



Shaw Newsletter 7th July 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome to the penultimate newsletter of the academic year. It's been a fun packed few weeks and there has been much to celebrate at school with the children.

Early indications show that pupils have achieved well in their phonics testing in Year 1+2 and the year 4 children in their multiplication tests. Well done to them all.

- ***Summer Fayre - This Saturday is our Summer Fayre! Please come and support our wonderful PAFOS team who give up so much of thier own time to help raise money for our school. Massive thnk you to them all!***

Best wishes

Mr Thomas Brewer

Headteacher

Summer Fayre - Tomorrow JULY 8TH! On the school field!



Learning at Shaw



Reception Children



1 - As part of their RE learning, Hawks Class children visited our neighbouring church to look around both the inside and outside to spot certain features. They have remembered the names of the various parts of the church and can tell us what they are for /what they mean. Children were then able to compare a church with a mosque in our RE learning this week.



Year 1 Children



*2 - Kites class were AMAZING in their performance at the KS1 Dance Festival at Bath Forum. We were all very proud of them and their dance using the book *The Girl and The Dinosaur* for inspiration.*



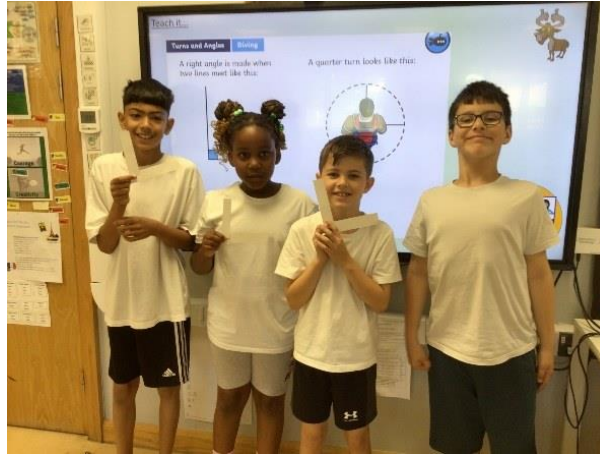


Year 2 Children



3 - Year 2 have been busy designing, sculpting and painting clay tiles in Art. We used our Geography learning about the seaside to create beach scenes and used repeated patterns in our work. Super creativity, Eagles!

Year 3 have been learning that a right angle is a quarter turn. They have also learnt about turning different compass directions in a clockwise and anti-clockwise motion.





Year 4 Children



4 - An exciting adventure awaits! As part of our English unit, Osprey class has been writing about what they would take if they were going to explore the coolest arctic temperatures or the hottest of deserts. We acted out getting ready for our journey and then used this to inspire our creative writing skill of using commas in a list!







Year 5 Children



5 - In Art, Y5s have been carrying on the topic of the Optical Illusion and have discovered the world of photography. They had to be creative with their illusions using perspective and photography skills.

In Science, this term is all about forces. Last week, the children were investigating air resistance on objects. In groups, they designed and built the best parachutes.









Year 6 Children

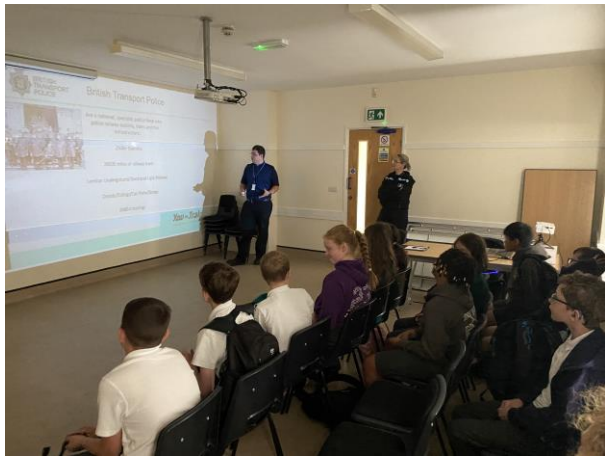


6 - Year 6 children attended the Year 6 Leaver service at Salisbury Cathedral on Tuesday. They were amazed at the size of the cathedral!



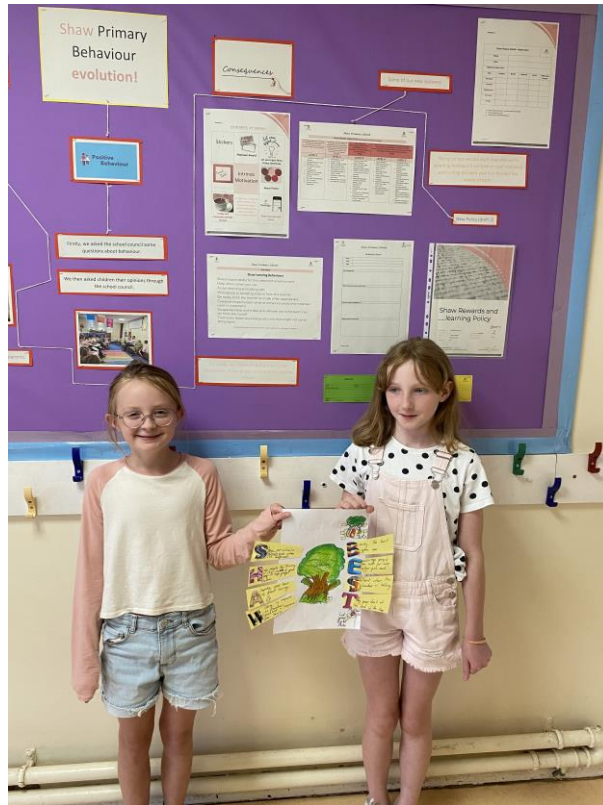
7 - On Thursday Year 6 attended a Junior Good Citizen morning where they learned from police officers about the law, how to conduct themselves and how to make good decisions as they get older.





Pupil Achievements!





8 - Congratulations to Thea and Holly in Year 4 who won Mr Brewer's in school competition to create a SHAWBEST learning behaviour poster for our new behaviour policy!



9 - Well done to our year 6 Ryan who gained grey & white belt standard at Jujitsu today!



10 - Well done to Molly, year 1 - who gained her 5 meter rainbow award at swimming recently.

PAC Club



11 - Performance Arts club had our first full run through to the song 'It Means Beautiful' in celebration of Pride Month. Here's some of our stunning dancers in action as we practice our lyrical dance!

