



WEEKLY NEWS LETTER

Friday 15th November 24

Proud moments:

Acorn

What a busy week we have had in Acorn class. Shout-outs to:

Reggie for fantastic communication, getting a handful of white shredded paper and handing it to an adult to communicate that he wanted them to sprinkle it.

Avis for super work on her fine motor skills in art, squeezing the pipette.

Bradley for being very independent, walking to the different rooms in school without holding an adult's hand.

Lexi for an amazing copy box session, playing with and sharing items with an adult.

P for brilliant musicality, drumming along to a song in the music room.

William for lovely enthusiasm for Dough Disco, walking over to an adult and holding his hand out to show he wanted some dough.

Niamh for brilliant engagement with the shaving foam, using it to make marks.

Harry for fabulous work in PE, kicking a ball into a goal.

Carson for fantastic engagement with row, row your boat with an adult.

Violet for choosing between her favourite toys.

Super work Acorn class!

Apple

L - more confident and independent during personal care.

George - excellent counting in Maths, showing great focus when counting objects and putting them in a basket.

Kohan - lovely exploration of programming the Beebot to make it move forwards, backwards and turn.

Teddy D - a lovely positive visit to Alfreton Library, sharing books with peers.

Henri - showing more confidence to say the Phonics sound we are learning and the rhyme to go with it.

Yanis - recognised the 'scared' feeling when watching a remembrance video.

Shey - super counting, recognising which number to choose next in order and finding it in a group of numbers.

Teddy C - recognising where was best for him to sit in the classroom to help stay regulated, when we had to have dinner in our classrooms on Thursday.

Dauids - lovely engagement in our sensory story - he loved being under the blanket for a dark tunnel.

Willow

Another amazing week for Willow class, all of us have worked hard on our communication and dealt well with some changes in class.

Eddie - beautiful writing in English.

Ardian - amazing dancing in PE.

Jared - engagement in maths with just one instruction.

Maggie - independent swimming, a whole length of the pool on her back.

Eli - beautiful engagement in write dance, making marks independently.

Elliot - settling in so well to his new school and engaging in lessons - our star of the week!

A - sat wonderfully for attention autism.

Sam - a lovely English lesson creating his own train.

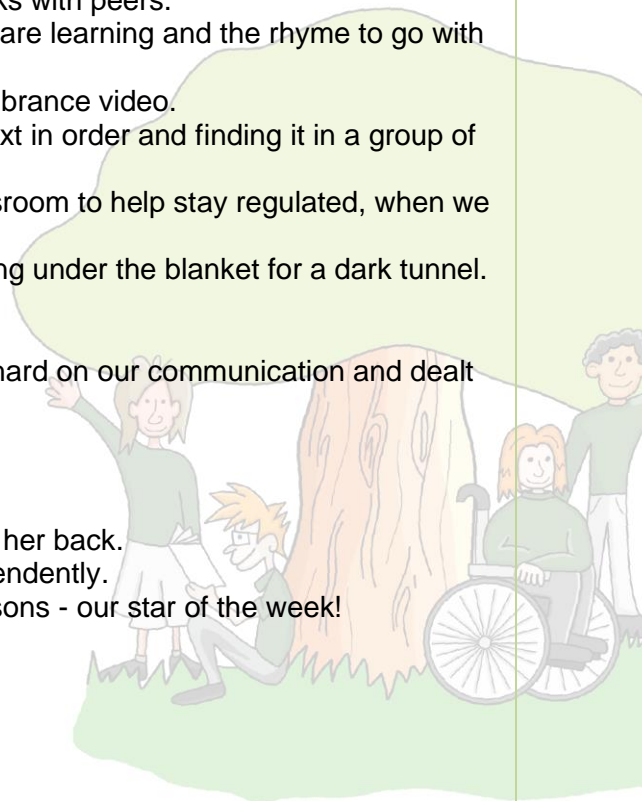
Charlie - engaging in PE really well.

Beech

Samuel - taking to peers beautifully.

William - forming the letter g this week.

Lucian - super engagement during PE.





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Harrison - amazing maths work using prepositional language.

Benjamin - trying new food during cooking.

