

**"Today is your day!
Your mountain
is waiting.
So... get on your way."**

Dr. Seuss

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Seven Fields Primary School-Newsletter

Dear Parent/carers

What a strange week it has been! It started on Monday when we waved our teachers and pupils from Y6 off on their residential visit to Pencelli, Brecon Beacons. They were so excited and I know the Year 6 parents have been keeping up with the images and messages sent back throughout the week. You can view some of them on our website or through [this link](#). Such experiences are a once in a lifetime for many of us and they will learn cooperation, understanding, tolerance and resilience with the challenges they face. We look forward to hearing about all of their amazing adventures next week.

This week's Magnificent 7 focus has been about Never saying I can't. There are often so many times when children say I can't and often we can feel sorry for them and do things for them. Whenever they come across something unfamiliar, a word, a maths problem or a new skill the easy way out is to say to our children that they can't do it so forget it. Too often this is a missed opportunity and it is the effort that must be rewarded. Sometimes that takes personal sacrifice from us as adults and means that we have to push our children to experience new situations rather than opting for the easier path. It is in those moments of adversity and potential failure that we learn the most about ourselves. Of course we can also achieve things we possibly never dreamed we could do. This year your child will be asked to do harder work and produce better results. I make no apology for this as we must raise standards further than we have ever done before. Please do all you can to support your child with this by encouraging them to read to you regularly and making sure they complete their homework on time. Support from home makes a lot of difference in school.

It was so lovely to see the book review box in the library full this week. Children are encouraged to complete these reviews for a chance to win a book from our new vending machine lovingly nicknamed 'Charles'. Well done to the lucky winners this week. A public thank you to Frankie, Isla and Freya for supporting me with maintaining the library this week.

Seven Fields is lucky to benefit from working with so many excellent external agencies. The school has once again been complimented for its excellent calm and purposeful learning environment this week and I am grateful that we have established such welcoming and committed staff.

Have a peaceful weekend everyone.

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This week's certificate nominations are as follows:

Butterflies	Braxton for being a good role model and helping new children	
Fireflies	Riley for great work in phonics	Macie for showing kindness and helping others
Bumblebees	Charlie for always sitting nicely on the carpet and listening to grown ups	Harper for looking after friends and making sure they feel welcome
Robins	Twyla for always working hard and trying her best	Lily-Mae for being a Seven Fields role model
Sparrows	George for trying his best	Reuben for hard work in Maths
Wrens	Leonie for impressive effort in her writing and never saying "I can't"	Jaya for improved independence in her written work
Puffins	Tegan for always trying hard and never saying "I can't"	Ajay for better focus and settling to learn better
Kingfishers	Zakaree for always giving everything and trying hard and never saying "I can't"	Freddie for always settling to learn quickly and working hard
Hummingbirds	Frankie for outstanding behaviour and always doing his best independently	Abdul for outstanding behaviour and always trying his best independently
Falcons	Ethan for excellent independent work this term so far	Isabelle for outstanding creative writing in English this week



Attendance

Fireflies

Bumblebee Class

Robin Class 98.75

Sparrow Class 86.87

Wren Class 94.94

Puffin Class 95.45

Kingfisher Class 97.28

Hummingbird Class 97.41

Falcon Class 92.50

Kestrel Class

Eagle Class

Dojos gained this week

Class	Total Dojos	Class Winner
Mrs Still		
Miss Mitchell		
Miss Goss	305	Alarah-Mae 29
Miss Grimwood	378	Blayde 36
Mrs Wright & Miss Demain	349	Leonie 30
Miss Smith	32	Gracie-Belle 3
Mrs Shipman	150	Noah 10
Mr Bagley	92	Daisy 13
Miss Martin	636	Bailey 30
Miss Jessop		
Mr Donnelly		

This week's winners of the Dojo cup are:

Falcons



Congratulations and well done

And the attendance cup goes to:

Robins



Certificates

Congratulations to anyone who has been nominated by your teacher this week

Well done to you all on your achievements !



