

Oak Hill C of E Primary School

Newsletter 19th April 2024

*Jesus said, 'I have come that you may have life in all its fullness'
(John 10:10)*

The week in brief

Key Stage 2 pupils were treated to a musical recital by performance pianist Clare Hammond. She played several classical pieces, including Beethoven's Moonlight Sonata. She finished with an explanation of piano workings, performing the final piece with the covers open, captivating both pupils and staff, hopefully inspiring us to continue with our musical instruments or try a new one.



Redwood went to Pizza Express for a pizza masterclass. The children were shown how to, and then made the Queen of pizzas, a margarita, following 5 steps, which they did with confidence - then enjoyed the delicious pizza for lunch.



The chicks are on their way to their new farm homes. Thanks to Noah and Seb for chick-sitting and FOOHS for funding this delightful experience!

Attendance update:

Thank you for your efforts to improve attendance - this week we reached **96.64%** - a great result - well done!

Our target this year remains a minimum of 96% across the whole school and our year to date is now at 93.39%.

Please check the NHS guide "Is my child too ill for school":
<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

Church services for this Sunday 21st April

9.00am - Great Washbourne - HC for the Easter Season

10.30am - Dumbleton – A family 'Songs of Praise' Service

Our half termly Christian value is perseverance: to go on doing something even though it is difficult



We have lots more coming up including class and whole school, Trim Trail, skipping, maypole dancing, rounders, tag rugby and more - letters will come home with children over the coming weeks.

House Points

Ashdown	78
Dean	159
Sherwood	101

Rowan class star of the week

Etty for writing some amazing sentences this week using your phonics to spell and including capital letters, spaces between words and full stops.

Elm class star of the week

Amber for her focus and attentiveness with resultant progress, especially when writing.

Redwood class star of the week

Seb for perseverance and determination with his work, focusing on the task at hand and trying to avoid distractions!

Diary dates (subject to change):

APRIL

26th Swimming Y5&6

MAY

1st i Sing Pop - whole school afternoon

3rd Swimming Y5&6

8th Nature In Art trip - whole school

10th Swimming Y5&6

17th Swimming Y5&6

24th Swimming Y5&6

JUNE

6th Science festival - whole school - letter to follow

7th Swimming Y5&6

13th Olympic & PE workshops - whole school - details to follow

14th Swimming Y5&6

21st Swimming Y5&6

28th Swimming Y5&6

JULY

12th Sports event followed by Olympic fair by FOOHS

15th Reserve date for sports event