

# Mears Ashby School News

## Friday, 28th June 2019



### Values Education

**Our value is: Forgiveness : Mark 11: 25: "And wherever you stand praying, forgive, if you have anything against anyone, so that your Father also who is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses."**

We have had another busy period at the school with all our pupils producing some fantastic work.

**Elms** We have had another busy term! The Summer term is a great time for getting outdoors so we have taken full advantage with our village walk, planting and Sports Day too.

**Sycamores** This term Sycamores have been learning about predators! We have created food chains for different animals and found out about dinosaur predators in the past. We have also learnt about amazing carnivorous plants.

**Oaks** We have been learning all about the moon and earth's place in the solar system. We have made a class solar system.

#### Sports Day

Thank you to everyone that attended and supported our Sports Day on Wednesday. It is always a great event for children, staff and parents. Well done to all our house teams for all their sporting achievements and in particular to Manor m who were our winning house team.

#### Year 6 Trip

Our Year 6 children have a very exciting last few weeks with us at Mears Ashby before going to their secondary schools in September and on Thursday 11th July they are off to Twinlakes Theme Park in Melton Mowbray as a well deserved and earned treat.

#### Year 6 Leavers Assembly

This year's Leavers Assembly for our Year 6 pupils will take place in the hall from 2pm on Tuesday 23rd July. We would like to wish all our leavers all the best in the future as they start at their chosen secondary schools in September.

#### Father's Day Breakfast

Thank you all our dads, grandads and uncles that attended our Father's Day Breakfast event on Friday 14th June. There was a great turn out and it was lovely to see all our visitors and children being able to sit, eat and chat together.

#### Cake Stalls

Thank you for your continued support with our weekly cake stalls. This month Year 2 raised £24.70, Year 1 raised £17.80 and Reception raised -£16.50

#### Cake Stalls for July :

**Year 5 - Friday 5th July**

**Year 4 - Friday 12th July**

**Year 3 - Friday 19th July**

#### Splash Day & Ice Creams

As part of Elms Summer Splash Day on Friday 5th July we have invited an ice cream van to be in attendance and for all the children to have the opportunity to buy an ice cream or a lolly for just £1 per child.

Please can we collect your child's money in by next Wednesday 3rd July so we know in advance how many children would like an ice cream or ice lolly.

Thank you.

#### Dates for the Diary:

**Whole School Spelling Bee - 4th July**

**Parent/Carer Drop In - 4th July - 2.45pm**

**Elms Splash Day - 5th July**

**Year 5 Cake Stall - 5th July**

**Celebration Assembly- 10th July at 9.15am**

**Transition Morning (Whole School) - Thursday 11th July**

**Year 6 Trip -Twinlakes Theme Park -Thursday 11th July**

**Reports out to Parents - Friday 12th July**

**PDET Going for Gold Sports Day - Friday 12th July**

**Year 4 Cake Stall - 12th July**

**Teddy Bears Picnic - Tuesday 16th July (Elms & September intake)**

**Leavers Disco - Thursday 18th July at 5pm.**

**Year 3 Cake Stall - 19th July**

**Year 6 Leavers Assembly - Tuesday 23rd July at 2pm.**

**End of Term Church Service - Wednesday 24th July at 9.30am**

**Last Day of Term - Wednesday 24th July**

**No After School Clubs on the last day of term -24th July**

**Summer holidays - 25th July - 2nd September**

**Return to school on Wednesday 4th September**

### ATTENDANCE FOR JUNE

**Please note the expected attendance is 96%**

Should your child's attendance fall below 96% for any reason, it is the school's statutory duty to send reminder letters to parents and carers to inform them that their child is below the national expectation, regardless of whether the absence has been authorised or not.

CLASS	Presents	Authorised Absences	Unauthorised Absences	Possible	% Attend
ELMS	398	0	2	400	99.5
SYCAMORES	673	7	16	770	90.0
OAKS	993	28	18	1120	94.5
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2064</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>2290</b>	<b>94.5</b>

### June Birthdays

Freddie, Tejay, Imogen, Megan, Amelia & Megan