

ALFRETON PARK SCHOOL WE'RE CARING, WE'RE BRAVE, WE AIM HIGH

WEEKLY NEWS LETTER

Friday 5th May 2023

Proud moments:

Acorn

What a busy week in Acorn class. We enjoyed making some animal themed cupcakes in cookery, made some bunting for the king's coronation in art and enjoyed a class trip to the farm on Friday. Shout-outs for:

Reggie for working well with an adult on his cognition and learning ILP target.

Akayla for lovely play alongside a peer on the playground.

Maggie for a brilliant walk to the local cafe and sitting beautifully with her ice cream.

George for great communication at lunchtime, saying he wanted to go to the sensory room.

Davids for seeking out interactions with an adult with lots of smiling.

Shey for great walking on our nature walk.

Eli for fabulous persistence matching all the animals in an inset puzzle.

Otis for amazing enthusiasm during our Attention Autism session, approaching the singing duck to indicate that he wanted more.

Carson for his cheeky sense of humour, playing chase and peek-a-boo with an adult.

Kohan for beautiful communication during Attention Autism, indicating both when he did and didn't want a turn.

Fantastic work little Acorns!

Apple

K - for being kind and considerate to others. K has been helpful and supportive to her friends during times of need.

Reggie - wonderful counting in Maths and lovely focus in all lessons this week.

Riley - showing determination when moving through his different equipment to meet his physical goals.

William - lovely engagement in RSHE, Maths and our sensory story this week.

Haydn - showing determination in Literacy when matching characters from the story.

Lola - working hard on Phonics linked to her ILP targets. She is doing amazingly with her Set 1 sounds.

Nevaeh - excellent work in Literacy, matching pictures from the story and developing her pencil control skills.

Sam - amazing engagement during Attention Autism this week!

Teddy - excellent work in Literacy, matching pictures from our sensory story!

Willow

OG - producing great work mark making independently over letters,

- JH talking in full sentences.
- LB reading with an adult beautifully.

TD - engaging in activities independently.

A - using a bike independently and passing helmet to an adult.

JB - using his new chew beautifully and self-regulating really well.

WS - anticipating home time really well and controlling emotions.

LC - enjoying reading with an adult.

OD - signing more consistently for different activities and motivating items.

Beech

Beech class have had a lovely week celebrating the Kings coronation B 👑 We have all been superstars and coped really well with changes with staff. 😌 🚖

OG- has been absolutely amazing accepting wearing her feed in her backpack! She is our star this week!



RTC- for lovely interaction during attention autism.

CB - for making his own snack!

LBB - being brave during messy play.

TN - for sitting beautifully during a full session of sound bath!

TD - sitting wonderfully during attention autism!

Well done beeches 🌲

Ash

Kenny for great use of money during role play café.

Sophie for her understanding of the different religions around the world.

Paddy for being so amazing in forest schools and singing around the fire.

George for his wonderful numeracy skills especially finding the odd one out.

Llan for his great enthusiasm when singing & signing.

Oscar for working so hard on his phonics.

Will for producing some super work on his likes and dislikes.

Reece for being so proactive and independent during forest schools.

Parker for following instructions so well.

Ilyess for his great writing during the phonic session.

Ellie for trying so hard to correctly pronounce the 'th' sound.

Joshua for his wonderful jumping during PE.

Juniper

Ben for communicating about what he is finding difficult using his talker.

Daniel for showing great enthusiasm in cookery.

Ed for showing amazing resilience this week.

Jack for some lovely talking.

Logan for being positive and friendly to everyone around school.

Monty for following instructions well at the pool.

Seb for showing increasing confidence at the pool.

Sam for communicating his needs when feeling unwell.

Sycamore

B for super times tables work.

Elian for great work with a partner this week.

Billy for being super brave and being really sensible to help plan how to stay safe.

Max for great effort labelling a clock face.

Ruby for great enthusiasm in maths and brilliant work.

Rosie for brilliant walking Hugo.

Chelsea for great effort in PE with tennis skills.

Sarah for fantastic catching in PE.

Faith for fabulous times tables work.

Harvey for great science work with the interviewee teacher.

Harry for such a wonderful sunny disposition this week.

Larch

CD- For having a great first day back at school.

SP- For great researching of costs of items and budgeting.

BD- For regulating his emotions using his sensory circuit.

WD- For great work on recognising coins and adding money.

LK- For swimming lots of lengths in the deep end.

AH- Moving up swimming group and swimming the deep end for the first time!

LW+PG+GK+DBR- For bringing home a first-place podium finish in the championship Boccia! tournament!



Blossom

Blossom class have had a lovely week this week. We really enjoyed having our coronation party. We also did lots of amazing positive looking this week too.

Asher- Get work on the interactive white board finding the pictures and pressing them.

Ivy- For lovely standing.

JAE- For doing so well in his physio swim.

Killian- Great cruising around the table and using the 'more' sound button.

Kaitlyn- For accepting new staff into class and interacting with them.

RB- Well done for accessing your equipment.

Zuzanna- Amazing use of equipment.

Holly

Amie has been really polite to staff and pupils at dinner time.

Frankie For engaging really well in attention autism identifying the colours.

Liam for following direction really well this week.

Jonathan has been following instruction well at home time, being independent with collecting belongings.

Duncan has been really happy all week, communication with peers.

Courtney and Rebecca have done some lovely independent group work this week.

Faith was repeating words within the story when we had a class story.

Lara has introduced herself appropriately to new people around school.

Cherry

We are incredibly proud of the whole of Cherry Class this week, who have adjusted so well to have a new teacher.

Victoria has been made to feel incredibly welcome, and is very excited to be working with such a fabulous class for the remainder of the year.

Oak

Kye- for great engagement, as well as writing and reading when completing a job application during careers.

B.- for some great work when telling the time at both quarter -past and quarter-too.

Logan- for excellent engagement and counting skills during our parent-child gardening session with Matt.

Billy- for some amazing swimming and smashing his target out the water.

Jaydon-for some excellent listening and engagement when out on our bowls trip, including some amazing rolls.

Ryan- for some excellent enthusiasm and painting when working on our coronation activities. Sara- for developing her communication skills by asking different friends to work with her during our bowls trip.

Hannah- for some excellent work when recognising and adding coins.

Kevin- for great painting and drawing when working on our coronation activities

Codie- for working really hard and showing great enthusiasm during work experience in the café.

Rubie-for some excellent assistance and help when supporting Matt in the Horticulture area. Charlie- for some excellent thinking and writing when completing a job application during careers. Jake- for some excellent work learning how to play bowls with his friends in a new environment.

Hazel

We have had another great week and we have been making the most of the Special mentions this week to:

Jessica and A for great cooking and finding different items around the kitchen.

Nathan for great signing and saying 'finish' when he is ready to move to another activity. Jake for lovely walking and getting in his chair as independently as he could.



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How can you help?

Dates to remember:

Coronation Bank Holiday- Monday 8th May 2023 Official Opening Ceremony- Friday 19th May 2023 form 10.30am onwards.

Pupils break up for half term- Fri 26th May 2023 Pupils return to school- Mon 5th June 2023

INSET Day- Monday 26th June 2023

Break up for Summer- Friday 21st July 2023 INSET Days- Monday 4th & Tuesday 5th September 2023 Pupils return to school- Wednesday 6th September 2023

