



The Howard Primary School, Elford

What an AMAZING half term we have had! There's certainly a buzz with excitement and a hive of wonderful learning experiences. Our new Reception children have settled in beautifully and have already become part of the Howard family.

Our children have enjoyed their outdoor learning experiences in Forest School and the Class 1 playground has been transformed! Along with our smart new signs, we are certainly proud of our little school. Ms Carter and I are really excited to get our allotments up and running so that the children can eat what they have grown. We are starting with a range of salad leaves.

Our School Council have been looking at ways that we can support local Charities. Our Macmillan Coffee Morning was a huge success and we raised over £240! Our annual Harvest Festival in St. Peter's Church enabled us to support the local Food Bank, thanks to the generosity of our families.

We have had our fantastic new outdoor classroom built, with the funding from Transforming Trent Valley. If anyone is interested in seeing our wonderful learning environment, please come along to our 'Opening

Day Celebration' on Wednesday 2nd November.



We are also looking for community members to join our Local Governing Committee. If you are interested in joining us to help make a difference then please contact our office.

As you can see, it's full steam ahead at The Howard Primary.

Calling all community members

Do you want to make a difference, volunteer in your community for the greater good, the education of our children?

The Trust Board of The Staffordshire Schools Multi Academy Trust are recruiting for a **LOCAL GOVERNING COMMITTEE** at The Howard Primary School and needs to elect all posts of this committee which shall consist of the Headteacher, staff, parents and local community representatives.

Would you like to be part of this new Governing Committee - a fresh and exciting time for our schools?

If you would like to stand then please contact our schools in order to access further details and nomination forms.

We have an information session on **Thursday Tuesday 8th November @ The Howard at 8.30 am** (please contact for a virtual link if you cannot attend face to face).

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From everyone at The Howard Primary