

Newsletter 35 Term 6
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Year 4 Brass Concert and Showcase



Yesterday, we hosted our Year Four Let's Play Brass Project Concert with the NMPATrust. Both classes have worked tirelessly for ten weeks to learn how

to play a musical instrument free of charge! We are all so proud of the resilience and courage the children demonstrated. They sounded incredible and blew us all away! Check your emails to find out more information about how to continue learning a brass instrument.

Dates

July

1st EYFS Stay and Play 9am

2nd Y6 Production 6pm

3rd Y6 Performance 1.30pm and 6pm

8th Transition Day

10th Pre-loved Uniform Sale (after school)

11th Y4 UoN Trip

11th School Disco

19th Pre-loved uniform same (before school)

23rd Leavers Assembly 9.15am

23rd End of Term

Year 6 Transition Days

Y6 transition days to secondary schools will be coming up W/B 8th July – please ensure you have read all the information that you have been sent from your child's school as that will tell you everything you need to know, we don't have any involvement with arrangements. Children should go directly to their secondary schools on their transition days, not come to UMPS. Please also check which days they are attending as schools do different things and some do more than one day.

Great Upton Bake Off

A massive thank you to everyone to take part in this year's Bake Off. The judges had a tricky task but enjoyed the challenge and we raised £285.00. Thank you to FUMPS for all their support. We really could not do it without you.

The winners were

KS1 winner - Elijah Scott 2MF

KS2 winner - Sofia Knights 4LJ

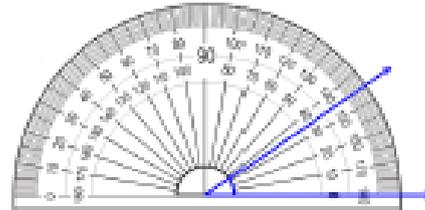
Parent - Mrs Neziri

Staff - Miss Hart



Year 5 Summer 2 Term

In maths, we have been focusing on Shape and Measurement. The children have enjoyed using protractors to work out acute, obtuse and reflex angles! They have recognised when a protractor must be used and when they can use known facts to work out missing angles.



In English, we have been creating our own nocturnal animals, thinking carefully about their habitats, diet and special traits. The children will create their own information text using a range of tools. As a year group, we are going to create a book called "the unknown world at night" where every child's work will be featured.



This term, we have been learning about the changes in our bodies, changes within animals and plants. The children have been intrigued and may come home with more questions. In Geography, we have been focusing on the importance of recycling. The children were fascinated about how many products are made from plastic. How many items can you find at your home?



We were lucky enough to visit the Saints and had a special tour around the stadium. The children completed a range of tag-rugby activities and even got a picture with the trophy!

Anti-bullying Ambassadors

This year, our anti-bullying ambassadors have played a crucial role in fostering a safe and inclusive environment in our school. Whilst we have mainly focused on getting this team of children up and running with it being a new role, throughout the year we have worked hard to establish a system that recognises, addresses and aims to prevent bullying behaviours at Upton Meadows. These children have learnt about the definition of bullying and have led an assembly to provide key reminders around this. They have raised awareness about the harmful effects of bullying as well as empowering victims and bystanders to know how to get support. They have been great role models and a friendly face to go to on the playground if and when incidents have arisen and can be easily identified with their anti-bullying

ambassador badge. We have met with our local PCSO's who were really impressed with the work we are doing so far.

We are now looking ahead to next year and are excited about exploring ways that we can continue to prevent bullying in our school. Anti-bullying week is a key date that we focus on, but we would love to find more regular opportunities to support anti-bullying. Watch this space!

Our local PCSO's visiting our anti-bullying ambassadors.



P.E. News

Our Year 6 cricket team had a fantastic day on Wednesday at the Nsport tournament. They performed fantastically finishing in 3rd place. Here they are with their well earned medals. Well done everyone!



Uniform

Thank you to everyone who supported our sale today. We will be selling a small selection of new and pre-loved uniform again on the following dates

- Wednesday 10th July 3.15-3.30pm
- Friday 19th July 8.45-9am

Super Stars

Well done to all the children who have worked so hard this week and demonstrated lots of our school values!

RJF: Mollie for her amazing concentration with her writing.

RKC: Bonnie-Rose for settling in to team RKC like she has always been here!

1AH: Rafael for great use of his reasoning skills in Maths.

1KB: Plotar for great effort in all areas of his learning.

2MF: Neo for being a role model, good friend and always following our school rules and values.

2FJ: Seif for applying the skills we have taught in lessons and always trying his best.

3EB: Kai for having an amazing first week at Upton Meadows and already being a brilliant role model! Well done Kai!

3IH: Chanze for really impressing staff in the past few weeks on our trip, on sports day and just generally getting stuck into everything which has been great to see! Keep it up!

4LJ: Nylah for trying hard to keep showing school values even when things are tricky!

4SL: Oscar for his excellent effort and team spirit on sports day.

5AK: Lucas for showing how far he has progressed in Reading and Maths in his assessments. I am so proud!

5GD: Sara for applying herself in her assessments and demonstrating what she can do!

6LW: Taym for consistently good behaviour all year.

6GH: Rutvij for always reflecting on his own learning.

Gold Awards

Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded their gold badges this week.

Luca, Adam & Mateusz in 2MF

James & Poppy in 6GH



Silver Awards

Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded their silver badges this week.

Hunter S & Iona in RJF

Nicholas in RKC

Belle, Shanelle & Elias in 1AH

Molly, Alivia & Holly in 2MF

La'Rayah & Ailah in 2FJ

Mirela in 3IH

Philip in 4LJ

Ebyan, Mia J, Adrian & Dorothy in 4SL

Nikita, Molly-Mae, Samira, Willow & Jack in 5AK

Hitarth, Harvey, Max, Kandy & Esther in 5GD

Anton & Julia in 6LW

Ali, Daniela, Eleanor,

George, Isabelle, Omar,

Nomaan, Meral &

Thomas in 6GH



Rainbow Star of the Week



Our Rainbow star of the week is Harvey in 5GD for putting in EXTRA effort with English this week! Well done Harvey!

Attendance

