St Philip Westbrook News



Friday 12th July 2019

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School closes on Friday 26th July & we return on Thursday 5th September 2019. Please remember to top-up your child's Parent Pay account in order for them to receive snack and/or a school lunch.



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Star of the Week

The following children have been awarded Star of the Week for showing our Christian value of:

'WISDOM'

RecD - Oliver

RecP - Mehki

RecV/T - Athena

Y1L- Muhammed

Y1K - Leon

Y1Mc- Alice

Y2K - Isabella

Y2R - Frankie

Y2B - Sophia

Y3E - Oliver

Y3H - Tejas

3AW - Ollie

Y4D - Emma

Y4L - Ewan

Y4B - Marley

Y5C - Ella

Y5B- Izzak

Y6H - Joe

Y6C - Luke

Dates for Forthcoming Events July 2019

14th—Family Disco run by Friends of St Philip's at Eagles Sports Club

16th—Y6 Westbrook Orchard Visit.

17th—Eucharist Service for KS2 pupils. Friends/families are welcome to join us.

18th—Y1 Teddy Bear's Picnic, 2.00pm. Further details are available on the website class page.

19th—Y2AK Westbrook Orchard Visit.

23rd—Y2HB Westbrook Orchard Visit.

25th—Y6 Leavers' Performance 2pm, this is a ticket event for Y6 families only.

Mr Marivate's Visit/Masizani Day

We were delighted to host Mr Marivate, the headteacher from our partner school in South Africa, this week. Throughout the week he visited all classrooms and spent time with children answering questions about Masizani Primary School and life in South Africa. He also worked with children in Year 5 to explore the theme of 'Gender Equality' and the stereotypes associated with this in both of our countries and schools.

On Tuesday we celebrated our partnership with our very own 'Masizani Day'. Children participated in a vast range of enrichment activities and thoroughly enjoyed interviewing Mr Marivate and watching a video message from his learners in Masizani.





Y2AK Class Assembly

Mrs Kirk's Y2 class certainly made their parents and teachers proud with their fabulous class assembly on Thursday. The focus of the assembly was the local area and living things. They shared their learning through dance, art work, role play, music and writing. Everyone had worked really hard to make sure that their contribution was their very best. Not only did the audience have lots of fun, but they also learned some new fascinating facts about minibeasts and how they are adapted to different habitats. A big well done and thank you to everyone!





Y5/6 Sports Day

This year's Y5/6 sports day was very exciting! Everyone took part in multiple races and were very enthusiastic. There were lots of fun races to take part in: cross country, obstacle, bootcamp, 100m sprint, pass the ball, three-legged race and the sack to skip race. First place was

achieved by the green team, followed by the blue team, the red team and the yellow team. Everyone had lots of fun and it was a great afternoon. Thank you to all those who took part or came as spectators.



Advance Notice School Meals

From September, due to the size of the school increasing and a lack of capacity in the hall, KS2 (junior) children will only be able to stay for a hot dinner if they have one all week. You will only be able to opt in and opt of this every half term.



Student Recognition



This Y5 pupil received a special award from Whittle Hall JFC, for most improved player 2019, where he now plays up a year in the under 11s.



Following the Year Three march around Westbrook to 'Stop the use of palm oil', a Y3 pupil became passionate about protecting the living things in our world, so she wrote a letter to the government. In the letter, she expressed her concerns about the dangers

orangutans face, she has recently received letters from senior members of parliament and has been invited to the Houses of Parliament to discuss this matter further. What a great courageous advocate she is.

A Y3 and Y5 pupil, and their family, completed the 5k Race For Life in memory of their grandfather who passed away earlier this year from lung cancer.





Fundraising

Florence, Charlotte, Holly and Beth from Y6 held a bake sale on Monday for Year 4, they raised £35 for Christian Aid.

Oliver sold raffle tickets over the week for a Chocolate Hamper, he raised £198.30 for Crohns and Colitis charities. The winner of the hamper was Hollie, congratulations!

Thank you to everyone that has supported both the bake sale and the raffle and thank you to the children for organising the events.

Charity Group

Our Charity Group went to Alder Hey Hospital to deliver the books we purchased with the money from World Book Day. The charity were delighted with the number of books and the children assisted them in delivering the books to the volunteers, who will distribute them around the hospital on their special book trolley. It feels good to do something

for children who are not well and have to be away from home.



