



Sandford Hill Primary School Newsletter

Thoughtfulness,
Respect and
Hard Work

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Joyous Jubilee Celebrations!

What a fantastic week we've had in school celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Each year group has focussed their learning this week on a particular decade.

- ◇ In **Nursery**, the children used their creative talents to make their own crowns to wear for their street party and made portraits of the queen using marbles and paint.
- ◇ **Reception** have relived iconic moments of the 2010's and have watched the 2012 Olympics and the wedding of the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge.
- ◇ Meanwhile in **Year 1**, pupils have made their own royal carriages using cardboard, discs and dowel.
- ◇ **Year 2** pupils had a fantastic time with Mrs Ford learning dance moves to 90's classics by the Spice Girls.
- ◇ A highlight in **Year 3** was the tasty dessert they created in the technology room. In true 1980's style, pupils made their own banana splits.
- ◇ **Year 4** pupils travelled back to the 70's this week and have used their art skills to create wonderful mosaics using the outline of the Queen's head.
- ◇ Over in **Year 5**, pupils have designed their own swinging 60's styled clothing of mod dresses, hippy clothing, sunglasses and bold jewellery.
- ◇ **Year 6** pupils discovered that the hovercraft was invented in 1955 and went on to create their own using balloons bottle caps and old cd's.

Throughout the week, each year group has had the opportunity to have their very own street party. They all had Victoria sponge, Battenburg and a scone with a glass of lemonade whilst listening to music from throughout the decades. A firm favourite was Sweet Caroline! Today, we invited pupils to come to school in non-uniform. Some chose to dress as their decade and some of the staff even got involved too! Also, our wonderful kitchen staff have made traditional fish and chips served in a newspaper tray with decorated Jubilee cupcakes.

I would like to pass on huge thanks to everyone for their contributions to our jubilee celebrations this week. Particular thanks to Miss Morton, Miss Arnott, Beryl Jones and Sue Todd for their work in making our street parties a success. It has certainly been a memorable week for all celebrating this once in a lifetime, national, historic event.



The Tony Hughes medal for 'Thoughtfulness and Respect' awarded each week to a child in every class.

N1	Charlie D
N2	Ariana W
R1	Quinn-Rose B
R2	Nevaeh S
Y1/G3	Freddie M
Y1/G4	Jessica G
Y2/G1	Scarlett W
Y2/G2	Mya G
Y3/F4	Rowanjay J
Y3/F3	Seraphina S
Y4/F2	Martha J
Y4/F1	Frankie M
Y5/RBL	Dominic M
Y5/RBR	Leila H
Y6/FBR	Oliver C
Y6/FBL	Jessica M

Next week's School Meals—all served with a dessert and drink (vegetarian option available)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main meal	Pizza, Roast Potatoes and Sweetcorn	Beef Burgers, Potato Pommies and Peas	Cheese Whirls, Diced Potatoes and Beans	Chicken Roast with Mash, Seasonal Veg and Gravy	Cheese Oatcake, Chips and Beans
Alternative Option <small>(Reception to Y6 only)</small>	Jacket Potato or a Filled Sandwich/Roll	Jacket Potato or a Filled Sandwich/Roll	Jacket Potato or a Filled Sandwich/Roll	Jacket Potato or a Filled Sandwich/Roll	Jacket Potato or a Filled Sandwich/Roll

Dates for the Diary

Mon 30th May - Fri 3rd June

Half Term

Mon 6th June

Pupils return to school

Weds 15th June (Reserve Day 16th June)

EYFS Sports Day

Tues 21st June (Reserve Day 28th June)

KS1 Sports Day

Weds 22nd June (Reserve Day 27th June)

KS2 Sports Day

Mon 20th & Tues 21st June

Y6 Bikeability

Saturday 2nd July

Seaside Summer Fayre

Weds 13th July

Y6 to West Midlands Safari Park

Fri 15th July

Last day summer term

Mon 18th—Weds 20th July

Staff Training Days

Weds 7th September

Pupils return to school

Birthdays

Wishing all these children a very **Happy Birthday**:

Charlie D

Alexis L

Rowanjay J

Beatrix S

Emily L

Leo B

Emily-Rose F

Sonny L

Lily H

Marshall H

Macie W

Tilly H

Henry H

Coby D

Josiah D

Lily-Grace D

Daniel C

Stanley R

Declan B



Northwood Field Athletics

Many congratulations to our field athletics team: **Maab H, Olivia W, Skyla-Beau R, Sereana V, Oliver C, Leyton H, Reggie L, Bethany P, Maisy-Lee B, Jordell A, Lucas C and Harry C.** At the first Northwood Athletics meeting for 3 years, the children competed brilliantly against 14 other schools. Our boys team finished 3rd overall and our girls team finished 2nd overall. Together, our final score was 2nd overall out of 15 schools. A great achievement. Well done everyone!



Up the Vale!

