



### **NEWSLETTER 3 – Friday 23rd September 2022**

'I'm looking forward to the future and feeling grateful for the past.' Mike Rowe

Despite it being a short week, this has been a busy week with individual and sibling photos, flu immunisations and a visit from the fire service to Herons and Kingfisher classes. Homework has also been set from this week; if you need a reminder of your child's log-in details, please ask your class teacher. Children new to the school and Year 1 children will have received these already.

This week has also been a key week for setting up key roles and responsibilities for children in the school. I would like to thank all those that prepared a speech for their enthusiasm and great ideas to help the school.

Our school council this year is:

<b><u>Herons</u></b>	<b><u>Kingfishers</u></b>	<b><u>Toucans</u></b>	<b><u>Hummingbirds</u></b>	<b><u>Parrots</u></b>	<b><u>Woodpeckers</u></b>
Emily	Agatha	Zac	Sam	Flossy	Millie
Violet	Minnie	Jude	Jacob Mi	Jessie	Oliver
<b><u>Peacocks</u></b>	<b><u>Flamingos</u></b>				
Ashton	Reuben T				
Bella C-B	Roopinder				

#### **Our House Captains and Deputy House Captains from Year 6 are:**

Birch: George, Caleb  
Mulberry: Maisie, Evan  
Maple: Nathan, Matilda  
Oak: Seren, Riley

#### **Our Sports Captains from Year 6 are:**

Herons: Lauren, Lucian, Noah, Freddie, Lilia  
Kingfishers: Rachel, Seth, Eben, Harry

#### **Ethos Committee:**

Herons: Sophie, Rose  
Kingfishers: Oscar, Katie  
Hummingbirds: Huw, Trixie  
Parrots: Elena, Seren  
Toucans: Iris F, Bella T  
KS1: tbc

I am also delighted to announce that from Monday, we have Mr Akers joining us as lunch time supervisor, he has been in school today learning the ropes and getting to know the children.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend,  
Nadia Gosling

#### **ATTENDANCE**

This week's attendance:

96.3%

#### **Diary Dates**

28<sup>th</sup> September year 5/6 trip to London  
3<sup>rd</sup> October Harvest Service in Church – more details to follow  
4<sup>th</sup> October Harvest Tea  
4<sup>th</sup> October Year 3/4 Girls Football  
11<sup>th</sup> October Year 3/4 Boys Football  
Week beginning 17<sup>th</sup> Parents Evening – more details to follow

### Letters sent out this week:

Happy Harvest Tea – Years 3 & 4; Years 5 & 6

### Growth Mindset Certificates

#### **Penguins:**

**Chester H-J** for his super effort in phonics learning to recognise and write new sounds.

**Edith R-S** for her increased confidence and excellent listening skills.

#### **Nursery:**

**Reggie T** for settling into nursery so well this week and being more eager to explore the Aviary.

#### **Puffins:**

**Joshua M** for trying his best to listen to adults and his focus on his family drawing was brilliant!

**Fraser W-M** for super listening and tidying this week and exploring his mark making and drawing skills.

#### **Nursery:**

**Finn S** for joining in well with group times and helping at tidy up time.

#### **Flamingos:**

**Eleanor E** for settling into Year 1 quickly and being determined to complete her work to the best of her ability.

**Reuben T** for being inspired & taking charge of his own learning by practicing his reading & writing at home.

#### **Woodpeckers:**

**Jacob** for excellent phonics all week and trying really hard with his sounds.

**Oliver** for writing a brilliant description of Duck and using finger spaces in your writing.

**Harry** for being a really excellent focused learner all week and always trying his best.

#### **Peacocks:**

**Sam** for trying really hard to stay focused this week and producing some lovely work as a result.

**Harvey** for super writing - remembering spaces, capital letters and correct letter formation.

#### **Hummingbirds:**

**Gabriel K** for being determined in every lesson. Listening, helping others, and trying his best.

**Christian B** for doing excellent work in maths and sharing his ideas in class discussion.

#### **Parrots:**

**Brooke W** for superb concentration when learning about chronology in history. She produced really careful work with lots of detail.

**Jessie F** for being an all round star in lessons, always doing the right thing, listening carefully and producing work of a very good standard.

#### **Toucans:**

**Oscar** for some superb maths work this week on place value. Trying hard with all his calculations.

**Amelie** for excellent ideas in Literacy. Using fab vocabulary and trying hard with punctuation.

#### **Kingfishers:**

**Alby** for fantastic inferencing while reading our class book.

**Katie** for consistently setting a good example and being an amazing role model for our school.

#### **Hérons:**

**Nathan** for great participation and confidence, particularly in maths.

### Certificates from outside school

Isaac Q for his Man of the Match trophy for Adderbury Park under 9s.

Huw O for passing his swimming Stage 3.

Maisie-Blue W for achieving her 600m swimming badge.

Immy M-K for achieving her Learn to Swim Stage 3

Lilliana C for achieving her Ducklings' Stage 4.

### Contacting School/Office

As a reminder you cannot reply to emails sent from teachers2parents. Please email school on

[reception@christopher-rawlins.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:reception@christopher-rawlins.oxon.sch.uk)

Also, the number to ring us on is: **01295 810497**. We may call from a slightly different number but please always use the number above to contact school.