Newsletter
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News!

It was lovely to see so many of you at parents evening this week and viewing the wonderful art work. I hope you all gained an insight into where your children are up to in their learning and their next steps.

Unfortunately, some of the positive comments were marred by complaints from our neighbours around the parking. Once again, I kindly ask you all to think about this and park sensibly on Lake Avenue and walk down to school.

As we enter the last week of term and the beginning of spring, I hope you have a restful weekend,

Mrs Bodman-Knight

	STARS OF THE WEEK	
nderla	Kiara	Iris
Base Wow Cuperb	Louis	Demeter
Fabulous Magnificant	Naia	Apollo
and a little	Su and Milinta	Poseidon
Ann was on wow of	Reuben	Athena
States and	Ann	Zeus



DoJo Awards 100

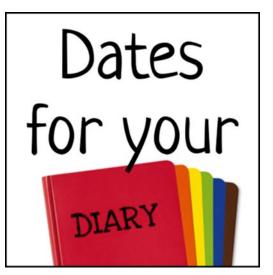
Poseidon	Leen
Athena	Aeva
	Zara

DoJo Awards 50

Athena	Charlie
	Camron

All parents are welcome at our celebration assemblies – every Friday at 9am sharp.





Art Gallery

Thank-you to everyone who purchased their children's artwork from the gallery this week—after deducting costs, we have made an impressive £235 profit which will be reinjected into ongoing school projects

DATES FOR DIARY!

26th March—Year 3 Assembly 2:45pm 30th April—Year 2 Assembly 2:45pm

17th April—Read with Children.

24th April—School Nurse Coffee Morning (details to follow).

2nd May – POLLING DAY. SCHOOL CLOSED

Midsummer Festival 21st June 2024 Details to follow.

Medication

Dear all, after Easter we are changing how we do medicine at HMPS, due to changing guidelines. We will be administering **prescription only** medications. If your child is unwell enough to need Calpol throughout the day then they will need to stay at home. Inhalers and epi-pens will remain the same.





On Wednesday 13th March, Miss Letts and I accompanied nine year 5 and 6 football players, our team manager, Mr Seamarks, parents and grandparents to the regional finals of the u11 Small Schools tournament. After winning the Kettering tournament and then the county tournament we then found ourselves facing teams from all around the Midlands. The tournament structure involved two leagues of 4 teams with the top two teams from each league battling it out in semi-finals for a place in the final. The 10 minute, one-way game format means that the pace is high and the pressure on to score early. Unfortunately, in our first game the opposition scored early on. We battled on but it wasn't to be. We remained positive and started our second game. After going one goal down, we were then awarded a penalty! With the upmost confidence, Dexter stepped up and scored. 1-1. A last-minute goal meant that we lost this game 2-1. One of our players had picked up an injury so we need a quick restructure of the team before the third game. The players all remained positive but we suffered a 1-0 lose. Across all three games all the players had given their best and only conceded 4 goals. We were incredibly proud of their efforts and the sportsmanship that they showed. This was even evident when they sat and watched the semi-finals and the finals where they cheered as loudly for the other schools as if they were our own!

A big thank you to Mr Seamarks for acting as our manager throughout all the rounds and to everyone for all their support.

A special mention must go to **Mr. Thorpe**, Oscar's grandad, who reached out to us to ask if his company could support us in anyway. Following an amazing meeting with CPL-ltd they agreed to sponsor the team's football kit, tracksuits and the travel to the event. The team looked so professional as they stepped off the bus and throughout the tournament.

A massive thank you from us all at Hall Meadow!

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