



13th September 2021

### SCHOOL GAMES VALUES













In PE, we are concentrating on the school games values which are: determination, self-belief, passion, respect, teamwork and honesty.

The focus last week was determination.

Well done to all the children for showing determination in their PE lessons. These children in particular showed great determination and received a certificate for their efforts.

Oak Felix Valinakis-Westwell

Ash Annie Wellman

Willow Stanley Laycock

Hawthorn Katie Tomlinson

Birch Ruby Tomlinson

Chestnut Alex Scheidt

Alder Max Ezzard

Rowan Ocsar Dakin

Sycamore Blake McTear

### **ECOZONE WORKING PARTY**

On Saturday 2nd October 2021, we are putting together a working party to carry out routine groundwork in the EcoZone. You do not need to be a gardener just willing to get your hands dirty! If you are able to help, please contact the school office. The work will start at 10.00am.

# NASAL FLU—18 OCTOBER 2021

IntraHealth will be visiting school on Monday 18th October 2021 to administer the Nasal Flu Vaccine. Your child will be bringing home an information booklet and consent form this evening. Please complete and return the consent form by Friday 17th September 2021.



#### DATES FOR THE DIARY

22 Oct INSET Day
25-29 Oct Half-term
20 Dec—3 Jan 22 Christmas
14—18 Feb 22 Half-term
21 Feb 22 INSET Day
4—18 Apr 22 Easter
29 Apr 22 Extra BH
2 May 22 May Day







### **JIMMYS**

Places at Jimmys MUST be paid for in advance. Cancelations notified after 4.00pm the day before a booking and non-attendance will be charged. Jimmys can be contacted during club hours on: 07864 352507 or by email: jimmys@st-james.lancs.sch.uk.



### PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

The online application system for Primary and Secondary school places is open. If your child is due to start either Secondary or Primary School in September 2022 the deadlines for applications are as follows:

Secondary 31st October 2021 Primary 15th January 2022

Please apply online at: www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools



### STARS OF THE WEEK

<u>Oak</u> Whole Class!	Ash Heidi Knowles Esemae Gill Milo Hudghton Ted Macdonald	Willow Harry Hamer-Glynn Sienna Wharton Angelica Isher- wood
<u>Birch</u>		
Har <mark>ry Kenyon</mark>		
Archie Taylor	<u>Hawthorn</u>	<u>Chestnut</u>
Kayleigh Cook	Alice Walker	Luke Rushton
Jasmine	Jacob Harris	Alex Scheidt
Ishewrwood	Jack Clegg	Levi Dewhurst
- A	Whole of Class	Zara Israr
A.C.	A	Natalia Br <mark>u</mark> nning
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	Communication	
Rowan	Sycamore	
W	Alfie Fletcher	<u>Alder</u>
Finley Pao <mark>lozzi</mark>	Scarlett Brunning	Lily-Marie Kelly
Ava Free <mark>dman</mark>	Darcey Freedman	Maddie Rose
		Tilly Tomlinson

### Attendance

The attendance figures for week beginning 6th September 2021 are as follows:

<u>Oak</u>		<u>Acorn</u>	
96.9%	3hr 45 mins	100%	No lates
<u>Ash</u>		Willow	
98.8%	30 mins late	99.6%	1 hr late
<u>Birch</u>		<u>Hawthorn</u>	
96.7%	15 mins late	97.7%	5 mins late
<u>Chestnut</u>		<u>Alder</u>	
98.8%	5 mins late	95.4%	2 hr late
Rowan		Sycamore	
100%	10 mins late	99.3%	10 mins late

### School

98.1% Attendance

7 hrs of education missed due to late

arrival

Government guidelines recommend a minimum attendance of 96%.

### GRANT AWARDS

We have successfully bid for and won the following grants:

# 1. Local School Nature Grants Scheme

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded a Local School Nature Grant. Thanks to players of the People's Postcode Lottery, our pupils will be benefiting from:

- a Play Out Kit and Learn and Play Out Books.
- b. A Woodland Activity Kit which provides ideas and activities for playing with children in a woodland setting, together with a leaf print set and some animal footprints on wooden discs.
- c. Ground Cover Kit Class set of Foam mats, Roll mats, Kneeler mats, Waterproof picnic blanket rug and tarpaulins
- d. Wildlife Watching Kit A wildlife camera with night vision, a range of wildlife products such as a hedgehog home, nest box, bee home and window feeder which will be used to enhance our outdoor learning in the Eco Zone.

The project is run by Learning through Landscapes and funded by People's Postcode Lottery.

2. <u>Ernest Trust Outdoor Essentials Grant - (Transport and Travel)</u>

We received a grant of £500.00 towards Transport and Travel for Outdoor Learning.

# 3. <u>Casdon Toys 'Helping out in the Home Corner' initiative</u>

We have won a huge bundle of toys worth over £150 to enhance our role play areas. The packs are full of fun activity sheets, certificates and stickers along with child-sized home corner favourites. These include Henry and Hetty vacuum cleaners, cleaning trolleys, a mini Morphy Richards microwave and Kitchen Set plus lots more!

