





Newsletter: 8th April

2022

Value: Respect

Seven Fields Primary School-Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers

Today is the last day of the spring term and we break up for the Easter holidays. It has been another busy term with an exciting curriculum being taught within the realms of a Covid-19 constant overhanging threat. We have suffered from staff and pupil absences and yet we continue to provide high quality learning experiences for the pupils. I hope that those of you who managed to take up the opportunity to speak to your child's class teacher about their progress so far at our recent parents' evening were given a good insight into their progress. The turnout was lower than expected and teachers may well be contacting you in the new term if you didn't manage to get an appointment to ask for your support in ensuring your child continues to catch-up and progress.

Spare a thought for our Year 6 who will be attending Easter school next week for the first time. We have a fantastic 'walking talking mock' test programme of support ready for them to help prepare for their real SATs which will take place early next term. Good luck to all the Y6 pupils attending and many thanks to Mr Donnelly and Miss Grimwood, our Y6 class teachers, who are giving up their well-earned holiday time to support our pupils.

In assembly this morning, I spoke about the importance of seeing the positive. Being optimistic is a trait that we often can forget as it is much easier to moan about things. The buds on the trees, the new flowers and plants and the birth of new life all around this year lends itself to maintaining an optimistic outlook.

Congratulations to the PTA for a fantastically well organised and well-run school disco last night. All the children and some staff had a fantastic time and we were so lucky to be graced by the Easter bunny who is so busy at this time of year. Thanks to all the team and to the staff who stayed to support. We look forward to the next event. (I bet the pupils slept well last night!)

There are exciting developments ahead. Over the Easter holidays, you will still note the school site being busy. Our new outdoor playground equipment and surface is being installed by Fawns. This has been a project long in the planning, delayed because of wood supply and ground conditions but we are looking forward to seeing a real change in provision that all pupils will be able to access from the summer term.

Finally, can I take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy and peaceful Easter. Don't eat too much chocolate but do spend time looking forwards to the summer months that should bring drier weather and a sunny outlook.

Best Wishes D Booth



This week's certificate nominations are as follows:

Bumblebees	Leonie for challenging herself with her writing	Riley for amazing progress in his phonics assessment
Robins	Korey for trying his best with his choices this week and showing resilience	Alfie LC for amazing progress in his phonics
Sparrows	Lilly M for working independently in maths	Freddie for amazing progress in phonics
Wrens	Jayden for excellent guitar playing in his Rock Steady concert	Maria MS for excellent singing in her Rock Steady concert
Puffins	Cliodhna and Christopher for a fantastic performance in the Rock Steady concert	Dylan and Georgia for a fantastic performance in the Rock Steady concert
Kingfishers	Renesmee for having a excellent last week of term and following the magnificent 7 rules	Emily for writing a fantastic settling description
Humming- birds	Lacey M for demonstrating resilience when frustrated. Well done	Joshua for listening to adults and settling to work quickly
Falcons	Darcy for working hard this week	Ethan for producing amazing independent work
Eagles	Laylah for consistently settling high standards for herself	Harry for working hard to check and improve his work
Kestrels	Preston for making an improvement in his spelling and grammar SATs	Alfie for making an improvement in his spelling and grammar SATSs



Attendance				
Bumblebee Class	89.74			
Robin Class	92.61			
Sparrow Class	90.91			
Wren Class	90.00			
Puffin Class	96.77			
Kingfisher Class	92.67			
Hummingbird Class	98.15			
Falcon Class	93.50			
Kestrel Class	89.47			
Eagle Class	96.43			

And the attendance cup goes to:

Hummingbirds



Dojos gained this week

Class	Total Dojos	Class Winner
Miss Mitchell	1014	Phoebe 51
Miss Goss	819	Isaac 68
Miss Bickle Mrs Wright & Miss	885	Freddie 66
Neville Miss Smith &	242	Dylan 38
Miss Roberts	324	Matilde 18
Miss Jessop	749	Kara-Mae /Lexi-May 33
Mrs Branscombe	546	Isla 32
Miss Martin	806	Jenna 47
Miss Grimwood	175	Lily M 23
Mr Donnelly	341	Kayden 25

This week's winners of the Dojo cup are:

Bumblebees



Congratulations and well done

Certificates Congratulations to

anyone who has been nominated by your teacher this week

Well done to you all on your achievements!



House points totals this week and overall totals so far:

Snowdon 62

Slieve Donard 60

Ben Nevis 56

Scafell Pike 56





Congratulations to our Easter egg competition winners.

Thank you to everyone who took time to create some fabulous designs.









Congratulations to Michael, Nikita, Jenna, Laylah and Vita on receiving their bronze house points badges this week

















Falcons enjoying their ICT lesson



Sparrows had a visit from our new baby chicks this week and they were very excited to meet them















We were treated to a rock concert this week with performances from:



THE ROCK AND ROLL ANTLERS

GUITAR: DYLAN

DRUMS: GEORGIA AND CLIODHNA

KEYBOARD: CHRISTOPHER

VOCALS: MARIA



THE FLAMING CROCODILES

GUITAR: JAYDEN

BASS GUITAR: CHARLIE



THE SPIDERS

BASS GUITAR: EMILY

DRUMS: OLIVIA

KEYBOARD: LEO

VOCALS: HOLLY (ROCKSTEADY COACH)



Bumblebees drew portraits using trays and whiteboard pens. They held them up to their faces to pay close attention to each others facial features.















Kingfishers and Puffins with their final art pieces. They have learnt how to tie dye, weave and stitch and have really produced some wonderful pieces.















REMINDERS:

New menus are available on ParentPay for next term. Please make sure you order on time. First day of term Monday 25th April

Magnificent Seven

Believes in themselves

Never says "I can' t"

Settles to learn quickly

Shows kindness and good manners

Listens to adults

Encourages someone else

Looks after the school

