

Spring Term Newsletter 11

29 March 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

As we enter the last school week before the Easter break, I would like to thank you all for your support this year, so far.

Being the Best at Bader

We have now had a full term of these assemblies where the Bader values of **Happiness**, **Aiming High**, **Determination**, **Excellence** and **Respect** are rewarded. Last week's recipients were:-

Mason Vickers – Aiming High

Logan Daniels - Happiness

Mya-Rose Foster - Aiming High

Corey Carney-Gill – Determination

Shanaya Sohail – Happiness

Grace Stephenson - Determination

Charlotte Hildreth – Determination

Kayden Nolan - Respect

Chelsea Green - Determination

Ashton Jones – Determination

Louie Kemp – Happiness

Brett Davies – Aiming High

Georgia Mae Crossley - Displaying all the Bader values: Happiness, Aiming High, Determination,

Excellence and Respect

Mathematician of the Week

A new award in classes is that of 'Mathematician of the Week' where teachers look for and choose a person in their class who has really shone in their maths work that week. Well done to:-

Miss Beckwith's Mathematician of the Week was Sadie Carroll

Miss O'Keefe's Mathematician of the Week was Poppy Gibson

Mrs Jones Mathematician of the Week was Oliver Nolan

Miss Bryson's Mathematician of the Week was Leon Marshall

Mrs Jatwa's Mathematician of the Week was Daisy Robinson

Mrs Mudgway's Mathematician of the Week was Amelia Swalwell

Mrs Ayre's Mathematician of the Week was Maisie Barrett

Miss Robson's Mathematician of the Week was Lilly Curran

Miss Feren's Mathematician of the Week was Harrison Allison

Miss Weir's Mathematician of the Week was Madison Green

Mrs Smith's Mathematician of the Week was Amy Pepper

Miss Logan's Mathematician of the Week was Layton Kinlan

Mr Brown's Mathematician of the Week was Lauren Nellist

Home Contact

Please can we ask that your contact details on the form you sent into school earlier this year are completely up to date. We need at least 2 telephone contacts on our system so in the event of any contact needing to be made with home, we can do this quickly and successfully. If you change telephone numbers or contacts, please let the office know as soon as possible. This is really important.

Easter Raffle

Thank you for the donations of Easter eggs so far. Tickets are on sale every day. Any donations of chocolate or Easter eggs will be gratefully accepted and received. The raffle will be drawn before we break up for Easter next week.



Reading at Home

Please read with your child or encourage them to read aloud to you or to find a quiet place and lose themselves in a really good book. 'Read for the Stars' reading initative rewards children who regularly read at home.

To that end, we have had another successful group of children reaching the sun. Well done to: Jorgie Notman, Mya-Rose Foster, Logan Kean, Harley Atkins, Ralphy Dollard, Levi Marshall, Jenson Hilton, Charlie McGough, Marcus Arnett, Scarlett Jones, Sadie Carroll and Evie Chambers

This week, we had **Leyla Cooper, Tyler Emerson** and **Keavey Williams** reaching the 'sun' for a second time. Very well done!



'Writers of the week' were presented with a fabulous certificate in our celebration assembly last week. Children are chosen by their class teacher for impressive writing over that particular week.



Miss O'Keeffe's Writer of the Week was Zak Burton
Miss Beckwith's Writer of the Week was Evie Chambers
Mrs Jones' Writer of the Week was Alex Bryan
Miss Bryson's Writer of the Week was Dylan Frost
Mrs Jatwa's Writer of the Week was Effie Brown
Mrs Mudgway's Writer of the Week was Charlie Oakley
Mrs Ayre's Writer of the Week was Olivia Burnham
Miss Ferens' Writer of the Week was Logan Smith
Miss Robson's Writer of the Week was Millie Hagan
Mrs Weir's Writer of the Week was Silvan Marsay
Mrs Smith's Writer of the Week was Zak Escritt
Miss Logan's Writer of the Week was Ebony Frost
Mr Brown's Writer of the Week was Kaitlin Easton





Our Curriculum

This week, our children have experienced lots of different learning experiences again including:-

- Key Stage 1 children learning how to cross the road safely with a visit from 'Arnie the Armadillo'.
- Year 5 composing music using Garage Band on the iPads.
- Year 4 children developing their badminton skills with a visit from Sheila Boyes, a very experienced, local badminton coach.
- Year 5 and 6 children taking part in a hockey competition at Conyers School, with one of our wonderful teams managing to get to the final!
- 2 lucky Year 5 children being present at the awards ceremony 'Stockton Children's Book of the Year'.



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Twitter /School website



Remember; please follow us on twitter (@BaderPrimary) for postings of the latest news and events going on in school. Also, check out our school website:

http://www.bader.org.uk/

Good Attendance and Punctuality = Good Learning

The importance of being punctual and coming to school can never be underestimated, in terms of contributing massively to children's learning.

9 of our classes had 96% attendance or better this week. Well done to them and particularly to Miss Ferens's class with 100% attendance for the week!

Punctuality is almost as important as good attendance and disappointingly only 1 class, Mrs Smith's Year 5 class had no lates for the week.

Remember, the gates are open from 8.45am and the doors to classes close at 8.55am when the bell sounds. Late children must then enter school via the front entrance and are given a 'late slip'. Only Year 6 children are allowed to come to school and walk home on their own. All other children <u>must</u> be dropped off and collected in the playground please.

School Uniform

We are proud of our school and our school motto of "Aiming High". The vast majority of our children follow the uniform policy which gives a real sense of belonging to our community. This is just a reminder that acceptable footwear is flat black shoes or black plain trainers please. Children will be expected to change into black plimsolls inside if they wear inappropriate footwear.

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