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Weekly Newsletter: 23rd June 2025

Sports Day/s

Reminder: we are hosting our annual Sports Days this week: Nursery on Wednesday 25th June and School on Thursday 26th. Parents are welcome to stay and watch and both events start at 9:30am. Please ensure children are dressed appropriately for the event / weather: shorts / t-shirt, trainers for running, water bottle, cap / suncream if it is hot. School-age children are invited to wear the correct colour to match their house team:



Europe Asia Africa Oceania Americas

New Parents' Evening

If your child is due to start Reception with us in September, please don't forget about our 'New Parents' Evening' on Wednesday at 6pm. This will be an opportunity for you to meet Mrs Wellum, find out more about how things work and ask any questions you may have. Don't worry if you can't attend (an information pack will be sent out afterwards) but it'll be great to see you!

School Nursing

On the subject of school readiness, the Sheffield School Nursing team have prepared a short video to explain the Ready for School Health Questionnaire and the school entry screening process: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JySg7i8ZFY4&feature=youtu.be

School Nurses may be able to deliver support sessions around sleep, fussy eating, dental health, toileting and more – so please complete the questionnaire as soon as you can! (Link to come)

Sector Safari Trail

If you're looking for something to do at the weekend or in the holidays, you may be interested in Sheffield's brand-new 'Sector Safari' – an interactive walking trail around Sheffield City Centre. See attached flyer for more information.

Job at Oughtibridge School

Oughtibridge Primary School (one of the other schools in Peak Edge) are currently advertising for a new part-time admin assistant. The closing date is Monday 30th June - see attached advert for more information.

TARA Tinies & Tots

Stocksbridge & Upper Don TARA (Tenants & Residents Association) host a 'Tinies & Tots' group every Monday morning during term-time. They are currently looking for additional volunteers to help run this. Please see attached flyer for more information.

Mr Gaughan

Nurturing confidence, nurturing potential, nurturing success.

Celebrating Achievement



Well done to the following children:

- Bronze: Grayson, Elio (Ash); Maze, Maddie P, Eser (Willow); Oscar SF (Rowan); Charlie, Rory (Sycamore); Alyssa (Oak)
- ★ Silver: Teddy (Ash); Maddie B, Lucy, Joseph (Willow)
- ★ Gold: Brody, Gray, Dakota (Rowan); Angus, Ameera (Sycamore); Freddie, William S, Jacob B (Oak)
- \bigstar Nursery Stars of the Week: Leo and Hugo
- Attendance winners: Attendance was 95.8% overall last week. The winning classes were Willow (KS1) with 97.3% and Oak (KS2) with 98.9%.
- House Point winners: Africa won the house point trophy for the second week in a row. Who will win the Sports Day trophy this week?

★ Well done to our KS2 football team who beat Oughtibridge 7-4 last week. A great performance from all!



This week's birthdays: Elio (5), Henry A (6), Ellis (5), Eloise (10)

This week's 'School Standard' is:

Be prepared

What's Happening?

Little Seedlings & Saplings are looking forward to their Sports Day on Wednesday. Thank you to the KS2 Sports Leaders who will be helping with this!

Ash are looking at similarities and differences between Kenya and the UK.

Willow have been playing a variety of 'target practice' games in PE - last week they had a golfing slant - maybe we have the next Rory Mcllroy amongst us?

KS1 children in The Learning Zone will be writing recounts about making a seaside in a bottle.

Rowan are learning all about plants in science and will be doing a treasure hunt in geography. Sycamore are learning about biographies in English and will start writing biographies of Henry Bessemer - who played a significant role is establishing Sheffield as the 'Steel City'. Oak have been logging temperature and sunlight data Micro:bits as part of their science investigations into renewable energy sources.

Meanwhile, Mrs Harrison has been busy rehearsing songs with a group of children who will be performing at 'Bradfest' in a few weeks!



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