



Newsletter No. 9

Pride in ourselves, pride in our school, pride in our community.

Friday 24th June 2022



Student Council

The school council executive team hosted Mrs Rowlands this week when she came in to talk about how we can better consider our impact on the environment. She will be supporting the school to improve its approach to recycling.



Geography in Year 3

This week the children have been learning about the water cycle. They have made their own mini water cycles in a bag so that they can see how the water evaporates, forms a cloud and then falls back to Earth.



DT in Year 1

Year 1 have been busy making fruit and vegetable faces in DT. This went cross curricular as they were looking at healthy eating too.



School Dinners

As from September 2022 school dinners will increase from £2.30 to £2.40. This is in line with food prices rising. Thank you.

Golden Book

Children are nominated by Teaching Assistants and Teachers for a Principal's award which is entered in the Golden Book. The award can be for living one of our Values or special achievement. Sporting awards/achievements gained through a regular commitment to a club or group are also celebrated.

Ash	Emily	for always showing she is ready, being attentive and consistently giving 100% effort.
Oak	Ruby	for being a 'Go for it Gorilla' with her writing. Ruby has been trying hard to write sentences independently using her phonics and remembering finger spaces.
Elm	Lucy	for always taking a pride in her work in all areas of the curriculum.
Beech	Daniel	for his excellent engagement and enthusiasm for learning new skills during our trip to Celtic Harmony.
Willow Maple	Teddy Lewis	for his consistent enthusiasm towards his learning. for settling well into Maple class and for making some great contributions to lessons, especially in our maths lessons on fractions.
Sycamore	Ava	for making great progress in reading and her self-awareness of her successes over the year.
Chestnut	Elodie	for her enthusiasm towards all areas of her learning and for adding lots to our class discussions with her fantastic ideas and questions.
Birch	Jagoda	for her infectious enthusiasm and hard work in our study of money.
Hazel	Harriet	for her growth mindset attitude when writing her report.



Tidy Ted

Ash Class for everything being in the right place and a very tidy space. Well done.

Other awards to mention

At least three pupils from Gothic Mede Academy competed in the UTA Taekwondo National Championships on Saturday 18th June.

Beech Class now has two National Champions in its ranks, Isabella and Max in the red stripe and blue stripe categories respectively.

Nepin from Elm Class also came away with a medal after a good showing in the green stripe category.

Motocross Harper Maple class
East of England Race - 4th out of 25 riders – Trophy
East of England Riding Award - Trophy

Football

Poppy	Birch	Under 9 players player Season trophy
Teddy	Willow	Under 7s players player Season trophy
George	Willow	Sportsman trophy Season trophy
Harley	Elm	Players medal
Brick club	Dexter Teddy	Willow Willow
Street Dance	Gillies Rhys	Chestnut Birch