

A Day At The Tennis

On Tuesday, Some of Year 5 and Year 4 went on a trip to Edabaston for a tennis treat. At the start we went onto an AstroTurf pitch to practise some tennis. We practised rallies and rebounding against a net. After that we had a lunch for about half an hour, played some games and then relaxed. Then we looked around the shops to buy ice cream. Finally, we went to watch a tennis match. There were loads of people but Jayden and Libby particularly liked Petra Martic versus Ekaterina Alexandrova. In the end Martic won. We would definitely go again - why don't you take up tennis? You'll love it!" The atmosphere was great. After the match was finished we went back on a hill to play some more games like tig and tag, hide and seek and throwing and catching. In our opinion we really enjoyed how polite the people were when we were practising tennis when we got something wrong. We also think that the people that went really enjoyed it! We also saw some famous people like Venus Williams and a famous news reporter.

Handball Triumph

Jayden and Libby, Sycamores

On Friday 14th June, nine Year 6 pupils (Alisha, Dicaprio, James P-D, Joel, Haya, Insaf, Millie, Tionne and Tuyen) went to Kingsbury Academy to play in a handball competition. We won all of our matches except one, which made us go to the semi-finals. In the semi-finals, we were losing 2-1 in the first minute. But because we persevered, we came back and won 4-2. We then went to the final and won 5-0 which led us to winning the competition. Thanks to Mr Harris and Miss Reid for taking us.

Joel and Tionne, Magnolias

New Year 3 Parents' Meeting

We will be holding a meeting for parents of children currently in Year 2 who will be joining us in September. This meeting will be held on Wednesday 26th June at 6.00pm. It is really important that you attend, even if you already have a child at the school. There will be important information given out and you will have the chance to meet the staff who will be working in Year 3 next year. **Raffle Tickets**

Ahead of our Summer Fayre, raffle tickets go on sale today. They cost £2 for a strip of 5. The star prize is once again a bike, donated by Aspire People, an agency that we do a lot of work with. We also have a wireless printer and lots more prizes to give away. Don't miss out!

Year 6 Leavers' Events - Correction

Last week we wrote about some Year 6 events in the run up to the end of the year. Unfortunately there was an error regarding the leavers' disco and barbecue - thank you to an eagle-eyed parent for spotting this! This event will take place at 5.00pm on Wednesday 10th July, not on Thursday 11th. Apologies for any confusion caused.

Summer Fayre

The Summer Fayre takes place next Friday straight after school. As usual, there will be lots to do, buy, have a go at, eat and drink. We hope to see you all here. All money raised will go into School Fund, which is used entirely for the benefit of the children. The weather forecast is currently for a hot day with a low chance of rain - please keep your fingers crossed! On the day, when you are waiting to collect your child, please excuse all the setting up that is going on around you, and please wait on the playground as usual, and do not crowd the main entrance. Thank you in advance.

> Pen Licence This Week Abbas (Sycamores)

Beeches Brilliant Writers Last week's winner: Gursharan (Cedars) This week's prompt: The Boy With Flying Shoes

Whole School AttendanceThis Week: 95.1%Year So Far: 96.4%

This Week's Team Points

1. Blue Dragons5122. Red Phoenix5113. Yellow Unicorns4654. Green Griffins435

Elms: Dylan Firs: Hannah Oaks: Hafsah Birches: Ayaan Palms: Vinnie Spruces: Blake

Pupil of the Week Cedars: Deen

Pines: Wareesha Sycamores: Keith Chestnuts: Evie Magnolias: Deen Willows: Aazan

Diary Dates

Wed 26th Jun, 6.00pm Fri 28th Jun, 3.35pm Mon 1st Jul Wed 3rd Jul, pm Mon 8th Jul, pm Wed 10th Jul, 1.30pm & Thu 11th Jul, 9am Wed 10th Jul, 5.00pm Mon 15th Jul, pm Tue 16th Jul, 6.00pm Fri 19th Jul Mon 22nd Jul Mon 2nd Sep

Wed 26th Jun, 6.00pmNew Year 3 parents' meetingFri 28th Jun, 3.35pmSummer FayreMon 1st JulYear 5 Greek DayWed 3rd Jul, pmChildren visit new classesMon 8th Jul, pmSports DayWed 10th Jul, 1.30pmYear 6 leavers' show

Year 6 leavers' disco and barbecue Reserve Sports Day Beeches Has Got Talent Children break up for summer Teacher Day - school closed Teacher Day - school closed

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