

Good News!

Year 6

In Year 6 this week, we have been getting really excited about poetry. We have read some challenging poems, such as 'Charge of the Light Brigade' by Tennyson and enjoyed discussing them. Next we will have a go at writing our own poems in the style of 'The Jabberwocky.'

In History, we are scripting a chat show where our 'guests' discuss the evidence for Ancient Greek myths being reality. We also revised all of our science learning by creating our own quizzes. It has been a busy week!

Cameron and Amy

Year 5

This week we have been very busy in Year 5. We have been studying decimals, ordering numbers and turning decimal numbers into fractions – then trying to find their simplest form by dividing the numerator and the denominator. This has helped us see how important our times tables are.

We have been preparing for the PTFA Christmas Fayre by making decorations for the Year 5 tree and putting together our hamper.

On Thursday, we all came in non-uniform to support Evelina from Laureate School in Newmarket who was seriously injured in a road accident a couple of weeks ago. We were all proud to donate money to help her family at this very difficult time.

Year 3

In SFA this week we have been learning about poetry. Today we wrote an acrostic poem. Mine was about "trembles". Thomas

In Maths we have been learning about fractions. We have also been making some Christmas decorations for our class trees. We made Christmas trees and Christmas stars and decorated them. Daglar

Year 1

This week I have enjoyed doing phonics and we have been learning about i_e. There are lots of words that have this sound. Ru

I liked making my Christmas decoration. It is an Elf's hat and it is fluffy. Angie

Year 4 This week in Year 4 we have been learning how to divide using chunking on a number line. We used our times tables lots to help us!

In History we have been discovering what weapons Anglo Saxons use. We learnt how they built houses using wood and stones, it was very interesting.

We made some Christmas decorations in class using lots of different materials. Some of these included pine cones, tinsel and felt. We also made Christmas cards to send to some older people who may not get very many. Azariah and Karam

Year 2 This week we have been really busy rehearsing our lines and trying on our costumes for our Christmas production.

In Maths we have been practising our multiples of 2, 5 and 10 x tables and finding total amounts of money using coins.

We made Christmas tree decorations ready for the school fair on Saturday. We hope you like them. Alex and Ben

Reception

We drew some pictures of the different times of the year and we are learning our months of the year. Luna

We have been practising our nativity songs. I went to forest school with Mrs Wood. I climbed trees. Kalem

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Mrs Moore's Memorable Moment



This week, we were invited to attend the Living Sport Annual Sport's Awards. Mrs Paskell and myself attended and I am delighted to inform you that we were awarded School of the Year at the ceremony. This is a true honour and a wonderful recognition of all that Mrs Paskell, with support from Ian Jackson at Forest heath Sport's Partnership, does to increase participation in sport and activity at Ditton Lodge. It was amazing to see written down all the competitions that we have been able to take part in and all of the opportunities our young people have. Thank you to all of you who have tirelessly transported your children (and others!) to competitions and events. Without your support as a wider community, we would not be able to take part in this rich offer.

I look forward to seeing many of you at our Christmas Fete tomorrow from 12-3pm.

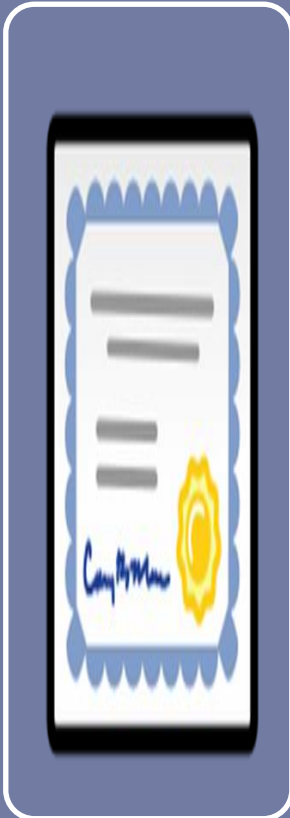


RIBIT Certificates



10th - Jimmy C-W, April A, Bardia F-G, Freddie C, Leo T, Rosie B, Ben T, Alex S, Amelia B, Amelia G, Max P, Daniel L, Elsie B, Lucas T, Millie M, James G, Xavier D, Olivia P, Oscar B, Luca D, Darcey W, Thomas G, Freddie B, Hermione C, Leon O'N, Isabel F, Arthur H-M, Amelie C-P, Dexter P, Anouk G, Igor P, Archie B, Freya S, Abbey H, Isla H, Peter R, Rowan N, Leah H-F, Issie G, Lauren W, Maisie B, Natasha D, Bethany H

Who received a Good News Certificate this week



Belkisa B
Sebastian C
Elsie B
Logan H
Jakub K
Leon O'N
Ben C
Arabella C
Louis B
Lily S
Luca P
Summer N
Olivia G
Peter R



This Week's House Points winner is:

Palace House	2160
Tattersalls House	2375
Severals House	2465
Hyperion House	2015



Friendly Fish

Ella May M

Harrison H

Bethany T

Frankie F

Scarlett M

Aaliyah B

Emily P



This week's Word of the Week is innovative.

News from the PTFA

Just a reminder that our Christmas fete is tomorrow, Saturday 30th November from 12.00 noon to 3.00 pm. We hope to see lots of you there.

We would gladly welcome cake or biscuit donations for our refreshments stall. Please bring these to the old hall on Saturday from 9.00 am to 12 noon.

Attendance for this week

Reception	91.33%	Year 1	97.67%	Year 2	97.67%	Year 3	97.04%
Year 4	97.67%	Year 5	98.93%	Year 6	98.06%	Whole school 96.91%	