



Micklem Newsletter

30th September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had another fantastic week at Micklem. Children have been focussed and working so hard on their learning.

In assemblies this week, we have sung songs, read 'Flat Stanley' and talked about all of the changes that have happened, since the start of term.

There has been lots of good learning, with a particular highlight being Year 5 and 6 learning about first aid.

I am looking forward to seeing what the next few weeks brings and sharing it with all of you.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mr. Swift



Thank you for those of you who attended our Macmillan Coffee Morning - it was lovely to spend time getting to know you. Thank you as well to everyone who donated cakes and treats, and to those of you that purchased something in the afternoon. A special thank you to those of you who ended up buying the cakes that you had already donated!

Reminders and updates

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Book fayre

We will be having a book fayre in school from today until Thursday next week (6th October). Please come along after school to our library. You can pay by cash or there is also an option to pay online - details for this are with the books.

Reminder: Free event for SEND family support 9th November

To sign up, please follow this link:
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/dacorum-families-send-information-fayre-tickets-418830923567?aff=ebdsop-orgprofile>



PE lessons

If there is a medical reason why your child/children cannot take part in a PE lesson, please can you contact the school office or provide a written note for your child to give to their class teacher.

IQ Cards

Over the next week, your child will be designing a Christmas Card. They will bring it home on Friday 7th October. If you would like to order cards in your child's design, you will need to return the slip with payment by Friday 14th October. The instructions will be on the card.



First Aid learning

Years 5 and 6 have been learning important first aid skills this week, which included CPR, how to put on a bandage and all about the emergency services.





Learners of the week



Year 6

Luke - for working hard in English and his handwriting- keep it up!

Sienna - for being polite and using good manners - well done!

Year 5

Rafe - for excellent work on Wolves in the Walls and producing lots of written work on a chrome-book.

Kuba - for editing his work, taking care with his handwriting - with perseverance and resilience.

Year 4

Stanley - for an excellent character description and also for making sure he is equipped and ready for learning.

Tafari - for a brilliant effort in English; he has produced a fantastic map, written great directions, used amazing verbs and has completed the most amazing character descriptions - what a super star!

Year 3

Ava-Lilie - for excellent behaviour, cooperating with others and being a kind friend - role model behaviour!

David - for his excellent knowledge about the Stone Age and for also working proactively and safely in Forest School.

Year 2

James - for his resilience in his learning all week, sharing answers and ideas, and for his excellent geographical knowledge about hot and cold regions - wonderful!

Stefan - for being committed to working hard and showing great behaviour when participating in class discussions.

Year 1

Archie - for working hard and trying his best - even when his learning is tricky!

Lacey - for excellent writing which included perfect punctuation!



House Captains



We are delighted to announce our new House Captains for this year! Last week, Year 6 made their House Captain speeches to the rest of the school and the children then had the opportunity to vote for who they would like to represent their house. Here are some of their winning speeches.

Red House

House Captain - Oliver

I really want to raise money for school equipment. I will help our house to win Sports Week this year. I love technology so our house meetings will be fun. I will do my best to make this school an even better place.

Vice House Captain - Elliette

I will try my best to encourage positive behaviour in the school. I believe in never giving up, trying your best and working as a team. I think I'd be a good captain because I will always be there if you need me, you can always come find me on the playground if your feeling lonely. I will listen to all your ideas as every voice matters.

Blue House

House Captain - Ahmet

I'm good working with others- whether they are younger or older than me. We could have a suggestion box with all your great ideas and get some adults to help us.

Vice House Captain - Brayley

I will do everything to help with your education and make it more fun. I will do fundraisers every 3 months to get more equipment. I am great with little children because I have 9 brothers and 2 sisters and 2 of them are babies.

Yellow House

House Captain - Alfie

I'm funny and I don't judge. I have good leadership skills and I'm a great listener and I will be there whenever wherever you need me. I am respectful and great with little kids. If you are lonely please come find me and we can find something to do.

Vice House Captain - Elizabeth

I have a funny, fair attitude with a positive, encouraging spirit. I'll always support your suggestions and ideas and push them forward. I'll always be there if you ask for advice.

Green House

House Captain - Ryan

I am really good with the younger children because I have two little baby sisters at home. I was in the eco committee, where you learn about the environment. I want to make a difference at micklem school a better place.

Vice House Captain - Macie

I know how to work as a team and am good with little kids. I will support you even if you are sad, happy or mad. I will try and make a fun day and try to raise money for more playground equipment.