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Year 5 Winners—Scarlet Jones and Lacey Alden

On Tuesday 4th May our Canteen hosted a space themed lunch. With the Hall filled with the sounds of the Dr Who theme tune, pupils fill up on Spaceships, Rockets and Northern Lights (Spaghetti Bolognese, Wedges, Salad and Green Beans, followed by Krispy Caramel Cake). Fabulous space themed prizes were won by pupils with "lucky plates".

The next themed day is an Italian one on Thursday 20th May, with even more special prizes to be won. We hope to see as many pupils there as possible.

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Year 5 Winners Cooper Roberts and Nell Paton



SPACE DAY WINNERS

The lucky Year 7 winners were Kacey Ford and Kieran Creighton.

Year 8 winners were Darcey Fitzsimmons and Erin Ross-Osbourne.

Thank you to Mrs Webb and Mrs White who helped make it happen.





At last our photo days were able to safely take place. Thank you to all pupils and staff for the co-operation and punctual timekeeping. Proofs will be going home in the near future.



Thank you to our wonderful Oakfield Academy Fundraisers for agreeing to pay for copies of the novel 'The Brilliant World' by Tom Gates, which will be included in the Year 4 WELCOME PACKS for September. We are all very grateful for this valuable funding.





Oakfield Academy Fundraisers

We are a group of cheery volunteers comprising of parents, staff and friends, who raise funds for the Academy as well as assist with events. Why not come along to one of our meetings where we brainstorm fundraising ideas, consider funding applications and plan our regular events including our sell-out Bingo Nights ! Come along in September and meet our members. Look out for dates in the Newsletter or contact us, oakfieldacademy@educ.somerset.gov.uk.

We look forward to seeing you !



TREASURER TO THE OAKFIELD ACADEMY FUNDRAISERS This post starts in September as our current Treasurer is stepping down.

Please contact the Academy Office if you are interested in volunteering.

Thank you.



Powerful Poetry

In our year 5 'Poetry' unit, we explored the book, 'Lost Words', which celebrates words from nature that are no longer included in the children's Oxford English dictionary. Matilda Sykes chose to write a poem about the lost word, 'Ivy'. She submitted the poem to Blue Peter and received a lovely letter and a Blue Peter badge. Matilda is an ambitious writer and deserves this success after working so hard throughout lockdown.

Please enjoy her poem. MS MUNDY

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I am a sky-climber, a rope-twister. Turning, twirling vines. Time flies. I fly. Vibrant, I hang, waiting, like a smooth, green curtain ready to be pulled open. A secret-hider.

You think weed, I think wild. Ground-creeper, green-weaver, tree-coverer. Nothing can stop me. I cover anything in my path; tree, stone and earth