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Friday 13th January 2023

Thought for the week...



Every moment is a fresh beginning

T.S. Eliot

Dear Parents,

We were delighted to welcome the children back to school last week and to hear about what they had been doing over the Christmas holidays.

As always, the children have returned to school with a readiness and enthusiasm to learn. Thank you for all you do to facilitate this – it is a pleasure to work with your children.

A special thank you for all the cards and gifts given to staff for Christmas – they were greatly appreciated!

You may be interested to know that the 2023 Sunday Times Parent Power League Tables have been published.

Nascot Wood Junior School was ranked number 5 in the southeast of England and number 15 nationally.

These results reflect the hard work of children, staff and parents and are results of which we can feel justifiably proud.

Wishing you all a Happy New Year!

With best wishes,

Christina Singh

Headteacher

A message from Jamie and Amelia on behalf of the Junior Leadership Team

The Junior Leadership Team is made up of nine year 6 children who have positions of responsibility in the school.

A particular focus of their role is to work with senior leaders to develop the work of the school.

Jamie and Amelia suggested the idea of a pupil's newspaper, with articles, pictures and poems etc. contributed by anyone in the school who is interested in getting involved.

Below is their letter of introduction:

Hello everyone,

We are Year 6 and are here to explain what we are going to create with our newspaper.

As it is our last year at Nascot Wood Junior School, we would like to achieve a lot of different goals so we thought that starting up a newsletter would be enjoyable and interesting.

The house captains and the school council will also have a say and, not just them, but everyone can contribute and help out. We will aim to release one issue each half term as it gives us the time to create and finalise it. So far there has been a lot of interest and contribution from Y6.

Once the newspaper is written it will be sent to you by email.

We hope you enjoy reading this new venture.

*With best wishes,
Jamie Newcombe and Amelia Chotalia,
The Junior Leadership Team*

Stars of the week 13th January 2023



The following children have been nominated by their Class Teachers to be the star of the week this week for an aspect of learning, an achievement or positive behaviour. However, all the children deserve congratulations for a successful week.

Class	Nominee	Reason
Holly	Arthur	<i>For throwing yourself back in to the school year with hard work, positivity, determination and dedication. Well done, Arthur.</i>
Willow	Laksh	<i>For always being prepared and engaged in lessons and displaying a greater depth of knowledge. Well done, Laksh. You have all the qualities of a successful learner.</i>
Oak	Eliza	<i>For demonstrating a positive attitude towards her learning in maths this week. You have produced some fantastic pieces of work!</i>
Juniper	Anu	<i>For demonstrating excellent enthusiasm and interest when discussing our book in Guided Reading this week.</i>
Elm	Charlie	<i>For having such a positive attitude and great start to the term! I have been especially impressed by your positive attitude in our maths lessons. Well done and keep it up!</i>
Beech	David	<i>For consistently showing a highly engaged attitude to learning, showing how much he wants to grow as a learner.</i>
Rowan	Isabella	<i>For being a 'team player' on the Harry Potter trip and participating in the activities with great enthusiasm.</i>
Poplar	Yahya	<i>For his exemplary behaviour during our trip to Warner Bros. Studios. Yahya was an asset to his group: he showed interest, enthusiasm and he could be relied upon to do the right thing in a busy learning environment.</i>