

### ALFRETON PARK SCHOOL

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# **WEEKLY NEWS LETTER**

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2024

#### **Proud moments:**

#### Acorn

We've had a fabulous week in Acorn class! Shout-outs to:

Reggie for being very brave jumping into the pool with lots of adult support at swimming Avis for great concentration and tracking of the white shredded paper to make a 'snow' effect in

Literacy

Carson for super communication of what toys he wants from the cupboard

Violet for beautiful smiles and engagement during a Dough Disco session

Eddie for brilliant engagement with our dinner time routine, taking his plate up and choosing his pudding

George for fantastic engagement with Attention Autism, asking to have a turn in stage 3

William for working hard on his independence skills, supporting lots to dress himself at swimming Bradley for a great session at lunchtime choir

Tommy for super choice making, telling an adult which activity he would like to do during lessons. Well done Acorn class ©

## **Apple**

Eli for amazing self-regulation knowing when you needed to bounce.

Jayden for walking nicely to the pool and positive interactions with others in the pool.

LBB for showing your prior learning from last week when using the Bee Bots.

Henri and Riley for brilliant archery at Lea Green.

Sam for using a wider range of play items during free times.

Shey for tolerating his jumper being taken off.

Teddy For brilliant independence skills, sweeping up after your breakfast.

#### Willow

Lavinia for excellent work in Art with Treg.

AB for beautiful focus in Music with Ed whilst playing the piano.

Ben for following instructions well in Music with Ed.

Jared for positive interactions with his peers during play time.

Ardian for working hard on his communication and interaction ILP using his communication aid.

Reggie for independently accessing the Phonics working wall in class and practising his sounds.

Maggie for following instructions to complete an activity in Maths.

Samuel for lovely work with a peer in English.

Oliver for excellent work on his Phonics reading the picture cards and saying the words.

#### Beech

Y - super forest school session engaging with all activities and making a fabulous band.

OU - matching two symbols.

AD - following instructions.

WS - using communication aid to express wants and needs.

TD - listening to instructions the first time.

OGG - engaging beautifully during maths.

CB - amazing engagement during one-to-one reading.

LC - super engagement during focused activities.

DL - reading one to one with an adult turning all the pages and pointing to different pictures when asked by an adult.

#### Ash

Ellie - showing great improvement in her letter formation when writing her name.

George - having some lovely, positive days at school after finding a few things tricky recently.



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Ilyess - having a lovely, caring attitude towards peers in his class and encouraging them to make good choices.

Joshua - completing some super subtraction work in Maths this week.

Kenny - showing an improved mood and social interactions with peers.

Llan - great pivoting skills in PE this week and modelling this to his peers with confidence.

Haydn - listening to instructions to chop food safely when feeding the guinea pigs.

Oscar - super coding work in computing and being proud of himself for this.

Parker - some super Phonics work, matching letters and knowing the pictures that link to the letters when asked.

Reece - building his independence in self-care skills when going to the toilet.

Will - trying hard to put his hand up to show adults he wants attention rather than shouting to them.

Willow - great independent work in maths in our first subtraction focussed lesson.

# Juniper

Everyone who visited the community for the GJ's trade day, we had a blast! NW for wonderful matching in numeracy.

## Sycamore

Sarah for really good helping and listening.

Ben for some fab swimming on his front.

Ruby for helping out with the IT

#### Larch

CD- for exploring new food textures.

LP- great example of consequence of actions.

GK- doing well in netball.

RM- enjoyed working in a different class and did really well.

SP- presented really nice art work that she completed in class.

PG- amazing literacy skills in writing a Harry Potter paragraph.

LK- being really grown up and a role model.

HLW- good understanding of choices and consequences in RSHE.

WD- engaging throughout the week in all lessons.

SB- really lovely posters for the farmer's market.

PL- participation in netball and good scoring.

HV- completed 5 common exception words.

#### **Blossom**

Blossom class have had a fabulous shorten week. We've enjoyed two swims this week and a class trip to Lea green! We've got some good archers in blossom! We hit the centre a few times too . We've had a wonderful art session with Treg. Art work should come home this week, we worked on making choices of shapes and paint colours to create our collage of shapes. Well, done all!!! Asher- Brilliant focus and reaching when using the lever in archery.

Harry-Great walking this week! Keep up the good work.

Ivy- lovely interaction with staff this week your focus when staff are talking to you is brilliant ...

J- lovely smiles when lifting your head up to look at staff and pupils. 😊

Killian- brilliant cruising to get what you wanted, when you want it there is no stopping you!

Teddy- amazing swimming managing to move yourself through the water!!!

R- Brilliant work on the eye gaze and rebound! You are working so hard, keep it up!

# Holly

Lovely playing together and taking turns with the skittles.

Jessie for walking round really straight with and without 'Wendy Walker' and kicking the football.



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# Cherry

A has increased her independence this week at both snack and lunch time.

All of cherry class were fantastic at Lea Green particularly archery.

Courtney has asked her friends to play this week.

Daniel has been good at expressing his emotions this week.

Nathan did lots of our cookery this week and engaged in art well.

#### Oak

Logan for some excellent work on his new ILP targets throughout the week!

Dan for some excellent discussion during our social skills session, including discussing with friends some personal and mature topics!

Billy T for some excellent work during his orchestra sessions continuing to improve his playing ability! Jaydon for some excellent work when making and cooking himself an omelette from scratch!

Ryan for some excellent work during his weekly swimming session at the leisure centre! Elian for some great work during our literacy session on recognising the months of the year!

Alfie for some great effort during his swimming session including swimming multiple lengths without stopping.

B for some excellent work during our outdoor session with the Adventure Services Ltd including putting logs on the fire!

Bethany for some excellent work during our literacy session in which we have been focusing on the months of the year!

Charlie for some excellent work during our numeracy session on counting, showing super enthusiasm and encouragement during our team game.

Ruby for some excellent listening and effort during her first swimming session at the leisure centre! Hannah for some fantastic work and for continuing to thrive whilst on work experience at a local cafe.

We have had a great week in hazel and have really made the most of getting outside while the weather has been so good. Lots of proud moments this week from our outdoor activities:

Amie - for tasing kebabs in Forest Schools.

Cally - great at delivering messages to other classrooms.

Faith - super mud painting.

George - wonderful swimming.

Jonathan - really hard work with the physio.

Lewis - great work at making compost in Forest Schools.

Liam - brilliant waiting for snack.

Max - such wonderful engagement in Forest Schools.

Rebecca - for making delicious fruit kebabs.

# How can you help?

### Dates to remember:

Fri 24th May 24- Break up day

Mon 27th May- Fri 31st May 24- Half term

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> June 24- School re-opens to pupils

Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> June- 9.30-11.30am- Farmers Market

Tues 16th July- 1.30-3.30pm- Friends Summer Favre

Fri 19th July 24 @ 1.30pm- Break up day

Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> & Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> July 24- INSET Days

