



**Proud moments:**

**Acorn**

Acorn have had another amazing week. We have been exploring lots of different activities relating to the culture of Hinduism for our culture week and enjoyed a day trip to Lea Green.

Reggie for having lots of fun and getting involved with the activities on our trip.

Akayla for communicating with an adult when she wants a snack.

Maggie for her adventurous spirit, getting really high on the climbing wall on our Lea Green trip.

Otis for amazing engagement with the resonance boards.

George for being a brave boy when he felt unwell.

Shey for having a go on the climbing wall at Lea Green even though he was a bit apprehensive.

Eli for sitting beautifully on the bus to Lea Green.

Dauids for good listening and following adult instructions well.

Samuel for great exploration of the play park at Lea Green.

Kohan for taking himself to the toilet independently.

**Apple**

Teddy for coming into class straight away all week.

Joshua for exploring and taking part in all activities at Lea Green.

Sam for being a kind friend and giving his friend a teddy when they were crying.

Lavinia for lovely singing during circle time.

Ellie for working hard on her ILPS this week.

Haydn for engaging with his peer, passing him balls so they could roll the balls together on the water pipes.

Reggie for being adventurous and climbing on all the low ropes equipment at Lea green.

Riley for working hard on his MOVE targets, holding his head up for long periods of time.

Katie whilst at LEA green was a great friend, riding the two people bikes with her friends on.

Lola for doing good work in her standing equipment.

Neveah at Lea Green for going down the big slide independently.

**Willow**

AM - Engaging in teach boxes independently.

WS - Willingly trying new adventures and activities.

OG - Engaging in all three stages of attention autism.

TD - requesting items through symbols.

JB - Engaging in sensory Art beautifully and creating beautiful artwork.

JH - Interacting in sensory diet independently to self-regulate.

AD - Transitioning around school independently.

LC - Using an iPad independently to request biscuit independently for the first time.

**Beech**

The class walked beautifully to and from the cafe! Everyone has done some wonderful reading and really engaged in their own reading books.

Toni, our midday, would like to nominate Lucas for lunch time star for exploring and trying to eat some of his school dinner.

**Ash**

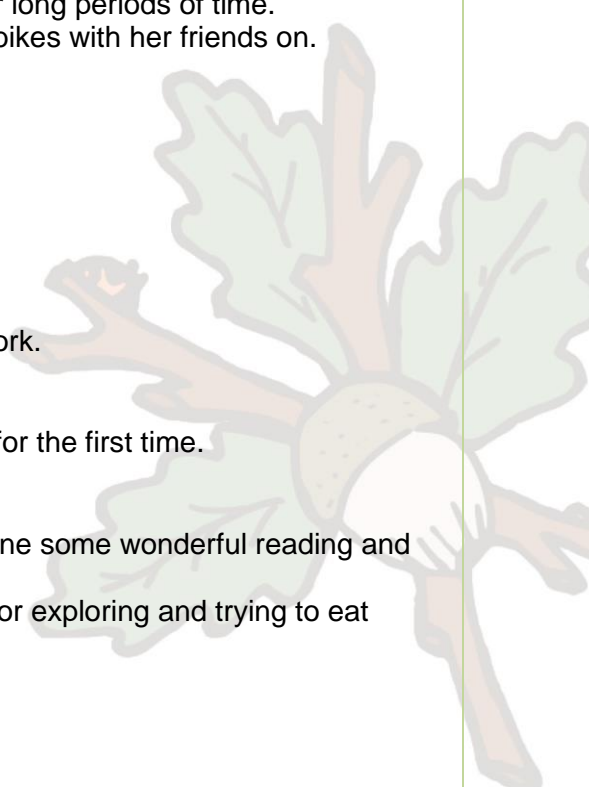
Paddy for jumping in at the swimming pool!

Sophie for her amazing writing during literacy lessons.

Will for participating so well at football club.

Oscar for wonderful counting during numeracy.

Kenny for remembering his joke so well.





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Miley for completing a 300-piece puzzle!  
Ilyess for finishing his clay model of Thomas and painting it so intricate.  
George for great PE, including balancing, catching & dancing.  
Llan for great practicing when writing his letter m.  
Parker for sitting so beautifully at the Harvest festival practice.  
Joshua for some great numeracy with his 1:1 correspondence task.  
Reece for working on his road safety when out in the community.

### **Juniper**

Ben, Logan and Seb for being amazing at Lea green, trying new activities and being sociable with peers from a different class.  
Edward for a great swim session, working on his physio plan.  
Jack for doing great work in Maths.  
Monty for great impudence skills at lunch time.  
Samuel for working hard learning English words.  
Spencer for a positive attitude and lovely smile all week!

