

ALFRETON PARK SCHOOL

WE'RE CARING, WE'RE BRAVE, WE AIM HIGH

WEEKLY NEWS LETTER

Friday 9th May 2025

Proud moments:

Acorn

Acorn class have had a brilliant week, we particularly enjoyed our trip to Lea Green. Shout-outs to: Reggie for being an absolute superstar at Lea Green, exploring the soft play environment independently

Bradley for being brave and trying new activities at Lea Green, he particularly enjoyed the buggies Lexi for fantastic enthusiasm during parachute games

P for working hard to put her things away when she arrives into school

Harry for transitioning beautifully from one activity to the other on our Lea Green trip

William for amazing listening when given simple instructions from an adult

Niamh for super communication with the adults, signing for more when on the see saw

Violet for brilliant interaction when on the swings at Lea Green

Carson for having a fantastic time in his THRIVE sessions

Avis for getting stuck into our swim session, exploring the shallow end of the pool Super work Acorn class!

Apple

All of Apple Class demonstrated their bravery at Lea Green this week and we had such a great day together!

Willow

Jared - Being so brave at Lea Green on the climbing tower.

Ardian - Using more signing to communicate.

Maggie - Getting all the way to the top of the climbing tower and back down again at Lea Green.

Elliot - A wonderful first time at Lea Green.

Eli - Lovely interactions with your peers.

A - Amazing matching in English.

Olek - Being so brave on the climbing tower at Lea Green.

Sam - Building beautiful relationships with your peers.

Eddie - Talking in full sentences independently.

Charlie - Being brave and trying new things at Lea Green.

Beech

Samuel - saying a full sentence with no prompt

William - playing with peers beautifully in the soft play

Lucian - being super brave at Lea green and climbing the tower

Harrison - amazing English work, describing the savannah

Benjamin - calming quickly when becoming overstimulated

Lavinia - fantastic phonics work, reading new words using Fred talk read the word

Oliver - being super brave at Lea green

J - amazing

Joshua - being super brave and climbing the high ropes at Lea green

Tommy - amazing English work drawing pictures to describe the savannah

Ash

Haydn for some super jumping during our warm up in PE.

Reggie for interacting so wonderfully with a peer during play offering them ice creams.

Willow for super science work, identifying and discussing how to make ice and how we could melt it.

Will for great work during science when discussing solids & liquids linked to water & ice.

Parker for engaging so well during our RSHE lesson and being brave when trying different foods.

Llan for aiming high during our PE lesson, when attempting to hit the ball during cricket.



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Oscar for being so brave walking down to see the Flying Scotsman train and counting all his favourite transport along the way.

Reece for demonstrating how caring he is whilst walking all the way to South Wingfield station. Billy for interacting so positively with his Dad during the gardening session.

Juniper

DR - working really hard swimming on his front and back.

RJ - lovely rolling on the peanut ball.

KB - Accepting changes and using good coping strategies.

TD - being really helpful tidying and organising the classroom.

RTC - participating in dough disco.

OU - following instructions well.

OG - Using various resources independently for VE Day painting.

SH - engaging beautifully in Attention Autism.

NW - lovely participation during dough disco working on her fine motor skills.

Sycamore

Bertie- for recognising and naming different angles in maths

Ben- for braving the high swing at Lea green

Ed- good independent walking in the pool

Ellie- Fantastic balancing on the high beam at Lea green

Jack- Braving the high swing at Lea green

Lola amazing singing in class and choir

Ruby- recalling and remembering previous learning in RSHE

Seb- for using his AAC and using Makaton when answering questions

Spencer- for making boats in design and technology using a range of resources

Blossom

Harry -for amazing walking this week in his walker and for great pulling himself up from sitting to standing to access his walker.

Asher- For beautiful tracking the float (iceberg) in the pool and pushing it back to his friend several times

R-For super reaching and pushing the ball in rebound and also great exploring the foil ball and paint with his feet in art

Ivy- For great interaction and good looking at her peers in the pool

Killian - For super exploring the cause and effect on the interactive whiteboard

Teddy- For really good swimming and putting his legs down and taking a few steps in the pool.

L- For engaging so well in art and moving the ball and feeling the paint/textures with her feet.

J- For great head control this week whilst in the pool on his front and when sat on the peanut ball

Holly

Ella for making her own cups of tea with adult support.

Kian for being amazing at answering questions about VE day.

Frankie, Leo, Jessie, Ella, Sarah. Max, Faith, Sara, Harry, Kian and Jessie for being brave and trying really hard on the climbing tower.

Everyone for a lovely trip to Lea Green, being brilliant friends supporting each other. We are so proud of you.

Cherry

Cherry class have had a great week this week. We've enjoyed our class swim on Tuesday and getting peoples orders for our enterprise project. We have made scones this week!

Amy- For lovely walking into the community and back.

Courtney- For being a lovely friend and passing peers their talker when it was snack time.



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Dan and Jessica- For brilliant work when out in the community, checking the road of was safe to cross and looking as crossing the road and looking at the traffic lights to check when it was green so we could cross the road.

Jake- For lovely signing when staff didn't understand your request you signed what you wanted so staff could understand, well done!

Liam-for lovely engagement in music.

Nathan- For sharing his space with other sin the pool, well done.

Hazel

Hazel have had a lovely week, we especially enjoyed celebrating VE Day with activities and a tea party 🐇

Lewis - independently fetching his own dinner and pudding.

Faith - Great choosing and talking to Yssy what she wanted for lunch.

Logan - Enjoyed making cheese sandwiches for VE day

Cally - Lovely work in the Deer Shack

Monty - Great alertness in class, participating in activities with only one prompt.

Samuel - Lovely engagement in VE day activities.

Nes - Enjoyed sensory activities for VE day

J - Lovely listening to instructions at lunch, collecting his pudding.

How can you help?

Dates to remember:

Mon 19th May- Alfreton Park Bake off for Stand up to Cancer

Fri 23rd May- Pupils break up for May half term

Mon 26th- Fri 30th May- May bank holiday- school closed

Mon 2nd June- Pupils return to school

Wed 4th June- Reading Workshop for Parents/Carers, 12.45-1.30pm

Wed 4th June- Farmers Market, 1.30-3.00pm- in school

Mon 9th June- Coffee morning with Continence Team 9.15-10.30am

Tues 15th July- Friends Summer Fayre, 1.30-3.00pm- in school

Fri 18th July- Leaver's Prom- 5.00-8.00pm at Ridding's Community Centre

Thurs 24th July- Pupils break up at 1.30pm for summer holidays.

Fri 25th July- Wed 3rd Sept- Summer Holidays

Thurs 4th Sept & Fri 5th Sept- INSET Days- school closed to pupils

Mon 8th Sept- Pupils return to school

