

Friday, 4 March 2022

Dear parents/carers,



**Congratulations to Orange Class for a weekly attendance of 99.2%** 

#### **Weekly Class Achievers**

On Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March, we will be celebrating the achievements of the following children for being this week's achievers.

Nursey & Reception		Years 1 & 2		Years 3 & 4		Years 5 & 6	
<u>Rainbow</u>	Ellie	<u>Yellow</u>	Kaine	<u>Verde</u>	Frazer	<u>Azul</u>	Amara
Red	Jessica	<u>Blue</u>	Aprillia	<u>Amarillo</u>	Ruben	<u>Morado</u>	Kian
<u>Green</u>	Josie	<u>Orange</u>	Fran	<u>Rosa</u>	Amber	<u>Rojo</u>	Jackson

I am sure you will join me in congratulating the children above on their amazing effort and success this week.

### **World Book Day**

Yesterday was World Book Day. All the children have had a great day dressed as their favourite book character. There were some amazing outfits, so well done to everyone who took part.



# **School Dinners**



On the 17<sup>th</sup> March, we will be holding a themed menu to celebrate St Patrick's day. Should your child wish to have a school dinner on this day, please order in the usual way by Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> March. Details of the menu can be found below.

#### **Parking – The Harrier**

Can we please remind parents and carers, that parking in the street called The Harrier is prohibited. This is a private road and **SHOULD NOT** be used for parking during school drop offs and pickups. The residents pay an additional maintenance charge and due to people parking where they shouldn't, they are now having to pay to have some grass replaced. If you have grandparents or other people that drop off and pick up on your behalf, can you please advise them that they should not park on this private road. Many thanks.





#### **Driving safely**



We have also had a number of complaints, about the way in which, parents, carers and relatives are driving on the approach to and from school. There was a near miss with a child this week, and we would ask that you are courteous to other road users, in particular to pedestrians. Please keep your speed to a minimum, especially when you can see there are children around. When parking on the main roads, please ensure pedestrians are able to see and can cross the road safely. This is (as you know) an ongoing problem around school. If we all just take our time and think of others when we are going about our daily school runs, everyone will be able to remain safe.

All any of us want, is for our children to get to and from school safely, and not potentially be in harm's way by dangerous driving.

# This Weeks Sports Report Girls Football

This week saw the long-awaited return of the girl's football team, they travelled away to take on another unbeaten team - Beardall Fields. The first half was a very tough battle in midfield, with the girls battling hard to get their passes through the Beardall defence. Unfortunately, despite hitting the post we couldn't quite make the breakthrough and it was 0-0 at half-time.

The second half began with Edgewood in the ascendancy after some calm passing and a willingness to work hard in defence. We eventually managed to break down the Beardall defence, scoring two fantastic goals to make the final score 2-0. This means we maintain our own 100% record.



Player of the Match was given to Freya by the opposition for her exceptional work ethic in midfield. Notable mentions also for: Juliana - making her debut in the team as well as Charlotte and Bella who were immense in defence.

### **Sports Hall Athletics**



On Wednesday, the Year 5/6 Sports Hall Athletics returned for the second half of their competition in the field events. After some huge throws in the javelin and chest push, and solid leaps in the triple and long jump, the children turned to the speed bounce. The team have worked tirelessly with Miss Bateman on this skill and as a result saw the whole team complete over 40 bounces in just 20 seconds! Their outstanding performance across both events has seen the team qualify for the district finals in tied first place.

The team will continue their practice sessions with Miss Bateman after-school each week ahead of the District Finals in April, where a place in the County Finals is at stake.

## **Most Active Classes - February**

A huge well done to Azul and Amarillo for being crowned the most active classes in February. Azul now sit at the top of the school leader board for being the most active class with a sporting prize up for grabs at the end of the year.



The current top 5 classes are below:

- 1. Azul
- 2. Rojo
- 3. Amarillo
- 4. Morado
- 5. Blue

#### **PE Values Awards**

Congratulations to the children below who have won the PE Values Awards.

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<u>21/2/2022</u>							
Self Belief		<u>Yellow</u>	Max	Rosa	Bella	<u>Rojo</u>	Lexi H
Red	Isla	<u>Orange</u>		<u>Amarillo</u>	Fraser	<u>Azul</u>	Skye
<u>Green</u>	George D	<u>Blue</u>	Harry &	<u>Verde</u>	Leo-Jake	<b>Morado</b>	Piper
			Nathan				













#### **Comic Relief**



We will once again be supporting this year's Comic Relief appeal on the 18<sup>th</sup> March. Children will be able to come to school in non-uniform for a donation to the appeal. We will send you the link to our just giving page on next week's newsletter.

### **Fancy Dress Costumes**

In Nursery, we are developing our role play resources and would be grateful for any donations of fancy dress costumes in sizes 4-5 or 5-6 years old. We currently have lots of superhero and princess costumes but would appreciate any other costumes you no longer use at home. Thank you in advance.



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