



Dear Parents and carers,

Well done to Acorn Class on their first Class assembly. They performed really well, spoke with lovely clear and loud voices and remembered all the words in their story. It was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone who watched.

Mrs H Obank

Achievements

Star of the week

Acorn Class: Whole class for their fantastic assembly

Chestnut Class: Ashton Carter and Milly MacDonald

Willow Class: Tammy-Jo Reilly

Oak class: Jazmine Heaslip

Secret Students

Sofia, Archie K, Dylan and Aimee T

Winners of the Easter holiday reading challenge

Bessie, Milly, Darcey, Harry, Joe T, Henry P and Alice



Information

New Gazebo

The school and the FOM's are purchasing a replacement gazebo to go where the old one used to be on the field. We are replacing it with an outside class room. It is much bigger with a table and seating for a whole class to use at one time. This will benefit every child. It is being order this week, so hopefully will be ready to use before the end of the year.

KS1 assessment

Please remember we are holding an assessment meeting on Monday after school about the end of year assessments for year 2 pupils.

Other Important information about the KS1 assessments

Please see a link to a statement from Nick Gibb following the accidental publication of the live KS1 test -he states: "To remove any uncertainty and clarify the situation for schools, I have decided that we will remove the requirement on them to administer the KS1 grammar, punctuation and spelling test for this year only."

See the full statement and information at:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/statement-from-dfe-about-key-stage-1-tests>

News

Good news

The demountable building on the lower site is going! I have finally got confirmation from County that they will be removing the building hopefully during the May half term. The governors and I have been investigating possible replacements and we will hopefully have some news about this in the near future.

Before it disappears we need to empty it of furniture and resources. If there are any parents willing to assist with this during a school day, do please let me know. I am hoping to do it in the last week of this half term.

Attendance

We will report each class attendance totals. We are aiming for 97% attendance in each class, each week.

Acorn Class: 100%

Chestnut Class: 98.2%

Willow Class: 95.6%

Oak Class: 91.9%

Dates for the Diary

25th April - KS1 assessment meeting for parents at 3.15pm

29th April - Forest Schools

9th May - 12th May - KS2 assessment week

13th May - Forest Schools

16th - 19th May - KS1 assessment week

23rd -27th May- Maths week

27th May - Forest Schools