### **Sycamore**

The whole class for a fabulous trip to Lea Green and really stepping up to the challenge, especially Elian for fantastic climbing and helping with the ropes.  
Max for being really brave climbing.  
Harry for great effort climbing the tower.  
Ruby for being super brave and having a go, and feeling proud of her efforts.  
Chelsea for super climbing and riding.  
Sarah for being a lovely friend sharing the buggies and helping with the ropes.  
B for great work helping with the ropes for their friends.  
Billy for overcoming his nerves to climb on the tower and great buggy riding.  
Faith for brilliant work with her friends and great climbing.  
Harvey for great work supporting his friends, sharing the buggies, doing the ropes and climbing so high.

### **Larch**

W.D - A great day on Tuesday completing his RSHE work on Medicine independently.  
AH - Using his imagination to write multiple stories, all of which have been shared with the class.  
PG - Using an oven for the very first time, ensuring it was the correct temperature and our Crumbles were placed neatly inside.  
LW: Listening really well to feedback and then using this to create some really good notes to support his work in RE.  
SP: Excellent drawing and painting of a cat in art, really demonstrating her artistic talent.  
DBR: For consistently engaging and being helpful throughout the day, including at snack time.  
BD: For always trying even though at times he wasn't feeling well.  
RH: For having a really good attitude towards swimming and being happy to be in the pool.  
LK: For having really good focus and concentration in art, ensuring he really took his time with his drawing.  
GK: For mixing our ingredients really well when making our crumble during cookery.  
CD: Really engaging during swimming and listening well to the adults around the pool.

### **Blossom**

RJ walked in his walker the whole length of the corridor.  
KR walked more around school this week.  
ZP for playing the piano.  
AW and KJ for playing the drums.



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### Holly

Faith has done some amazing engagement within sound bath and communicating her likes and dislikes within cookery.

Frankie has done some amazing turn taking and participation within PE playing the game Duck Duck Goose with her friends, she has also been using communication boards to communicate her needs to staff.

Amie communicated that she wanted to come out of her chair within PE, she independently got herself onto the mats and took off her own boots.

Jonathan for communicating needs well with staff and independently feeding himself at dinner.

Courtney for trying new things within cookery and expressing if she liked or disliked them.

Duncan for making lovely patterns using natural resources and paint in art.

Lara For following instructions at work experience and initiating turn taking within music.

Rebecca for being an amazing dog trainer for Rooney and for showing enthusiasm throughout the school day.

### Cherry

Kian was amazing during literacy choosing to act out Krabby as part of a performance.

Jake had a brilliant Sherborne and forest schools' sessions.

Ashleigh and Leo were both superstars during cherry cafe.

Lewis has been amazing using the toilet this week.

Sara has been really helpful and independent in cooking

Jessie has been trying really hard with her writing.

Cally has been making his friends smile by being kind.

### Oak

Kev for smashing his swimming ILP target and doing 30 lengths in the pool!

Kye and Hannah for working really hard in their physio swimming sessions and B for trying his best doing backstroke even though he found it a bit tricky.

Charlie for always offering to help out with a job, task or his peers.

Codie for always smiling and being a happy, loving member of Oak class and Logan for continuing to grow in confidence and for also being a lovely friend to everyone in the class.

Ryan and Rubie did an amazing job finding and buying the ingredients for cookery whilst out and about in the community.

Billy for always being kind and looking out for his friends.

Jamie for doing an amazing anime drawing in art, Jake for doing lots of brilliant drawings of chilli's and Jaydon for his amazing Dr Who drawings.

### Hazel

Hazel Class had a fabulous day at Lea Green this week and everyone who attended was able to try something they enjoyed.

LS, FS, DE and TO were absolute stars on the buggies, and AN and JM showed amazing determination on the climbing wall.

We all returned to school exhausted but in great spirits after having lots of fun.

We'd also like to thank Ruth, for organising us all beforehand, and a special thank you to Bill, School Governor, for supporting us on the trip!

### How can you help?

We are looking for donations of Terry's chocolate oranges- please send to the school office 😊

### Dates to remember:

**Harvest Festival Primary-** Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Oct- 2pm Parents welcome (*more info to follow*)

**Harvest Festival Secondary-**Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Oct- 2pm Parents welcome (*more info to follow*)

**Pupils break up for Oct half-** Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Oct 2022

**Pupils return to school-** Mon 31<sup>st</sup> Oct 2022





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**Halloween Disco-** Mon 31<sup>st</sup> Oct 2022 (2-3pm in school event, pupils are invited to bring in a costume to change into)

**Christmas Fayre-** Tues 6<sup>th</sup> Dec 2022

**Pupils break up for Christmas-** Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 2022

**INSET day-** Mon 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023

**Pupils return to school-** Tues 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023

