



# Speenhamland Primary School

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## Newsletter 17th June 2022



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# HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers

This week, the children at Speenhamland have once again shown themselves to be excellent ambassadors for the school. On Wednesday, we were delighted to host our first 'Lunch with a Child' event – many of the parents from Wisteria and Cherry joined their child for a delicious school lunch. I received lots of positive comments from the parents when they left including how well the children interacted with each other.

On Thursday afternoon, twelve children from the juniors took part in the House Speech event at Trinity school. They all overcame their fears and worries to stand up in front of a big crowd and deliver entertaining, thoughtful speeches linked to the theme "My Favourite Things." Although we did not win the overall best school prize, Kiaan, Christina and Caleb were awarded a prize for best lower junior speech on the theme of food.

The children's behaviour throughout the whole event was exemplar and myself, Mrs Earl and Miss Oakham were extremely proud watching our children in action. On Friday, we received a lovely email from Mr and Mrs Higgs which read, "Today we thoroughly enjoyed watching Caleb take part in the public speaking competition hosted at Trinity School - it was fantastic. Public speaking is such an important skill. We thought that all the Speenhamland children did really well, were hugely entertaining and were a credit to the school." Many congratulations to: Isla, Avnish, Jasmine, Kiaan, Christina, Caleb, William, Emma, Alfie, Poppy, Theo and Vraj.

Have a restful and happy weekend.

**Mrs J Lewry—Headteacher**



## Diary Dates

23-06-22	Sports Day (pupils ONLY)
29-06-22	Wisteria class to Pizza Express 9 am
01-07-22	8.45 - 9.45 am (PE with CEDAR parents)
01-07-22	2 - 3 pm (PE with ASH parents)
02-07-22	Wild West Summer Fair (FoSS) 12—2 pm
04-07-22	Transition Day (class changeover)
05-07-22	8.45—9.45 (PE with JUNIPER parents)
05-07-22	2—3 pm (PE with CHERRY parents)
06-07-22	8.45—9.45 (PE with HAWTHORN parents)
06-07-22	2—3 pm (PE with WISTERIA parents)
07-07-22	8.45 to 9.45 am (PE with ACER parents)
07-07-22	2—3 pm (PE with OAK parents)
08-07-22	8.45 to 9.45 am (PE with MAPLE parents)
08-07-22	2—3 pm (PE with REDWOOD parents)
12-07-22	Upper Juniors Dress Rehearsal
13-07-22	Upper Juniors Production 6 pm
14-07-22	Upper Juniors Production 6 pm
15-07-22	"Sixer's Summer Festival" 6—8.30 pm at Trinity School
20-07-22	Y6 Leavers' Assembly 9 am

## Support Worker Vacancy

Support Worker required 2 full days per week from September for a named teacher.

If interested, please contact the school office for further details.

## Volunteers Needed

Do you have some spare time during the day to help with reading in school?

If so, please let the office know and they will arranged the required Enhanced DBS clearance and Level 1 safeguard training.

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## This Week's Teacher Achievement and PSHE Awards

	ACHIEVEMENT
<b>Wisteria</b>	Dylan Viasus Arevalos
<b>Cherry</b>	Ana Ferreira
<b>Oak</b>	Aaliyah Proctor
<b>Ash</b>	Scarlett Prout
<b>Hawthorn</b>	Michal Jankowski
<b>Juniper</b>	Arthur Riley
<b>Maple</b>	Kai Ratcliffe
<b>Acer</b>	Stella Ee Souza Rolim
<b>Redwood</b>	William Fearn
<b>Cedar</b>	Riley Hayes-West
<b>Sport</b>	Ava Metcalf and Arthur Riley

PSHE
Matthew Tucker
Jack Baker
Oliver Callow
Riley Aitken
Hollie Fairclough
Alexis Ridd
Henry West
Tyler Jupp
Tommy Saunders
Jessie Murphy

## ZOLTY Baby Loss Awareness Charity Day

The wonderful sum of **£525** was raised at last Friday's successful charity event.

### Raffle winners:

Life Coaching Sessions	Tommy S
Brownies	Harry G
Patio Planter	Mrs Burgess
Photoshoot	Mr Webster
Cupcakes	Praveen S
Baby Blanket	Mrs Osmond

## HOUSE WINNER

The Dragon's Eggs results for this week are:

1st Zolty 235  
2nd Laal 202  
3rd Azul 165  
4th Verde 159

*Congratulations to Zolty!*

## Reminders

Now that the weather is sunny, please apply sun cream at home before the children come to school, as we are unable to reapply sun cream throughout the day.

No swimming next Thursday for Maple and Juniper classes due to Sports Day. All children can wear their PE kit to school on Sports Day (Thursday 23rd June). If the children have a shirt that is the same colour as their House, they can wear this instead.

## Attendance

This week's attendance is 97.41%  
Last week's attendance was 96.22%

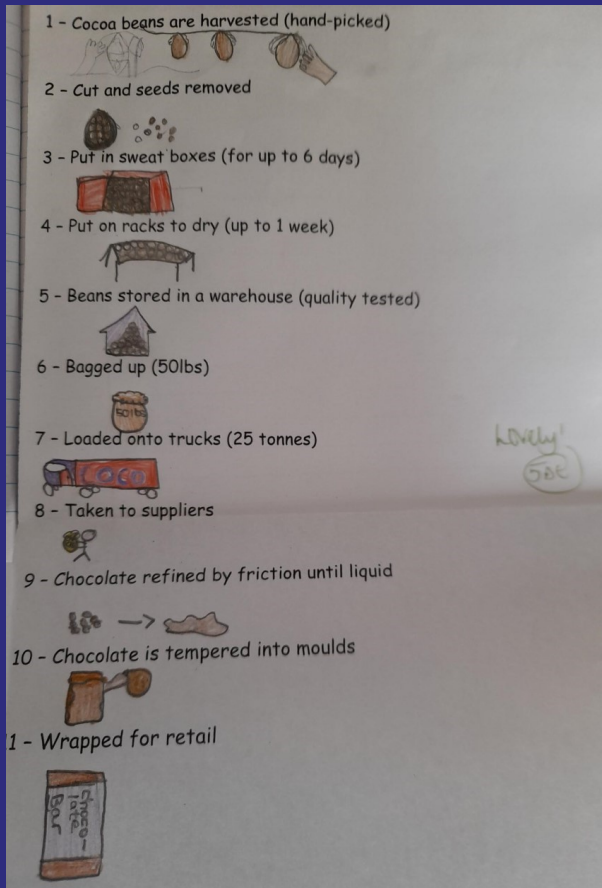
*Another improvement.  
Keep up the amazing work!*





# CHILDREN'S AMAZING WORK THIS WEEK

Caleb, from Acer class, has identified the process from production to retail for chocolate.



Thomas and Marley have been keeping cool and enjoying some sensory play in the Keevill Unit



This week in yoga club, the children practiced making the bridge and downward dog yoga poses.



This week the children in Wisteria Class loved having their parents join them for lunch! They really enjoyed it and feedback from parents is that they did too!



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