

Friday, 27th June

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, we were delighted to welcome the parents of children who will be moving up to Reception class in September. Families joined us for lunch and an afternoon of play, and it was truly heartwarming to see everyone enjoying the lovely atmosphere. The children had a wonderful time sharing their classroom and outdoor areas, and it was fantastic to see parents chatting and laughing. Thank you to everyone who came and to our fabulous EYFS team for organising it!

We also had a joyful Nursery Sports Day this week. The sun shone, the children ran, jumped, and giggled their way through the events, and the cheering from families made it all the more special. We even had some very good sports taking part in the parents' egg and spoon race! Thank you to everyone who came to support — your encouragement means so much to the children.

Next week marks an important step in our transition process. Our Year 6 pupils will be heading off to their new secondary schools — either Sir John Talbot's or Thomas Adams — for three days of exciting induction activities. We wish them all the best as they begin this next chapter and look forward to hearing all about it when they return.

For the rest of us, **Tuesday 1st July** will be our whole-school transition day. Children will spend time in their 'September' classrooms with their new classmates/teachers, helping them feel confident and comfortable ahead of September. It's always a day full of excitement and curiosity!

A quick reminder: If you haven't already, please submit your response regarding your child's plans for the Whole School Sleepover. We need to know whether your child will not be attending, attending from 6–9pm, or staying overnight. The deadline for responses is Wednesday 2nd July.

Here's the link: Sleepover form

Have a lovely weekend!

Helen Reynolds
Headteacher



CELEBRATION

Happy Birthday to:

Ava S, Alfie T, Pippa and Miss Lewis who had birthdays this week!



AWARD WINNERS

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

Harry, George, Theo, Lauren.

• 23rd July: Leavers Assembly



UPCOMING EVENTS

- **30**th **June:** Sports Day am: Robin and Skylark
- 2nd July: 11-4:15. Little Sticks Festival (KS2)
- 7th July: Sports Day pm: Kingfisher and Owl
- 10th July: Kingfisher trip to Weston Park
- 10th July: 3:30 and 5:30 Parent transition meetings
- 18th July: Friday Night Dinner (Y6 parents)
 21st July: Year 6 Leavers Trip
- 23rd July: Sleepover
 24th July: Break up for Summer holidays



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WORSHIP

This half term, we will be focussing on our Christian Value of FELLOWSHIP.



Our Bible story linked to this value is 'Esther was a Star'. Follow this link to hear the story read beautifully by Ava: <u>Esther was a Star</u>

Fellowship is about building strong, supportive relationships rooted in kindness, trust and shared purpose. In today's world, where division and isolation can often take hold, fellowship reminds us of the power of community. For children, learning about fellowship helps them value teamwork, empathy and inclusion - skills that are essential for creating a caring and connected society.



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