

Head Teacher's Message

We have one more week left this term and we cannot believe how quickly the time has passed. Our sports teams have competed in various events with other schools within our Academy Trust; it's a fantastic opportunity to compete with new schools.

The FEDS meeting on Monday was once again, very productive and the discos are almost completely organised. The date for the discos is Friday 17th April and letters have been sent out.

The FEDS now have an email address and they would love to hear from anyone with ideas or anyone who would like to help with their activities and events—see the email address below.

Year 6 continued with their Moneywise Programme this week; session 2 was about saving—many thanks to Santander for delivering this life-skills learning.

The police visited Years 5 and 6 and discussed with the children how they can stay safe using social media and the internet. We will be asking the police to talk to parents and carers in a meeting that will be arranged for next term.

The choir sang at Brockington this week and we were really proud of them—many thanks to Mr Toole for coaching the children so well.

Have a good weekend.

Catherine Winterton

LETTERS SENT THIS WEEK

School Day Start—KS2
Swimming for next term
Recorder Club Information
EYFS West Lodge Trip
Netball Tournament
Rugby Tournament
KS1 Easter Bonnets
Class Photos

FEDS

The FEDS now have an email account for parents and carers to contact them more easily. The address is

danemillfeds@gmail.com

MATCH ATTACK CARDS

Could parents and carers please ensure that the children at Key Stage 1 do not bring these cards into school—the cards are getting lost and the children are becoming very upset. Thank you for your co-operation.

DIARY DATES

**Monday 23rd March and
Wednesday 25th March—Parents Evenings
27th March—School Closes for Easter
24th March—Governors Meeting**

ROAD SAFETY ISSUE

Please can we urge parents and carers to be extra careful when driving near to the school. There have been several incidents of dangerous driving witnessed on Mill Lane.

Leicestershire Police have informed us that anyone who sees an incident of dangerous driving close to the school is urged to call the 101 police telephone number and report the details.

The police are very concerned about road safety around schools and are currently developing a campaign to make the areas around school safer for your children.

You may have already noticed a greater police presence around the school.

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CHILDREN'S WHOLE SCHOOL
ATTENDANCE FOR WEEK 9TH MARCH TO
13TH MARCH WAS:
THE TARGET IS 95.68%

97.24%



WEEKLY WINNERS: Green Class achieved 97.27%
For KS1 and KS2 Class 3B achieved 99.29%

- **PLEASE REMEMBER TO CALL THE SCHOOL TO ADVISE US WHEN YOUR CHILD IS ILL OR HAS AN APPOINTMENT.**

Sports Report 20/03/2015

Football

On Wednesday our Y6 B team and girls' team travelled to Badgerbrook for two fixtures. First up were Y6 B V Badgerbrook B. We had to rearrange our formation as our goalkeeper was unavailable and for the first half Zachary bravely took on the role with Harry and Harvey L sharing it in the second half. We started a little nervously and were soon losing 0-1 but the response from all of the players was fantastic. We had a lot of possession, a few chances and played our best football of the season so far. We equalised shortly afterwards with a sublime finish from Harleigh, the team's top scorer. Unfortunately, we did concede two more goals before half-time but the score-line was a little harsh on our efforts, half-time 1-3. We continued to play well in the second half with Jake and Zachary playing particularly well. The second half ended goalless; final score 1-3. Again, despite the score-line this team has made excellent progress so far this season and we are very proud of their achievements so far.

The girls then played Badgerbrook B and we were soon dominating the game with plenty of good passing and lots of chances created. It took us a while to score but it was worth the wait; another great finish from Harleigh. This was quickly followed with a great goal from Poppy, half-time 2-0. The second half continued in the same way with Harleigh and Poppy adding another goal each—final score 4-0. All players deserve a mention as it was our best performance of the season so well done Maria, Neve, Alice, both Hannahs, Harleigh, Poppy and Katie.

No clubs next week apart from Drama Club and Basketball Club

Next week's sports fixtures & dates for your diary:

Tuesday 24 th March - Discovery School's Netball at Kibworth	1:00pm-4:00pm
Wednesday 25 th March - Y6 Football match at Thistly Meadow	3:10pm - 4:40pm
Friday 27 th March - Discovery School's Dance Off at Parklands	1:00pm - 4:00pm

***Thursday 16th April 2015 - The Rice Bowl Semi-Final - Away at Greenfield KO:
3:30pm***

Thursday 21st May 2015 - The FA Premier League School's 'National Championship' at White Hart Lane - further details to follow! Keep checking the newsletter for updates.