

NEWSLETTER NO 2

Friday 18th September 2020

Our value for this month is: quality



Well done Teddy

Teddy has been raising money for his local football team, Hitchin town FC.

The club needs to raise £25,000 for major repair work at their ground in Hitchin in order to stay in their league. Teddys brother Josh, Uncles Callum and Brett all play or have played for the club in the past as well as both of Teddy's Grandads. He loves going to watch them play at the weekend, and when he was 4 he was asked to be mascot when they were in the first round of the FA cup. He even saw himself on the tv which he thought was great.

Teddy said that he wanted to raise some money for them. So we came up with a plan... on Sunday 27th September he is going to run, walk, scoot 25 laps of Hitchin's top field! It's about 9k. Hitchin FC are calling him their very own Captain Tom. The event is called '25 laps to keep Hitchin on the map.' So far Teddy has smashed his £500 target and is currently at £920. GMA are very proud of you!

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/teddystopfield25?utm_id=106&utm_term=d3Ky2pkxX&fbclid=IwAR2cRGydsRWJ9n_I1av5IBIO4vfpqNNY3pPS9-BW-_PwbMz3_UCbrAXpxZI



A big reminder!

Please please do not send anything into school containing nuts. We are a nut free school.



Clubs have returned!

It has been fantastic this week to see some clubs return and the children really enjoying these. Some clubs will be rotating Year groups at the end of each half term so we keep the children in their Year bubbles. Keep an eye on your Parentmail as further information will be sent through this.

Zoca club

Miss Mills introduced Zoca to Year 2s this week. This is dance aerobics and is lots of fun. There were lots of tired children by the end of the club!



Homework club

Homework (Fun!) club has started this year after school. This half term it is for 6 Year 4s. This club not only supports children with their homework but also helps them with areas of learning that they may have found more challenging. This will rotate throughout the year amongst different year groups and is led by Mrs Holland.



School Council

This week Year four pupils have written and performed their school council speeches. We were very impressed with their enthusiasm and the courage they showed.



Year 2 News!

This week in Year 2 we have been reading the story Lost and Found and comparing it to the film version. We have written speech bubbles, made puppets and performed puppet shows, planned a new ending for the story and written it. We also created a stunning piece of artwork based on the illustrations from the book. Well done Year 2 for another great week!



Golden Book

Children are nominated by Teaching Assistants and Teachers for a Head Teacher'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.

Beech	Isla	for her enthusiastic attitude to the return to school and her love of learning.
Elm	Oliver	for settling into Elm class so well and having a super first week at Gothic Mede Academy.
Maple	Siyana	for fantastic attitude to learning, her valuable contributions in class and taking such pride in her work.
Willow	Huey	for his fantastic sunshine writing about his summer Holidays. He presented his work beautifully and even used the adjective 'rocky' to describe the sea!
Chestnut	Georgia	for her great attitude and enthusiasm towards the work of Kandinsky in Art.
Sycamore	Phoenix	for his sensible attitude to safety around the school and for finding solution to problems we come across.
Hazel	Imogen	for living the value of friendship and helping someone new settle into class.
Birch	Esme	for her fantastic mathematical reasoning and participation in learning.

