



Dear Parents and Carers,

The highlight of this week, for me, has been the MacMillan Coffee Morning which Miss Vigon organised on Wednesday. This was the first event to have taken place in over 18 months, where parents have been able to come into school and have an informal catch-up with staff, and with each other. It was fantastic to walk into our school hall and hear the chatter of our visitors, and to have more than just a quick 'hello' on the car park. I enjoyed showing some parents where their children's classrooms were, and it was great to show off our smart new hall floor and display screen! I am very much looking forward to our next coffee morning, which we hope to hold monthly, and I am keen to gradually reintroduce a range of events which parents can join us for, including Stay & Play and parent drop-in, and hopefully some of our church services later in the year. We will update you on our plans as soon as we can.

As a reminder, staff email addresses have now changed. As we have moved across to a different cross-Trust system, you can now contact the school office by emailing admin@low.mmat.co.uk. My email address is now deb.sadler@low.mmat.co.uk. Miss Williams' email address is charlotte.williams@low.mmat.co.uk. As you can see, you can email a member of staff by using their first and last name followed by @low.mmat.co.uk. As usual, you can continue to call the school office, and to keep in touch with class teachers via the message feature on Class Dojo.

Mrs Deborah Sadler
Headteacher



REMINDERS & NOTICES



Harvest Festival – Monday 27th September

This is just a reminder that our Harvest Festival is taking place on Monday. Donations of fruit, vegetables or tinned/packet foods are very welcome. ALL children (except nursery) will be taken to church, and to the church hall for harvest tea, between 1pm and 3pm, unless you specifically request that your child remains in school. Pick-up time will be as normal.

Reminder: Activity Zone Closure – Wednesday 29th September

This is due to essential safeguarding training which ALL staff must receive on a regular basis.

Well done to...

Seth and Evie, who have taken part in the Race for Life. They have been busy again raising money for the fantastic charity, Cancer Research.

Congratulations to **Finley B** too, who took part in a triathlon last weekend! This is the second one he has done, and this one involved running, cycling and then another run. What a great achievement!

We really enjoyed sharing these achievements in worship this week. If your child has any out-of-school achievements which they would like to share with us, please do let us know. It is great for children to celebrate things like this with their peers at school!

WORSHIP



This half term, in worship, we will be focusing on the Christian value of **hope**. Next week, however, we will be focusing on "**John the Baptist**" (**Matthew 3.13-17**). If children have any prayers, linked to this theme, that they would like to share during worship, they would be very welcome to do so.

CELEBRATION!



Happy Birthday to:

Kyle, Eli, Grace R and Miss Cavell, who celebrate their birthdays this week.



AWARD WINNERS

Congratulations to this week's **Headteacher Award winners**, who are:

Hummingbird Class: Grace and Darcie

Robin Class: Martha, Hugo and Eliza P

Skylark Class: Nieve, Kimi, Theo, Amelia and Olly S

Kingfisher Class: Lexi-Mai, Dorothy, Seth and Poppy E

Owl Class: Sam, Isaac, Thomas and Evie

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday 29th September – AZ closed for essential safeguarding training for all staff
Friday 8th October – Hello Yellow Day



Hello Yellow Day - Friday 8th October 2021

This year, we're taking part in Hello Yellow day. We're asking all year groups to come into school on Friday 8th October as brightly dressed as possible (wearing any yellow clothing or accessories), so together we can show young people they're not alone with their mental health. Children will take part in themed activities on the day and are asked to bring in a contribution of any amount to support this important cause.