Lavinia - remembering key vocab from the story.

Oliver - calming really well during focused time.

J - spelling story words.

Joshua - using his words beautifully in a new class.

Ash

Ilyess for remembering that the year 1919 was significant to the poppy.

Will for engaging so well during music & keeping to a beat.

Llan for being so creative during a writing session about a poppy.

Billy for his work thinking about special people to him.

Haydn working so well during ICT and creating his poppy picture.

Parker for telling differences between odd socks.

Willow for her great work during RE and describing why her friends in class are special to her.

Tommy for participating so positively during a forest schools' session.

Reggie for keeping to beat during music when tapping the drumsticks together.

Reece for being so helpful when tidying up & always offering to help with jobs.

Oscar for wonderful picture of a poppy using finger paint.

Juniper

TD for great listening skills in rebound.

DR for fantastic walking in the pool all week.

KB for fantastic work and engagement in forest school.

OU for brilliant engagement in lots of lessons across the week.

NW for amazing interaction work.

RJ for amazing work settling back into work routines.

SH for lovely engagement and observation in English.

RTC for good dance moves during break.

AD for lovely engagement in TACPAC.

OG for a fantastic swim session.

Sycamore

Bertie - for taking part in Attention Autism (RSHE) improved focus and engagement.

Ed - for working on his TEACCH boxes instead of heading straight to the bookshelf.

Ellie - for lovely customer service at the Deer shack.

Jack - for sharing a game with his peers.

Lola - for taking turns with a peers during a game.

Ruby - for writing her name so beautifully.

Seb - for taking orders at the Deer shack.

Spencer - for sharing and taking turns.

Ben - for working so hard in PE.

Larch

HLW- Being a great role model during fire evacuation helping other pupils.

SP- Recognising that it is respectful to remove your hat at the war memorial during the minute silence.

CD- Recognising sources of light in science.

GK- Engaging in a dance routine in PE.

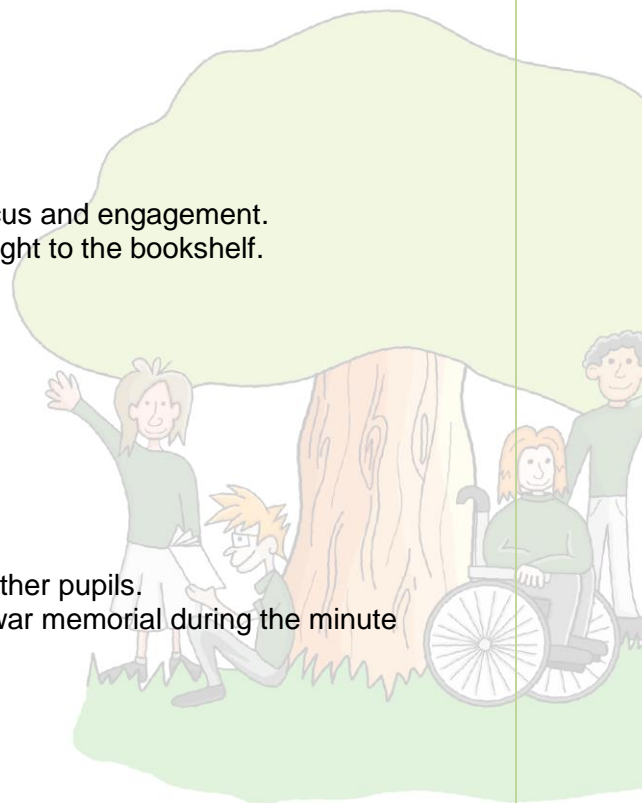
KH+ RM- Making an amazing sculpture in Art.

PL- Brilliant counting and sorting of money.

JH- Amazing trip to Gullivers.

LP- Understanding how the moon affects the sea.

GR- Being really grown-up when the fire alarm went off.





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WD- Great horticulture with matt

SB-Working hard on time, days and months.

HT- Great retelling of our story and describing why we don't get light from the moon.

Blossom

Asher for great communication using his iPad.

Ivy for swimming on her tummy.

Killian for standing independently.

J for lovely interactions with staff.

