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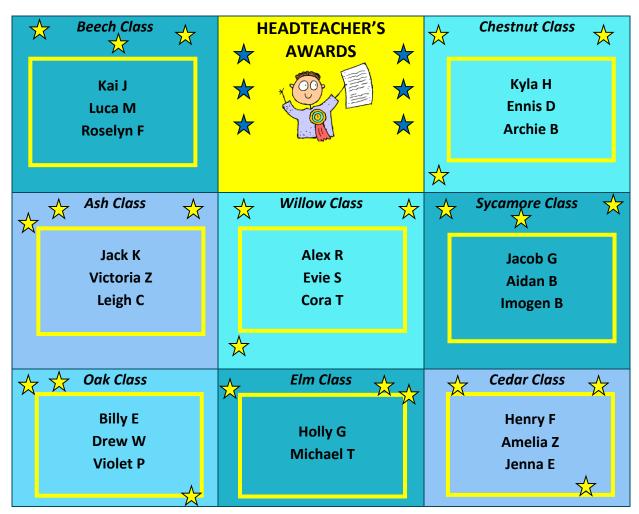
MESSAGE TO PARENTS AND CARERS FROM THE HEAD

What a fabulous time the children spent outside this morning for their mini-Olympics. There was a definite chill to the wind but the children were moving around so much they hardly noticed it. It is always so good to see the children working altogether and the thumbs up in recognition for the fun they had was great. More about this on the next page.

We also had a strange collection of socks in school on Wednesday this week in support of Down Syndrome Day. Please do follow this link to view the amazing video that our Nursery team put together with the children:

https://www.mapletreelowerschool.com/page/?title=World+Down+Syndrome+Day&pid=219 I continue to be so proud of how our children are with one another.

Have a lovely weekend!



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IMPORTANT DATES

Half Term 12th - 16th February

Spring 2

Monday 26th March Art Exhibition in the hall 3.30 – 4.15pm Thursday 29th March Easter Bonnet Assembly 9.10am FoMT Easter Egg hunt 3.30pm

Easter Holiday Friday 30th March – Tuesday 17th April Summer 1

Monday 16th April INSET day - no Kids Club Tuesday 17th April Children return to school Friday 25th May FoMT School Disco

Half Term 28th May - Friday 1st June

Summer 2

Monday 4th June INSET day Tuesday 5th June Children return to school

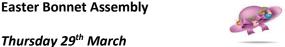
Thursday 12th July Reports out

Friday 13th July Open Afternoon 2.30pm

Saturday 14th July Summer Fair

Wednesday 18th July Year 4 Leaver's Production

Friday 20th July Term ends



Thursday 29th March

Easter Bonnet Assembly 9.10am for morning Nursery children and Reception to Year 4. All welcome.

A reminder that photos are not permitted during the assembly but we will take photos during the performance to load on to the website.



Thank you to you all for supporting us raise money for Sports

The children from Reception to Year 4 enjoyed a mini Olympics this morning where they took part in lots of fun activities. The children 'walked a mile' around the field and put their skipping skills into practise, to name a few.

As they went round the circuit they raised points for their houses so this did bring the competitive side out of some children and

The final figure raised through wristband sales and £1 donations for wearing sports clothes will be announced very soon. Little Saplings and Nursery children took part in their own sporting activity to also contribute to our 'Walk a Mile' challenge.









More photos will be on the website next week.

Attendance Award The best attendance award is presented to: Little Saplings 98.2% Lime 89.1% Chestnut 95.6% Beech 94.3% Ash 97.5% Willow 100% Sycamore 95.6% 98.5% Oak Cedar 98.1% Elm 97.0%





A reminder to our younger children that they need to be in the line when the 1st bell goes please so they are ready to come into school when the 2^{nd} bell rings. If you arrive after this, please go through the school office.

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