

NEWS CORNER

The latest news and information about
Mulberry Wood Wharf Primary.



26th April 2024

Updates from Sarah Jane

Blue Whale and Tiger Class news...

Blue whale and tiger started the week off as environmental explorers as they searched through the Soanes cemetery park. They found many different creatures as they turned over enormous wooden logs with their guide Dim. Dim helped them uncover insects that love to hide in the crevasses of the nature trail and identified noises of the different birds singing in the park. The children were most excited about fishing in the cemetery's pond. They observed many different fish which they identified using the word mat which showed them images of creatures they may see. The children thoroughly enjoyed their trip to the Soanes centre.

They have also delved more into their topic book Jack and the beanstalk. The children have been observing their bean plant and keeping a note in their bean diary of any sudden change. They are delighted to see that their bean has finally grown out of its shoot and has a small stem. They cannot wait to see how tall it will really grow. Will it have a castle at the top of their beanstalk for a giant?

Lastly, to celebrate all the achievements Blue Whale and Tiger class have made, they had a bubble party as their marble jar was full! They thoroughly enjoyed playing with their peers and it is a great start to our summer term.



I would like to update you all and share that it will be Anne's final day at Mulberry Wood Wharf next Tuesday, 30th April. Anne has played such an important role in supporting and getting to know all of the children at Wood Wharf, nurturing their developmental and educational journey and has always been dedicated and committed to the children and families who attend the school.

We will be sad to see Anne leave us and we wish her all the best on any new adventures she embarks on with her family.

We are delighted to welcome Rumina to Wood Wharf, Rumina is a very experienced teacher who has been highly recommended. She specialises in Inclusion and Special educational needs. Rumina will replace Anne and will cover the teacher's planning time on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Rumina came in to school this week to meet the children and will start at Wood Wharf on Wednesday 8th May. I know the children, staff and parents will welcome Rumina in to the Wood Wharf family!

Please don't forget it is parent's evening next week, you can book an appointment on Ping or through the class teacher. Please note that meetings are scheduled for 10minutes, please be mindful of this and that other parents will be waiting for their appointment. If appointments overrun, it does have a knock on effect in to the evening.

Have a lovely weekend!

Panda Class news...

It has been another wonderful week for Panda Class as we explored learning in and out of the classroom. In Maths, we have been working on multiplication and developing our fluency on counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. The children have been explaining number patterns and counting backwards and forwards from any number. Panda Class also visited the Transport museum to consolidate their learning on the history of transport in England. They loved discovering real modes of transport from the past and they were lucky enough to sit in some of the old carriages, climb aboard an omnibus and have fun playing in the interactive role play spaces. Khamiyah pretended to be a train driver, Ria was a busy bus driver and Malcolm was imagining fixing some of the broken transport. Children were confident naming and recognising transport as we travelled throughout the museum. Mikaeel said, 'I enjoyed seeing things from a time when I wasn't born yet'.

Next week we will be holding parent meetings. I look forward to meeting everyone. To keep to the timings, each meeting will be timed so that everyone gets to have their allocated time fairly. I appreciate your engagement and I look forward to our conversations.



STAR OF THE WEEK

This week's value is
Creativity

Panda Class' stars:

Nikita

For creating a detailed recount plan about or visit to the Transport Museum

Elijah

For working hard to produce a layered collage art piece.

Blue Whale Class' star:

Aarav

For incorporating creativity in his learning by using his imagination in his drawings.

Tiger class' star:

Esmarelda

For showing creativity by creating imaginative stories through her play.

In recognition, all children have been given a certificate and their class mascot to take home for the weekend. We are looking to hearing about the adventures they get up to at the weekend.



UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

- 30th April & 1st May – Parents evening
- 30th April – Cats protection visit to school
- 1^{wt} May – Fete working party meeting
- 2nd May – **School Closed (Polling station)**
- 7th May – Duckling eggs arrive
- 13th May – Photographer in/class photos
- 22nd May – National Numeracy Day
- w/c 10th June – Y1 phonics screening
- 21st June – Summer show

TABLE OF THE WEEK

Every week we reward children for positive behaviors around lunchtime, such as good manners, playing with the resources safely and with kindness, and trying new food. Well done to:

- Malcolm
- Srikrithi
- Aliah
- Tvisha

ATTENDANCE (Target 97%)

The winning Class this week is
Panda–97 %

Blue Whale – 93 %
Tiger – 94 %



Please don't forget to book your 10 minute parents evening slot through school ping!

MULBERRY WOOD WHARF SCHOOL FETE

SAVE THE DATE

GET READY FOR MULBERRY WOOD WHARF'S FIRST EVER SCHOOL FETE

FRIDAY 28TH JUNE 3-5PM.

Stalls and Games

- Ice cream
- Raffle
- Games
- Tombola
- Bake sale
- Sponge a teacher
- Face painting

Mulberry Wood Wharf Primary and many more activities ...