# PENSHURST C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL Dear parents

#### **THIS WEEK'S NEWS**



Dear Parents,

Well it certainly feels like summer has arrived – the weather has been lovely this week – thankfully it stayed sunny and not too warm for our Sports Day. A huge well done to everyone involved in Sports Day – from my perspective it was a huge success – all the children were involved and everyone seemed to have fun. Thank you to all the teachers who took time to make sure the children were confident in what they were doing which really does improve the enjoyment factor for all pupils. A team effort all round.

Many thanks to you all for coming along, supporting and entering into the spirit of the event. The Friends of Penshurst School did a fabulous job on the refreshments – they raised  $\pounds 150$  – an amazing effort. The PTA also supported with the set-up of the event and provided each child with an ice-cream at the end of the school day.

I feel proud that we, as a small school, are able to host an event that is fully inclusive and allowed our pupils to shine. Several staff commented on how lovely it is to see our eldest pupils caring for and about our youngest pupils. I think it is very unique and a credit to the children.

The afternoon was also a great success with Sportacus. Working in mixed aged teams the children took part in a range of fun events with a sports theme. Everyone was fully engaged, there was a real emphasis on team work and having fun.

Next week is our Open Afternoon (Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July) which will provide you with the opportunity to see the great work your child has been completing in their class.

Many thanks for your support at our events. Have a restful weekend.

Kind regards, Sue Elliott, Headteacher.

## STARS OF THE WEEK

Stars for week 2 and 3 Maple Class: Njal for being an excellent team member Elm Class : Year 1 – Jacob for working so hard with his handwriting. Year 2 – Fred for excellent work in writing and paying attention to his handwriting.

Beech Class :Year 3 Coco; for being such a super attitude to Sports Day showing positivity as well as showing all the school's values.

Year 4: Sammy for his great sense of humour and always showing such courage.

Oak Class: Year 5: Henry for always showing such kindness to younger pupils

Year 6 : Arlen for his fun and compassionate attitude.

### **Going for Gold**

Maple Class: Annabelle, Amelia, Alina, Ffion, Finley, Inara, Gabriel, Njal, Parker, Raffy, Ralph, Theo, Tilly & Teddy
Elm Class : Freddie, Lina, Fergus, Freida, Nate, Poppy, Lily, Alfie, Fred, Jacob, Harrison & Annabelle
Beech Class: Mrs Hamill has said the whole class were superstars at Sports Day – so they are all on GOLD!
Oak Class: Henry, Arlen, Harriet, Tadhg, Tatum, Raph, Chloe& Aubyn

#### Term 6 Week 4 Friday 28<sup>th</sup>June 2024



Stars of the Week - Week 4



Sports Day Winners - Yarnold



Sportacus Mini Olympics Winning Team









Sports Day 2024