

# Coteford Junior School

## Newsletter 24

21<sup>st</sup> March 2025

**Ready, Responsible, Respectful**

### Pupils in the Merit book this week:

The following children have been chosen for the class Merit:

**3EB: Aidan** for improved mindset in maths

**3TH: Dhrish** for beautiful writing

**4HS: Rowan** for great rehearsals

**4LF: Frankie** for amazing Maths

**4IW: Rico** for being a fabulous singing pirate

**5DJ: James** for fantastic effort this week

**5EP: Ethan** for his contributions in class

**5UQ: Bobby** for great effort all week

**6CK: Millie** for working hard in all lessons

**6KB: Ellisa** for working hard and being a good friend

**6SP: Juhi** for working hard in Arithmetic

**6LK: Romeo-Beau** for being a great stable hand at horse riding

**Mrs Eckley: Y4** for trying so hard in rehearsals

**Miss Skinner: Halle 5DJ** for effort in singing and Maths Bingo

**Miss Martin: Zaidee 3EB** for amazing improvement

### Reminders:

Please regularly check our website for all the latest news in school

<https://www.cotefordjunior.org.uk/>

Also, please check Parentmail for any payments which are due.

Lunch Menus need to be returned to Mrs Nash by 31<sup>st</sup> March – Thank you.

### Attendance

Attendance this week:

Year 3 = 90.35%

Year 4 = 96.4%

Year 5 = 95.7%

Year 6 = 94.35 %

Total for school = 94.27%

### **Match Report from last week:**

On Tuesday 12th March. The school team played in friendly match against Whiteheath, it resulted in a 4-3 victory. It is fair to say that it was a very entertaining match to watch and to be a part of. We got off to a tricky start, as we conceded 2 goals with the first 5 mins. This match demonstrated growth, because this was the opponent we had lost 5-1 to, so it could have been easy for the team to just give in. By half time the game was level at 2-2, thanks to goals from Samuel and a superb solo goal by Dilan. The introduction of Tillie at half time changed the game in our favour, for long periods it was a very even game, her introduction allowed us to have more control in midfield. This allowed the attackers more space, and her quick passing assisted Samuel for his second goal and Ethan for his goal.

This week I have chosen 2 players for player of the game: Dilan for his tireless work in attack and superb solo goal, and Tillie for her game change contribution and two assists.

A massive well done to: Ethan, Elliott, Samuel, Mason, Dilan, Andrei, Jack, Tillie, Logan and Andreas

### **Governors In School:**

On Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March, our governors spent the morning in school, visiting lessons, meeting with children and talking with staff. They were impressed with the children's confidence, behaviour and engagement in learning. We are grateful for the governors support for our school and for giving up a day to be with us.

### **Young Carers Trust:**

Carers Trust Hillingdon is delighted to be working with us at Coteford Junior School. Working together we hope to identify as many Young Carers as possible and provide information, advice and support to Young Carers and their families.

Young Carers are children and young people aged from 5 – 25 years old who help to look after someone in their household who has a disability, mental or physical ill-health or misuses substances. This could be a child caring for a sibling with autism, a mother with depression, a father with cancer or even a Grandparent with dementia.

We are a registered charity and our aim is to reduce the impact that caring can have on a young person by providing free trips and activities, youth clubs, workshops and support for Young Carers in school through 1:1 or small group sessions.

If you would like to find out more, you are invited to attend a coffee morning at the school on Wednesday 3rd April from 8.30. There will be a member of the Carer's Trust available to answer any questions you may have.

Alternatively, If you are unsure whether a child in your home could be a Young Carer please speak to Miss Skinner or Mrs Harding in the school or contact Carers Trust Hillingdon on 01895 811206.



**We hope all our families have a lovely Weekend**