

Weekly Newsletter

23rd September 2022



YEAR 5 VISIT LFC

Year Five were kindly invited by the LFC Foundation to take part in an environment-themed workshop with other schools in the local area. The workshop was a joint venture involving the foundation, along with SC Johnson and Ocean Generation. With inspiring speakers, eye-catching videos and fun activities, the children developed their understanding of environmental issues troubling the Earth today, especially plastic polluting the seas.

After the excitement of the workshop, the children then went out into the stadium to take some photographs – as well as meet an ex-Liverpool player, Glen Johnson. The club kindly donated 2 tickets for every child in Year Five to attend the Legends of the North charity match between Liverpool FC and Manchester United on Saturday 24th September at Anfield. Thank you so much!



NATIONAL FITNESS DAY

Every year at Four Oaks Primary School, the children participate in National Fitness Day. This year it was held on Wednesday 21st September. Each year group was set a challenge by their Sports Councillors, the children were enthusiastically completed these challenges in 1 minute. These included a range of body weighted exercises such as squats, jumping jacks, burpees and mountain climbers.



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THIS WEEK

Dear families and children,

Welcome to our new style of Newsletter. We hope you like it!

Over the course of the year we are looking forward to sharing activities and events attended or led by our children. It will also include messages directly from Pupil Leadership groups such as our School Council, Sports Council and Reading Ambassadors to name but a few.

Thank you for coming to meet the teachers at the beginning of term. It was fabulous to see such a good turn out and we hope it was helpful. Your class teachers and teaching assistants are your first point of contact if you have any questions or concerns. They work with your child each day so are best placed to help you.

Our website provides further information about your child's time in school linked to the curriculum, special events, policies and past newsletters. For example, diary dates can be found under the tab News & Events / Calendar and the Children tab takes you to year group folders for an overview of curriculum plans and other information. Please take time to browse the website and ask the office or your class teacher if there is something specific you would like to know.

With best wishes to you all for a very happy 2022-23 academic year.

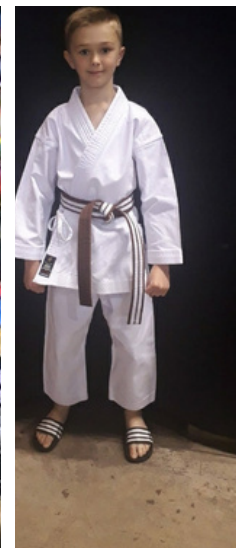
Kind regards,

Mrs S Robinson, Headteacher

CHARLIE THE PROUD FLAGBEARER!

We have some very special news about a child in Year 6- Charlie- who has had a very exciting few months prior to the summer. Charlie has only been doing Karate for 4 years but he has rapidly risen through the various belts and is now currently training for his black belt at only 10 years old! Recently global competition was hosted in Liverpool, where 29 countries from around the globe brought men and women to compete in this event, at the M&S Bank arena.

Charlie's sensei contacted the Karate committee and nominated him (chosen from a pool of many potential students) to be a flagbearer for England - a prestigious accolade only awarded to those who show commitment, determination and perseverance within martial arts. England went on to win the competition for achieving the most gold medals. Charlie's club contributed many gold medals towards the overall total. It is now Charlie's ambition to compete nationally for karate and represent England again, and we believe that with his enthusiasm and dedication, the sky is the limit for him! Well done Charlie, what a magnificent achievement, you should be very proud!



Absence: It is your responsibility to phone the school office by 9am each day your child is absent. Please leave a voicemail if there is no answer.

TERM TIME HOLIDAYS WILL RESULT IN FINES.

	100% Very best chance of success	99-97% Off to a flying start	96-93% Less chance of success	92-90% At risk of becoming a Persistent Absentee	Less than 90% Persistent Absentee
Rec	93%	92%	98%	95%	95%
Year 1	93%	92%	98%	95%	95%
Year 2	93%	92%	98%	95%	95%
Year 3	93%	92%	98%	95%	95%
Year 4	93%	92%	98%	95%	95%
Year 5	93%	92%	98%	95%	95%
Year 6	93%	92%	98%	95%	95%

The school target for this academic year is 97%