

Danemill Primary School

Only the best is good enough.

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We were astounded to see the amount of learning shared within 2WS class assembly and this singing was FANTASTIC.

This week, we were pleased to be able to share that we raised £833.18 of profit from the Apprentice Challenge. It's always such a great opportunity for our children to learn about business skills and raise money for the school at the same time. This years winners were as follows:

Most Profit Overall: Joseph (Year 5)

Year Group Winners: Evie Mae (Year 4), Isabelle (Year 3) and Liam (Year 6)

Most Innovative: Jude and Luke (Year 5)

Thanks again to all of those that supported us with their business ideas or by supporting on the day.

On Wednesday, we started our block of work on the environment within assembly and looked at 'The Polar Bears Home' together. We love our whole school discussions as it gives us a super sense of collaboration to improve our futures together.

There was a lot of giggling at Danemill on Thursday as we had our Easter BINGO session. Mandy came to be our BINGO caller who helped us to have the best night. There were lots of fantastic prizes and we all enjoyed being together and having fun. It is our last BINGO evening this academic year but we will definitely have another one in Autumn. We raised £350 for school which is a record for us! We still have profits that we will be making at tuck shops to add to this.

Finally, we enjoyed our Red Nose Day non-uniform day. For a long time, children have been buying their red noses in preparation and today, we saw all of them!

Special Mentions



Our special mentions this week are as follows:

- Koen Bumblebees For excellent motivation in phonics and writing.
- Caleb Bumblebees For fantastic motivation in writing and forming his letters correctly.
- Thomas Ladybirds For superb **motivation** in writing and consistent improvement.
- Isla Ladybirds For consistent motivation in reading especially sounding out words.
- Eddie 1RP For showing such creativity within his writing.
- Erika 1RP Erika has been reflecting on her work and editing it to make it even better.
- Jasmine 1KF Great communication skills and showing great compassion for others.
- Alfie 1KF Creative skills within dancing and singing. Mrs Watson thinks you will be a future pop star.

Maily - 2JC - You showed great **motivation** when using your talking whiteboard to write fantastic sentences about Sunny the Meerkat.

- Jade 2JC For consistent motivation when working on improving your handwriting.
- Cameron 2WS Motivation in learning how to join your handwriting.
- Amelie 2WS For resilience in reading and working her way through ALL of her books.

Alyssa-Lily - 3JA - Bravery and Collaboration for coordinating a dance for her class assembly.

Lollyanna - 3JA - For motivation when producing a discussion text.

Harley-Jae - 3HJ - For **creativity** with how well he sung in assembly.

Dylan - 3HJ - For **motivation** in improvement within his handwriting AND for improvements in all of his subjects.

Remelle - 4LS - Motivation within reading within school and at home.

Sienna - 4LS - **Motivation** in improving your **communication** within lesson. You have been more confident in participation within lessons.

Poppy - 4BM - Her Haiku poem was well planned and it took great motivation to focus and plan well.

Jesse - 4BM - Supporting others within their throwing and catching skills. **Motivating** others to improve further.

Ava - 5RM - Motivation in reading 7 books over the last 3 weeks.

Katherine - 5RM - **Curiosity** in learning new things and striving to be at the top of the reading charts.

Josh - 5DH - Confidence within assessments. He has such motivation to beat previous scores.

Sam - 5DH - Bringing his learning to life by visiting EYAM after learning about the plague. Super **motivation**.

Alfie - 6LG - With his topic of Algebra in Maths, he has become an official 'Algebra Aficionado'. Super resilience.

Ted - 6LG - Motivation in writing a fantastic narrative with such emotionally charged characterisation!

Reniyah - 6ML - **Motivation** within class discussions in English. She is using the editing process to improve her work too.

Phoebe - 6ML - Resilience and positivity within Maths. She is even reaching Deeper Thinking!

Harry - 6LB - **Resilience** in achieving challenges and deeper thinking within all areas.

Charlotte - 6LB - For curiosity in learning when writing her newspaper report.

Sports SUPERSTARS



Mr Hastings and Mr Combey have been SO pleased this week with efforts during PE that they have nominated the following two children for awards:

Ryelle - 2JC for Team Work and Determination

Chase - 6LG for Leadership Skills and Collaboration

Well done to both for fantastic attitudes!

Wider Life at Danemill



This week we want to share how well Emily in Y4 is doing with her swimming. She was determined to improve her swimming AND SHE DID! Her whole family are incredibly proud as are we.

Well done!

Don't forget to send us your pictures of your children's achievements outside of school. We love receiving them.



Summer Fair - 24th June



How is it that time already?!

Our Summer Fair is planned for Friday 24th June from 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

We are in the process of seeing if anyone would like a stall. Prices for a stall are £10 each.

If you would like one then please email the Office with what you are selling to reserve your spot.



WINNERS - Random Act of Kindness Colouring Competition

Our Wellbeing Champions came together to decide upon the winners of their colouring competition. They said that it was hard to choose the winners as all of the pictures were so amazing.

The winners they chose were:

Pre-School: Mason

Ladybirds: Sienna

1KF: Dylan

2WS: Riley

2JC: Ruby D 3HJ: Talia 5RM: Archie-Lee WELL DONE to all of those that entered.

Reminder - Plea



Mrs Lovell is coordinating a whole school collection to support those affected by the current conflict. She is looking for:

- *Sleeping mats
- *Sleeping bags
- *Flashlights with batteries
- *Bandages
- *First aid kits and dressings
- *Toothbrushes
- *Toothpaste

*Paracetemol for children and adults

- *Shaving equipment
- *Bed linen
- *Blankets
- *Towels
- *Disposable bowls

If you are able to help then please bring the items to the office FAO Mrs Lovell.

Thank you!

Reminder - Bonkers Monsters - Writing Competition



There is a great competition running for our children, called 'Bonkers Monsters'. The children need to create a monster, and write a short story about them (no more than 100 words). We would love it if we could all encourage the children to enter this, there are some amazing prizes to be won 2 We will also give out prizes for the best in school (judged by teachers).

All of the resources needed are attached, you can go to the Young Writers Website for more (<u>Bonkers</u> <u>Monsters</u> | <u>Young Writers</u>. This includes a PowerPoint lesson for you, word banks and story starters 2

The competition entries can be hand written or typed, and they need to be handed to the Office no later than Friday 25th March.

Reminder - SEND Coffee Morning

On 1st April at 9:15am-10:30am we would like to invite you to join a coffee morning at Danemill Primary School. Mrs Linstead and Mrs Porter will be sharing their personal experience of caring for children with additional needs in their own families. They will discuss their child's experience through education and journey to diagnosis. They also wanted to provide an opportunity for other carers to meet, as having those who understand and can share experiences can be a great support. This is open to anyone caring for those with additional needs, or to those who consider that their child may need additional support.

We look forward to seeing you! 2

Reminder - Enderby Events



Please have a look below for the events happening in Enderby:



CALENDAR								
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Monday 21st March 2022: 2JC Class Assembly

Y4 to Beaumanor

Friday 25th March 2022: HOLI Celebrations

Tuesday 29th March 2022: Y1 Swimming starts

Friday 1st April 2022: Coffee Morning for SEND parents - 9 - 10:30 a.m.

Monday 4th April 2022: 1KF Class Assembly

Wednesday 6th April 2022: Easter Bonnet Parade

Friday 7th April 2022: Last day of school before Easter Holidays



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