Harry for amazing walking in gate trainer.

Teddy for brilliant standing.

L for good communication with Joe in the pool.

R for brilliant engagement doing TACPAC on rebound.

Holly

Billy- being kind of and helpful to his peers.

Sara for mashing the potatoes for enterprise.

Ella for signing hello without prompting.

Jessie for great work in phonics.

Faith for an amazing Christmas card design.

Rosie- for teaching staff how to work on the deer shack.

Lara for working hard in physio club.

Leo, Harry, Sarah and Frankie for great swimming.

Kian for making the best cup of tea.

Chelsea for great signing.

Max for scoring goals and playing nicely with friends.

Cherry

Cherry have had a lovely week this week, we enjoyed doing the remembrance assembly for the informal, pre-formal and semiformal classes on Monday. loved odd sock day and film morning. We had a great swim Tuesday afternoon working on our splash award. We had a great art lesson with Treg working towards making our own sculptures.

Amy-Brilliant work in horticulture helping Matt plant some tulips.

Courtney- Great work using your talker to tell us what you wanted for snack.

Dan and Jessica- Great work when working on our splash award.

Jake- Brilliant walking in your walker to the sports hall, it's a long way.

Nathan- lovely signing for items you wanted.

Liam- Brilliant work and smiles in our dance topic in PE.

Sharissa- Completing brilliant sit to stands in class and in around school.

Oak

Ashleigh for some great serving of drinks and snacks to all her school peers during our Children in Need disco.

Dan for delivering 2 great Children in Need activity sessions to both Holly and Hazel class.

Elian for some super work during our Maths session, focusing on the part-whole model!

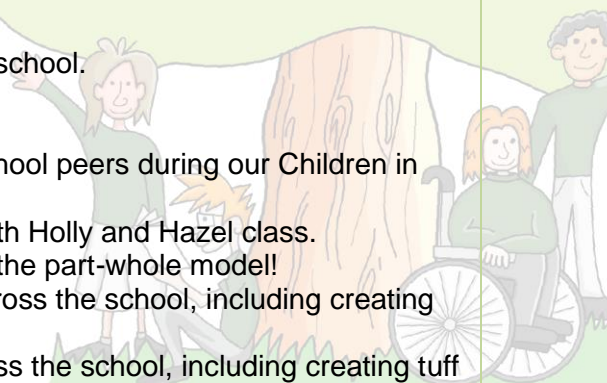
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Pete for showing super presentation skills when delivering Children in Need activities to both Hazel and Holly class.

Jaydon for some great skills whilst out in the community, including reading aisle signs to locate specific items in a shop.

Beth for showing excellent support skills, when assisting a peer to complete a Maths activity.





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Lucas for some fantastic work throughout the week completing our Morning Challenges, featuring a range of riddles, as well as Maths and English questions.

Ruby for showing great persistence and customer service when selling her homemade bracelets for Children in Need.

Billy for delivering 2 excellent activity sessions to both Holly and Hazel class as part of our Children in Need Day.

B., for some excellent English work on our new short story 'The Boy Who Tricked A Troll', including thinking of 5 adjectives.

B., for some great work during our PE session focusing on football especially our passing skills.

Charlie for some excellent inference skills during our English session.

Jake for some excellent work whilst out in the community, including locating shampoo bottles, as well as the price of magazines.

Hazel

Cally - Great signing during morning routine.

Faith - Taking turns in Forest Schools with prompts.

F - Lovely first swim in school.

J - using his AAC device to communicate choices.

Lewis - Amazing talking in weekend news.

Logan - Great Sherborne session.

Renesmai - Lovely first week in her new class.

Monty - Engaged really well with children in need activities.

Samuel - Lovely manners asking for a drink.

How can you help?

Dates to remember:

Thurs 12th Dec- Christmas Jumper Day

Tues 17th Dec- 1.30-3.00pm- Friends Christmas Fayre

Wed 18th Dec- Christmas Dinner Day

Thurs 19th Dec- Christmas Concerts (*further details will follow closer to the time*)

Mon 23rd Dec- Fri 3rd Jan- Christmas holidays

Mon 6th Jan- INSET Day

