIL PARLIAMENT

CABINET (Miss Brown)						
YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Maia	Evie-Rae	Asiya	Charlie	Megan	Ben S	Lily J

CURRICULUM (Mrs Vaughan-Dyke)		COMMUNITY (Miss Clayton)		HEALTH + WELL-BEING (Miss Rigby/ Mr Harvie)	
YR	Y1	YR	Y1	YR	Y1
Zahne	Ben	Lily	Isolde	Elliot	Jorgie
Eleanor	William	Jemima	Eliza	Toby	Lucas M
Nell	Nell	Louis	Charlotte	Omar	Mason
Logan	Georg	Lily B		Vivian	

## THIS WEEK'S STAR AWARDS!



Huge congratulations to...

- YN** Eddison
- YR** Ethan and Jacob
- Y1** Amelia and Max
- Y2** Stanley and Noah
- Y3** Harry T and Isla
- Y4** Omar and Rahaf
- Y5** Macey ad Lucy S
- Y6** Harry and Matty

## SCHOOL SPORT



On Thursday morning some of our Y5/6 children entered the Kids Cup Competition at Play Football. They placed joint 1st alongside two other schools after winning 3 games and losing 1 but unfortunately missed out on goal difference. They did however go on to win their next 3 games and a penalty shootout - well done!

Our girls had their first football match of the year in the Dick Kerr Ladies Cup against Grimsargh St Michaels. They were all fantastic and gave a really good account of themselves despite playing against very strong opposition - well done girls!

## UPDATES AND REMINDERS

- TEMPEST SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS** Once we receive the printed samples from Tempest, order forms will be sent home.
- PARENT GOVERNOR ELECTION** Ballot papers have been issued for our current Parent Governor vacancy. On School Spider, there is an online form for you to vote. School Spider allows one vote per account. If you require a paper ballot form for an additional person with Parental Responsibility, please let us know and we will send one out to you.
- PRIMARY SCHOOL ADMISSIONS** The closing date for Primary School Admissions is 15<sup>th</sup> January. You can apply for a place [HERE](#).
- HIGH SCHOOL ADMISSIONS** The closing date for High School Admissions is October 31st. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to apply for a place.

# This week in EYFS and Key Stage 1



Pre-School

This week in Pre-School, we have been developing our gross motor skills through the help of our Squiggle While You Wiggle program. The children have been mark-making using a pencil in both hands to imitate the 'flipper-flapper' actions. The children have thoroughly enjoyed building their own obstacle courses this week using planks of wood, crates and tyres. They are becoming increasingly confident to complete the course independently. We have also been shape detectives this week and found some shapes in our outdoor area!

This week, we have been reading 'What Makes Me a Me?' The children have enjoyed exploring what makes them, them, including what makes them special and what is special about their friends. We have used mirrors to draw our features and have using our new phonics knowledge to write some initial sounds. In Maths, we have begun to explore Number 2 and add it to our Numberland Village. We have also been exploring our understanding of the world by looking at who makes up our family.

Reception Class



Year 1

This week in English, we created new story maps for the ending of Zog and started our final piece of writing. In Maths, we have been learning about length and height and using language such as longer and shorter to compare measures. In history, we learned more about the Great Fire of London and why the fire became so terrible. The children wore masks and wrote speech bubbles explaining why the fire was growing. We had a visit from the fire brigade. In their pairs, the children have started to make their Tudor houses which they will complete next week.

We had a fantastic visit to Helmsore Mill on Tuesday, where we learnt about what it was like to work in a Victorian cotton mill, we saw and heard the amazing machinery in action, made felt and handled actual objects used in the Victorian era. In English we have started writing a diary of the Jolly Postman's busy day. Our Maths this week has been focused on comparing the mass of different objects. In Science we planted a range of different bulbs and seeds and discussed what conditions they need to grow well.

Year 2



## This week in Key Stage 2



**Year 3**

In Year 3 this week we finished our gathering content phase and planned our new fables! We will write these next week. In maths we have used partitioning and number lines to add and subtract 2 digit numbers. We investigated the nutrition that animals need and further explored the diets of different animals (this also linked to our English research from last week). We found out all about tectonic plates in geography and used playdough to demonstrate the 3 different types of boundaries- convergent, divergent and transform.

We finished reading *The Firework Makers Daughter* this week and we've really enjoyed acting out some of the scenes to help us remember the story.

In Maths we've been measuring length.

In History we have learnt who the rulers were during the time of the 3 Ancient Civilizations we're studying, sung *Mamma Mia* in Music and had some fun with rulers (the other kind) in Science.

**Year 4**



Year 5 are very excited about PGL next week! We have been collecting research about the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings, comparing how life has changed to present day. This week, we have also been planning our initial ideas for our legends. After our lesson on mindfulness, I have been really proud of how the children have reflected on how their thoughts and feelings affect their mind-set.



**Year 5**

This week in English we have continued looking at *The Nowhere Emporium* and began to explore how we could come up with a similar story set in a magic shop. The children had some really creative ideas! Year 6 have looked at fractions in Maths and we've been learning how to add and subtract fractions using chocolate and pizzas as our frame of reference. Well done for a good week. We have learnt about World War 2 in History and in French so do ask your children to tell you what they know... in French.

**Year 6**



# Coach Gunn Autumn Half Term 2022 Multi Sports & Activity Days

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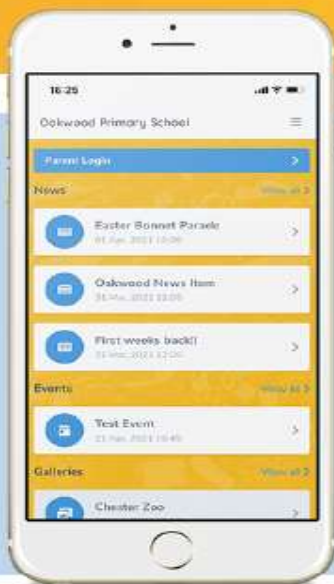
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