

Headteacher Awards

Wonderland Bailie
Oz Hayden
Hogwarts Nicole
Narnia Arsenii



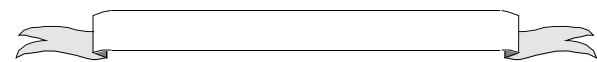
Pride Awards

Wonderland Harry
Oz Max
Hogwarts Lyra
Narnia Calum



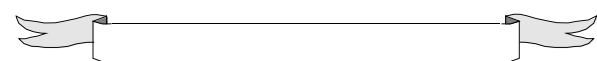
House Points

Lygon 443 Russell 417
Morris 432 Eadburgha 412



Attendance this week

Wonderland 97.7%
Oz 98.4%
Hogwarts 90.5%
Narnia 96.5%



Message from Mr Poultney:

I am pleased to be able to share the results of our annual Parent Questionnaire. The majority of our responses were completed at Parents' Evening and I'd like to thank all those that took the time to share their views.

We had a total of 24 responses with some very positive feedback about our school. If you feel like you need to add any further detail to any of your responses then please feel free to make contact via the office. The responses can be viewed at <https://shorturl.at/jKU06>

Next week is already looking like an exciting one, starting with NO PEN WEDNESDAY. As the name suggests, there will be no writing on this day. Instead, children will be encouraged to share their views in different ways through pictures or drama for instance. Children are encouraged to come dressed as their favourite word. On Thursday, we have a clay workshop arranged by the Broadway Arts Festival and on Friday children are welcome to dress in their own clothes (Black and Yellow themed) in return for a £1 donation towards The Dogs' Trust. They in turn will be visiting us the following week.

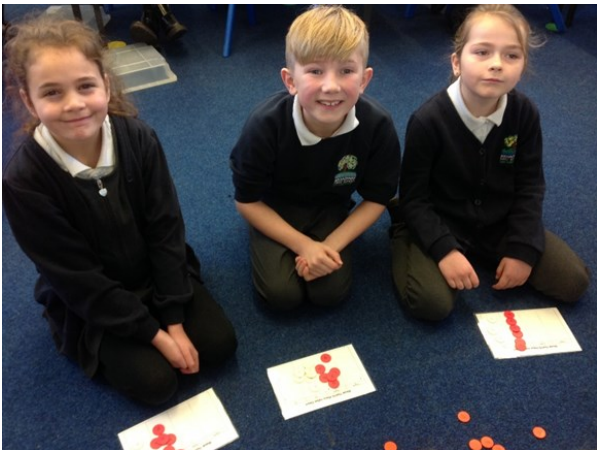
Have a super weekend and we'll see you on Monday.

Letters sent home this week

- No Pen Day
- Non-Uniform Day for The Dogs Trust
- Tag Rugby—Year 3 only
- Forest School for Year 5—email only
- Residential forms for Year 4 & 5

Narnia

This week, in English, Narnia Class have been writing diary entries from the perspective of Charles Darwin on his voyage to the Galapagos Islands; we discovered that it took him 4 years to get there and he even encountered an earthquake en route! We then did some virtual field-work using wildlife tracking websites and videos to discover which species on the islands are endangered. In Computing, we looked at what copyright means and whether content can be viewed or downloaded. In PE, we practised different types of passes in hockey and also our defending skills. What a busy week!

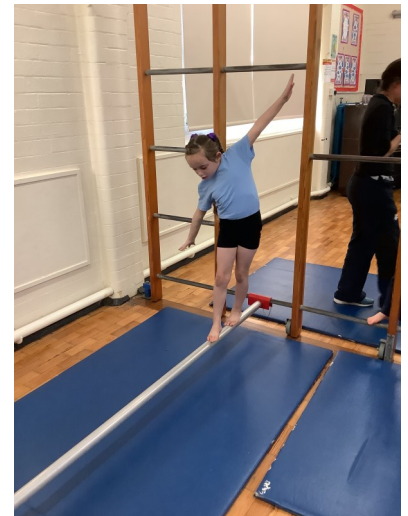


Hogwarts

This week, Hogwarts class have further developed their multiplication and division skills through multiplying and dividing 2-digit numbers by 1-digit numbers without an exchange, whilst Year 4 have been focussing on multiplying and dividing numbers by 10 and 100. In Computing, we explored writing algorithms that are more complex on Scratch, looking at how we can make a character move in different ways, but also change colour or size after a given command. Fantastic work, Hogwarts!

Oz

We have had a busy week of learning in Oz class. In topic, we learned about an explorer called Matthew Flinders, who was the first person to circumnavigate Australia. The children then compared Antarctica to Australia and spotted lots of differences in the photos. In Science, we learned about the human body parts and discussed the importance of the skeleton and our different organs. In PE, we had the chance to use the gymnastic bars and we used these to climb, balance and jump. Well done everyone!



Wonderland

This week we read the book, 'Pop-Up Gremlins', for Wise Up Wednesday, (our internet safety session), and we talked about what to do if we see a pop-up; STOP, CLOSE and TELL. We introduced our new cafe in the home corner role play where the children are taking turns to be a 'chef or a waiter', taking orders and prepping some simple rice cakes with butter, jam or cream cheese. We continued our Science learning about our sense of hearing and explored how we can change sounds using musical instruments. In Maths, the Reception children have developed their understanding of one more/one less than between consecutive numbers. Well done Wonderland Class.

Preschool

In Pre-school this week, we have been building our knowledge of shapes, focusing on circles and triangles. We have also enjoyed stories about crocodiles, the children found our song of the week, '5 Cheeky Monkeys Teasing Mr Crocodile' very funny and have created some great pictures in drawing club based on the story of Hansel and Gretel. A great week Preschool.



Next week:

Monday 22nd January

Tuesday 23rd January

Piano lessons PM

Table Tennis club week 2 with Ken Baker

Wednesday 24th January

Book & Biscuit Class 1 9.00 am

No Pen Wednesday– Dress to represent a word

Gymnastics—week 2 with KO Sports

Guitar lessons PM

Thursday 25th January

Friends meeting at 9.00 am

Broadway Arts Festival Clay Workshops throughout the day

Dodgeball for Key Stage 2—week 2 with KO Sports 3.15 pm

Friday 26th January

Non-Uniform Day for The Dogs Trust—minimum £1 donation. Black/ yellow theme

Forest School for Year 5 children—PM

Key Stage 1 Drama Club with Miss Boulton 3.15 pm

Dates for your diary:

Monday 5th February

Class 1 Assembly

Wednesday 7th February

Year 3 Tag Rugby at Bredon Hill Academy (some Year 4 may attend)

Wednesday 7th February

Valentine's Disco - Key Stage 1 4.30 pm—5.15 pm and Key Stage 2 5.30 pm—6.30 pm

Thursday 8th February

Class 2 Assembly

Friends Meeting

The next Friends meeting takes place at **9.00 am on Thursday 25th January** in school. We will planning the next event, the Valentine's Disco on **Wednesday 7th February** and bringing up new ideas regarding future events. Do come along if you are able to - light refreshments will be available.