

17<sup>th</sup> May 2024

# Dear Parents and Carers,

We are really proud of our Y6 pupils this week. They have worked incredibly hard in their SATs and shown perseverance and resilience every day. We started off with breakfast every day which was an opportunity to catch up with their friends before sitting the tests. The children did their best which is all we ask of them. Their maturity and positive attitude has been wonderful and they have been such good role models to our younger pupils. All staff at NHP have been involved in their education but thank you to Mrs Gregory, Miss Gibbs, Mrs Brown and Mrs Wilcox who have taught them in Year 6.



Each year, the Warwickshire Road Safety Partnership supports the RoadPeace week of action which takes place each May and raises awareness of the effect of road traffic collisions on victims and families.

This year Road Peace is encouraging everyone to collectively walk, run or cycle 1766 miles to represent every person killed on UK roads in collisions in 2022.

As a local primary school to the country park, Y6 took part in walking our school grounds where they walked an amazing 12.9 miles. The weather started out dry and then the heavens open but Y6 continued regardless. Well done Y6.

#### **Merits**

We enjoyed celebration assembly this morning where certificates were awarded for fantastic writing, great Phonics and some fantastic home learning. Miss Patel has put up an extra display board because Y3 have put so much effort into projects at home.

EYFS	Jack
Year 1	River-Jai
Year 2	lvy
Year 3	Nancy
Year 4	Grace R.
Year 5	Blaine
Year 6	Amelia

### Coffee and a Catch up

The School Council have had some time to collect views from others in the school community and would love to share their ideas with parents and carers on **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 9.30am**. We would be very grateful of donations of cakes and biscuits on **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** which will be a **non-uniform day** in return for donations.



## **Nursery Places**

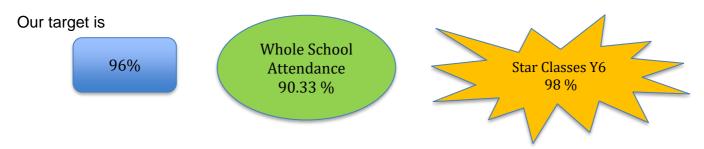
We have a few Nursery spaces left for September in the afternoons. If you are interested, please speak to the office as soon as possible for September and January 2025 places. If you would like to be added to the waiting list, please let us know as spaces are limited.

# **Wrap Around Care**

Early Birds and Night Owls will remain in Nursery next week. The gate to Early Years will be open so that parents and carers can drop children around the back of school. Should it be closed for any reason, please ring the bell which is in Reception by the main office.

### **Attendance**

As it is the end of a half-term, we have been looking for the class with the highest attendance. It was very close between Y2 and Y6, but Y6 just pipped Y2. They are the weekly winners, but also for the term and therefore spun the wheel. They have won a forest school experience. This will happen next week. Please ensure the children bring coats every day next week. It may be useful for them to have some old clothes and trainers or boots in a bag that can be left in school.



**Green Shoots Muddy Boots** has delivered some fantastic sessions this week in our woods. Our Key Stage 1 students have been creating Hapa Zome pictures by collecting some of our favourite fallen spring flowers and using our special mallets to create perfect spring pictures! Hapa Zome quite literally means 'leaf dye' and is the Japanese technique of smashing flowers and leaves into fabric. Our next step is to create photo frames using a special knot called the 'clove hitch'.

Our stay & play sessions continue to be a busy every **Wednesday** from **10.30-11.45**. There's still space to join us just send a message to our Facebook page and we'll get back to you!

Join **GSMB** on Nursery Hill Primary School's fantastic site during **May Half-Term**: 2 sessions a day **10-12** and **1-3** on **Tuesday 28th, Wednesday 29th and Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May** for National Gardening week. The fun forest school sessions will include making a bird feeder and bird food, crafting a home for bugs and flower pressing. £5 a child, adults free.

The next free Community day is on 25th May and Muddy Rangers, a forest school session for ages 7-11, will be between 1-3pm on this day - £8 a child.

If you would like to stay updated about sessions, events, and all things forest school, please follow us on Facebook. You can scan this QR code which will take you to our page.

Yours sincerely,

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Mrs Jeans and Staff