

### Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had the best sports week! The children have engaged in all activities and enjoyed trying out lots of different sporting events from fencing, cheerleading, dancing, skipping and jiu jitsu! It was wonderful to end the week with the annual sports day and family picnic with so many families able to join us, thank you so much for coming and sharing in this with us. Please see below a selection of photographs from our week.

Taking part in sports events is not always about winning and being the best, it is about personal achievements and improving your own mental and physical health and wellbeing. This is something we have really worked on this week and will be a real focus of ours next academic year too.

In assembly today we celebrated the children who have been 'sporty stars' and have achieved the certificate of excellence or the values award in their class for the week:



Year 4 won the **attendance award** this week with a good 96%, we still need these attendance figures to get up to the high 90s so come on everyone!

These children have gained their **50 reads prize** this week and enjoyed receiving their prize from the book vending machine: Elijah in Reception.

On Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July between 11am and 2pm you are invited to join us for our Summer Fete, more details below.

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Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024

Value of the Term – Respect

As we approach the end of the academic year, our thoughts start to turn to next year from September onwards. Sadly, Mrs Bundhoo will be leaving us at the end of this year as she has successfully gained a promotion in another White Horse Federation school. I am sure you will join me in thanking Mrs Bundhoo for all her hard work and dedication to the children she has taught in her time at Mountford Manor. We wish her all the best for the future and know she is going to be amazing at her new school.

We have been lucky enough to appoint Mr Whitehead who will be starting his teaching career and journey with us. Some children will know Mr Whitehead as he completed some of his teacher training with us.

The class set up for next year will be as follows:

Year group	Teacher	Teaching Assistant/s
Nursery	EYP – Miss Jones	Mrs Langford
Pre-school	EYP – Mrs Stygall	EYPs - Miss Stockwell and Mrs Pithers
Reception	Mrs Allford and Mrs Barratt-Thorne	Miss McConnell and Miss Ramshaw
Year 1	Miss Jarvis	Mrs Wallace
Year 2	Mr Whitehead	Mrs Cogswell and Mrs Booth
Year 3	Miss Hughes	Mrs Albuquerque
Year 4	Mr Jones	Mrs Albuquerque and Mrs Langford
Year 5	Mrs Hall / Mrs Jackson	Mrs Hills
Year 6	Mr Bullas	Mrs Petrie

The children will be spending time in their new classes and with their new teachers over the coming weeks before the end of term, to ease the transition before the Summer break.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend, enjoying the sunshine.

With best wishes,  
**Mrs Helen Wollington**  
Headteacher

Upcoming diary dates:

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June – non-uniform day for donations of tombola items for the Summer Fete  
Year 5 trip to Bristol

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July – New Reception parents welcome meeting 8:45am

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July – Summer Fete 11am-2pm

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July – INSET day school closed to children

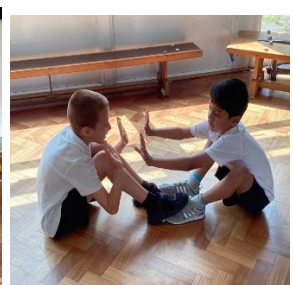
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**SUMMER FETE**

Saturday 6th July  
11am until 2pm

MOUNTFORD MANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL

**FREE ENTRY**

JOIN US FOR LOTS OF FUN!

- assault course
- beat the goalie
- raffle prizes
- tombolas
- lucky dips
- hook a duck
- face painting
- glitter tattoos
- henna
- adopt a teddy
- food & refreshments and lots more!

Money raised will go towards new playground equipment

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