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House points totals this week and overall totals so far:

Snowdon 72

Slieve Donard 65

Ben Nevis 55

Scafell Pike 67



This weeks behaviour cup winner is:

**Lily-Mae for being a fabulous
Seven Fields role model at all times**

WELL DONE



They are back! Hot chocolate Fridays have returned and we would like to say a huge well done to the following children for receiving the most dojos in their class this week:

Gracie-Belle, Leonie, Alarah-Mae, Daisy, Bailey and Blayde

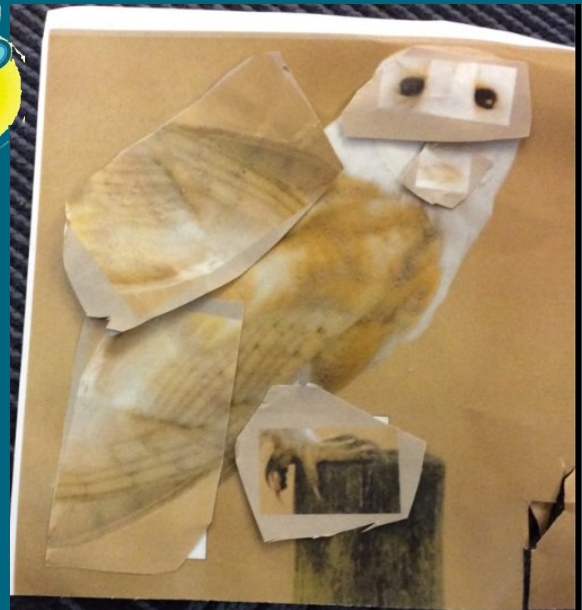


The children in Butterfly class have settled really well and have enjoyed exploring their new environment





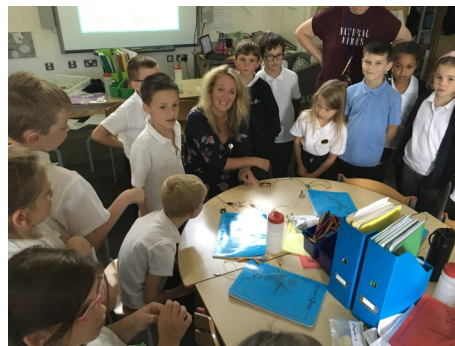
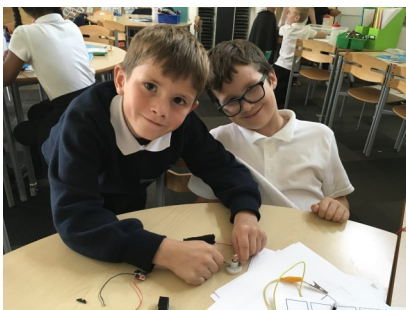
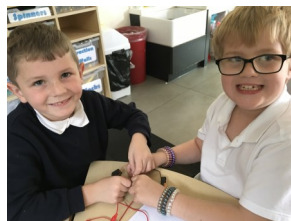
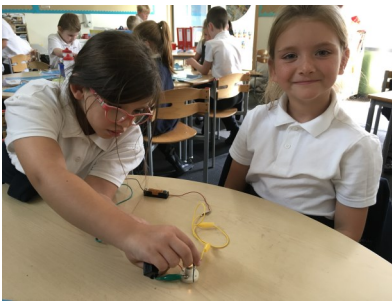
Bumblebees have been exploring the mud kitchen and have been making mud pies



Children in Firefly class have been using their sticking skills to create these wonderful pics of owls



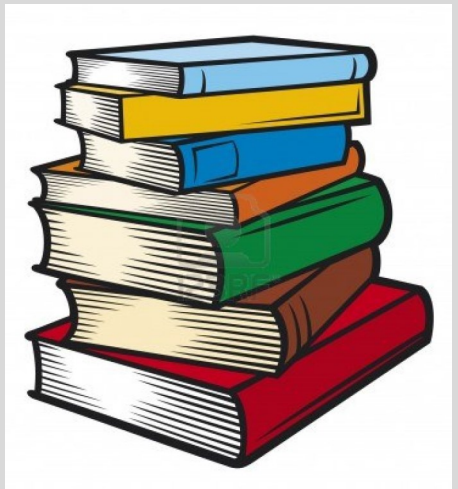
Falcons have been using different brush strokes during their art lesson this week



Puffins have been making circuits during their Science lessons this week



After writing wonderful book reviews along with 11 other children this week, the randomiser selected Oscar, Sheldon and Alexia to receive a book token for the vending machine



A small sneak peak at what our Year 6 adventurers have been up to this week in Plas Pencelli

More photos to follow in next weeks newsletter