Good luck to Port Vale who play Mansfield in the League 2 play off final tomorrow afternoon. I hope all of our Vale supporting children who are making the trip to Wembley with their families have a safe and wonderful day out. (Through gritted teeth) Up the Vale!



Summer Fayre Help

We rely upon volunteers for our fayres and so if you are available on any of the 3 dates below, please do come along for a coffee and a chat to us prepare for the Summer Fayre.

16th June—9:00a.m.
23rd June—9:00a.m.
30th June—9:00a.m.

Congratulations and Well Done

- Well done to **Erin L** who swam a distance of 800 metres and has been rewarded for her hard work with a certificate and medal. Well done Erin!
- Congratulations to **Harvey P** who is our latest member of Year 2 to have read 25,000 words through Accelerated Reader. Well done!
- Well done to **James M** who has this week become a word millionaire. Congratulations James!
- Many congratulations are sent to **Isabella L** who has achieved her Gold swimming certificate. A fantastic achievement!
- Well done to **Reggie L** who has achieved his Silver swimming certificate. Keep going for gold Reggie—a swimming superstar!
- Congratulations to **Bradley B** who has been presented with his first Musical Achievement Award. Well done Bradley!
- Well done to **Gracie W** for working hard with her dancing and receiving a certificate. Superstar Gracie!
- Congratulations to **Lettie-Rose B** who has achieved her Stanley 1 swimming award this week. Fantastic Lettie!
- Well done to **Ellie-Mae G** who has achieved her 800m and her 1000m swimming awards! Well done Ellie-Mae!



Clubs

Clubs will resume again the first week back after half term. Please ensure that you check your child's club record for the dates they are expected to attend as dates do vary. The last week of clubs is W/C 4th July 2022. Reminder: The final dance club session for KS1 is on Tuesday 7th June. Dance club for KS2 pupils will start on Tuesday 14th June.

School Attendance Target is 96%

This week attendance is 94.4% which is below our school target.

N1	91.5%	Y2/G2	92.0%
N2	83.3%	Y3/F3	94.7%
N3	100%	Y3/F4	98.7%
N4	98.0%	Y4/F1	92.7%
R1	96.3%	Y4/F2	98.7%
R2	94.1%	Y5/RBL	93.8%
Y1/G3	95.7%	Y5/RBR	93.0%
Y1/G4	94.7%	Y6/FBL	97.9%
Y2/G1	87.0%	Y6/FBR	93.9%

Headteacher's Star Award

Congratulations to these children who received this week's Head Teacher's Star Award for Hard Work.

N1	Izzabella P
N2	Blake M
R1	Darci M-N
R2	Harrison F
Y1/G3	Spencer Hu
Y1/G4	Mathieu R
Y2/G1	Bellamy M
Y2/G2	Ava-Rae M
Y3/F4	Eva R
Y3/F3	Evie G
Y4/F2	Harrison D
Y4/F1	Chloe S
Y5/RBL	Michael S
Y5/RBR	Olivia M
Y6/FBR	Mustafa K
Y6/FBL	Kai B

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Headteacher Star Awards and Merit Certificates

Nursery

Arthur R* & *Tobiasz L

Ally-Rae H Lily M
Stephen S Isla P
Clara W George W
Betsy H Harrison W

Elsie S
Eva J
Rayaan A
Jaxon R



Reception - Miss Hodgson

Emily L Lyla F
Ethan D Elijah F
Quinn-Rose B Lola W



Reception - Miss Humphries

Ava R Lucas V
Isaac P Hana A
Harrison F Briar B



Year 1 - Mrs Smith/Miss Gerrard

Reggie J Isabella K
Gracie-Mae D Ivy-Jane F
Keira M Henry F



Year 1 - Miss Ridgway

Elliott L Gracjan P
Adrian D-K Archie P
William L Stanley W-L



Year 2 - Miss Gregory

Henry R Sofia P
Oliver B Ieuan P
Freddie W Nina B



Year 2 - Miss Harrison

Miller C Ralphie S
Alisha S Ingrid S
Lola C Aaron M



Year 3 - Mrs Frost

Evie W Bradley B
Harper B Elizabeth DSD
Eva R Hunter H



Year 3 - Mr Frost

Sonny L-P Olivia W
Ollie W San A
Mia K Lowry B



Year 4 - Mr Alcock

Leighton B Bessie R
Evelyn T Oliver H
Reggie L Luke H



Year 4 - Mrs Hassall

Lucy B Maab H
Chloe T-W Caden H
Noah B Coby D



Year 5 - Mrs Carney /Mrs Drakeford

Evelyn L Henri D
Seren C Skyla-Beau R
Asinate LEmori S



Year 5 - Miss Jones

Khaidjat S Bobby M
Poppy J Skylar H
Tayla D Charlie B



Year 6 - Mrs Bullock

Marley C Mustafa K
Oliver C Lily-Mae G
Emily S James W



Year 6 - Mr Jones

Adena P Jayden W
Isla S Ashton S
Amelia M Kai B

