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## Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October – Autumn Term Issue 6

The children started the week thinking about our school values and linking them in with British Values. I was very pleased that the children were able to talk about the values and their importance in our daily lives. The children spoke with pride about their school and their learning; whilst giving examples of how they put the values into practice. Well done everyone.

Thank you Mrs Brown-Lee for cooking with year 1 this week. The children are lucky to spend time with you learning different cooking skills and the smell is always inviting too!

On Wednesday afternoon, Class 1 visited the church to explore the features of a church. Thank you to the staff and team of parents who supported this learning opportunity. Thank you to all the children for their excellent behaviour and readiness to learn!

Thank you to our incredibly hard working PTFA for organising this week's discos and colouring competition. The children had a fun time together whilst raising funds for the school.

Mrs Dewison, is arranging a special '**Dress as your favourite Emergency Service Hero**' day on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October. This is in support of the Bevan Family. This is a cash only event. Please see attached flyer for details.

Next week, we will attend church on Tuesday afternoon for our Harvest Festival. If you are able to walk with the children, please inform a member of staff. The classes will prepare to leave school around 1.45pm ready for a 2pm start. In the meantime, please keep sending in your donations for the local food bank.

We have a very busy and exciting time planned for our Safety week. **Please see diary dates below** and keep a lookout on the class blogs to find out more.

Fun 4 Kids have confirmed that parents can now register through the link <https://www.fun4kidscolchester.co.uk/contact-us> by clicking on the 'register' button that appears over the Tolleshunt D'Arcy box.

As you can see, work has started on the upgrade to our heating system. Thank you for your help keeping the children safe. The work is due to complete mid-November.

Hope you all have a lovely weekend.

*L. Eastbrook*

Headteacher



**PTFA News**

**Stardome  
Thursday  
20<sup>th</sup> October  
5:30-7:30**

**Thank you  
for  
supporting  
the PTFA**

**The Children  
raised an  
amazing £371  
at this week's  
discos**



Jesus said "Let the children come to me." (Matthew 19:14)  
Courageous Creative Friendly Persevering Responsible Truthful



## Certificate of Achievement Winners

**Class 1:** Robyn x2  
Ralph

**Class 2:** Jesse  
Lennie

**Class 3:** Lila  
Ronnie

**Class 4:** Finley  
Donny

**Play leaders:** Charlotte  
Penelope



## Weekly Attendance

*Class 1 – 100%*

*Class 2 – 97%*

*Class 3 – 94%*

*Class 4 – 100%*

*Whole School – 98%*

*Whole School Academic Year – 96%*

*(Target 97%)*

## House points

**This week's winners are:**

**Salter**

## Diary dates

- 17<sup>th</sup> October Y5/6 Road Safety Training
- 18<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> October Y6 Bikeability
- 18<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm Church Harvest Service
- 20<sup>th</sup> October 12-3pm Star Dome and  
5.30-7.30pm Stargazing Event
- 21<sup>st</sup> October Mr Avery and his Fire Safety Team
- 31<sup>st</sup> October Secondary School application closes

## Inset Days

10<sup>th</sup> February 2023

26<sup>th</sup> May 2023

30<sup>th</sup> June 2023

*Dear God,  
Thank you Lord for all that we have. Help us to be  
responsible and look after others.  
In Jesus name, Amen.*

*Christian Value : Friendly*

