



## Headteacher's Message

We've had a busy week with lots of our children showing off their talents. Read all about them in the 'Pupil News' below and take a look at the photos on the website.

As always, we are working hard to provide our children with lots of exciting opportunities, with lots of trips coming up over the next few weeks. It really helps us with the organisation of these events if you can keep your eye on Scopay and complete any necessary consent forms (and payments) as soon as possible. It also prevents us having to send you lots of 'chasing up' emails.

The sun is here but not necessarily the warm weather so please continue to send your child with a named coat as our playgrounds, especially KS2, are like wind tunnels.

Thank you for your continued support!

**Miss Ramsbottom** 😊

## Pupil News

### Dance and Choir Groups

On Wednesday afternoon, some of our KS2 children went to Briercliffe Community Centre to perform in front of an audience of some elderly members of our local community. The dance group showcased their performance from the Dance Competition that they took part in a few weeks ago and the Choir showcased some of the songs they performed at Let's Go Sing! Well done to both of the groups and thank you for being such wonderful entertainers!

### Year 2

On Tuesday, the children in Year 2 were invited to visit the residents of Oaklands Care Home as they were having a special visit from some therapy ponies. The children learned about the role of the therapy ponies and were able to stroke them. The residents were thrilled to see the children and the staff and visitors to the care home commented on how amazing our children were! Well done Year 2!

## Merit Awards

**Congratulations to all our children who were awarded a merit award this week!**

**Class R1**

**Theo Starkie & Harry Hanson**

**Class R2**

**Jude Cawtherley & Loki Morphet**

**Class 1SP**

**Gracie Belloguet & Liam Alfonso**

**Class 1S**

**Bethany Martin & Bodhi Lane**

**Class 2O**

**Aria Smith & Poppy Clark**

**Class 2S**

**Olivia Harrison & Seth Wilcox**

**Class 3B**

**Thea Lord & Phoebe Cottrell**

**Class 3C**

**Faye Hartley & Niamh Haley**

**Class 4G**

**Pearl Rattigan & Harris Toothill-Tabassum**

**Class 4H**

**Lilly-Rose Gabriel & Oliver Knowles**

**Class 5L**

**Marie Sylva & Jacob Fallows**

**Class 5W**

**Thea Luke & Isaac Calderbank**

**Class 6B**

**Scarlett Balmforth & Joseph Harris**

**Class 6H**

**Frank Curley & Mohammad Yusha**

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

### Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April

Year 1 trip to Blackpool Zoo

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May

Year 3 trip to Lake District

### Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May

School Closed for Bank Holiday

### Monday 11<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May

Year 6 SAT week

### Monday 18<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May

Year 6 Residential to Whitehough

### Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May

School Closes for Half Term at 3.30pm

### Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June

School Opens after Half Term



## **Club Information**

Year 3/4 Dodgeball  
Mondays 3.30-4.30pm

Year 1 Boxfit  
Tuesdays 3.30-4.30pm

Rec-Year 6 Rock Steady  
Wednesday afternoons

Year 5/6 Rugby  
Fridays 3.30-4.30pm

Please remember, children should be in their classrooms and ready to learn by 8.55am!

Thank you!

## **School Value Award - Confident**

**Congratulations to all our children who were awarded a school value certificate and badge.**

**Class R1 – Renn Robinson**

**Class R2 – Jaxon Bleasdale**

**Class 1SP – Averie Taylor**

**Class 1S – Isobel Gray**

**Class 2O – Emilia Stone**

**Class 2S – Oriah Blackburn**

**Class 3B – Arlen Lawton**

**Class 3C – Darcie Snaith**

**Class 4G – Freddie Routh**

**Class 4H – Elsie Cawtherley**

**Class 5L – Evie Conroy**

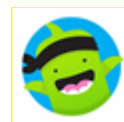
**Class 5W – Alfie Kilbride**

**Class 6B – Betsy Townsend**

**Class 6H – Eliska Stastna**



## **DoJo Team Points**



The winning team this week, with 330 points is Scott and Thompson Park.

Running order....

1<sup>st</sup> Towneley and Scott

2<sup>nd</sup> Thompson

3<sup>rd</sup> Queens

# Attendance Matters



Whole School **Attendance** 95.8%  
National Primary Attendance 94.8%

Class R1	Class 1SP	Class 2O	Class 3C	Class 4G	Class 5L	Class 6B
95.4%	95.1%	97.3%	96.7%	97.5%	95.3%	96.2%
Class R2	Class 1S	Class 2S	Class 3B	Class 4H	Class 5W	Class 6H
95.9%	94.7%	96.7%	95.5%	93.3%	94.7%	96.7%



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