

MILLWOOD NEWS

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SPORTS DAY

A huge thank you to all our parents and carers for supporting us on the day, at our assembly and in spirit if you were working and couldn't make it! Well done to Steph and all the staff for making it all happen indoors when the weather was so awful. Well done to all the children for representing their teams so magnificently. Please see the photographs at the end of the newsletter.

POP UK

Pop UK is upon us and we have recorded our songs and performed at Wesley Methodist School on Wednesday evening with the pupils there. Our concert was Thursday 16 June - pictures attached. Thanks to all our families and friends at Wesley for supporting us. A very big thank you to Alison for organising this brill event.

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A very big thank you to Mickey Spillane coaches who are providing transport free of charge for our Portland Basin Museum trip.

GOODBYE TO LAURA ...

A fond farewell to Laura and we wish her all the very best for the future. She bought us this lovely hand-made gift.



RESULTS FOR THE PARENTS RELAY

- 1st: Red Team
- 2nd: Black Team
- 3rd: Green Team
- 4th: Blue Team
- 5th: Yellow Team

Well Done to all involved!

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STARS OF THE WEEK



FS/KS1



Oliver R-H for independently colouring in a Union Jack flag and for recognising the Queen.

KS1/2



Cody K for being a good caring friend to other children around school. He has also been taking part in group sessions really well and has been sensible and caring throughout the week. Well Done Cody - we are very proud of you!

Nursery 1 What a smashing sporting week we have had! My word did our competitive side shine! From the relay race to the soft javelin competition we were great, but the race we liked best of all was the parents race! Go Mummy go! Go Daddy go!



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Whitelow 1 have been celebrating Queen Elizabeth's 90th Birthday. We held a party and enjoyed afternoon tea. We wore our Union Jack Hats and waved our flags whilst we listened



to the National Anthem. We re-enacted the Highland Games and had fun Scottish dancing. During Healthy Millwood Day we listened to the story of "The



Vey Hungry Caterpillar" and sorted food into groups. We learnt our new class song "I Can Eat a Rainbow" and made a smoothie in the New World Café. We had lots of fun exercising on the Air Flow track and participating in

Sports Day.

Whitelow 2 What a fabulously busy week we've had with something exciting to do on every single day. The children in Whitelow 2 have been working tremendously hard being super healthy and active on Healthy Millwood Day.

They were all fabulously focussed and tried really hard in Sports Day and they have done beautiful art work related to the Olympic rings. Well done everybody.



Redvales 1 This week Redvales 1 have had a very sporty, healthy week! We have taken part in some fantastic activ-



The children showed great determination and effort doing the hurdles, bean bag throw, javelin, long jump and relay! Well done everybody!



ities on sports day and we loved racing our friends from other classes. Some of us also visited Wheels for All at Clarence Park and had a great time doing laps of the park - it was

a bit rainy but it didn't spoil our fun!

Redvales 2 This week we have been keeping a close eye on our raised beds. We've got wild flowers, carrots, broad beans and sunflowers all growing together, it's a fantastic sight. We've been measuring the sunflowers too, one in the polytunnel is well over 1 metre high!



Redvales 3 We have had a brilliant week! It all started with "Healthy Millwood Day" on Monday. All the children had great fun trying new activities such as the Air Track and yoga. We also had a fantastic time on our Sports Day.



Redvales 4 really enjoyed Healthy Living Day. We took part in yoga, Air track and healthy eating and had lots of fun! We also enjoyed sports day which all redvales 4 took part in. Well Done.



Redvales 5 have had a lovely week, we enjoyed Sports Day on Monday, cheering and clapping our friends and trying very hard in all activities. We also enjoyed learning about insects in science and went on a bug hunt outside and around the polytunnel.



Redvales 6 have had a wonderfully active week! We loved celebrating Healthy Millwood Day, particularly joining our friends in Redvales to make delicious smoothies and going on the Mill-



wood Mile. On Tuesday, we participated in Sports Day and had lots of fun competing in events such as the javelin and long jump. We have also been busy making some lovely Father's Day treats. We hope you like them!



Irwell 1 Continuing on with our Science studies of last week, Irwell 1 have had a wonderful time exploring where mini-beasts live in soil, grass, leaves and wood. We have even had the chance to see some more real mini-beasts and thought that the cricket hopping around over the leaves was great!



Irwell 2 In Irwell 2 this week we have really enjoyed sports day working hard in all events. We have enjoyed our healthy school day we made smoothies with pedal power.



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have had, keeping fit with Bury FC, learning how to be healthy during Healthy School day and trying our best in all the games at sports day. Harry was a great team player, cheering his friends in yellow team. We decorated biscuits during food technology and de-

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signed our own t-shirt using the Purple Mash programme on the computer.



Irwell 4 have had another exciting week, we have done lots of activities on "Healthy Millwood Day". We



went on the Air Track, walked a Millwood mile and made a smoothie by generating power when pedalling a bike. We have also enjoyed "Sports Day". We all joined in each activity and supported our teams. Some of us joined in the "Pop UK!" concert and have done super signing and singing- Well Done Irwell 4!

Irwell 5 What a busy and exciting week we have had this week with Healthy Living Day, Sports Day and POP UK. During Healthy Living day we tried lots of different exercises including yoga and we walked the Millwood Mile.



Irwell 6 What a very busy



week we have had! Transition visits to Elms Bank, Healthy

Living Day, Pop UK and of course Sports



Day. We have all tried so hard this week and coped so well with the changes. Here we are in our yoga lesson on Monday learning how to relax and stay healthy.

LITERACY AND NUMERACY FUN

Redvales 1 had fun travelling into space this week. Dressed in space suits and strapped into a heated rocket they blasted off into the darkness. Once in space they tracked: lights, balloons, stars and bubbles before re-



turning to Earth with a BUMP!



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Caroline Rawstron joined us for Sports Day.



POP UK

