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## HEAD TEACHER'S

Dear Parents,

It has been an interesting week with children fully involved in their work on the environment. They particularly enjoyed being helpful during the litter pick with representatives from the Telford and Wrekin Environment Team and Veolia supporting the children's understanding of why it is important for everyone to take responsibility for their surroundings.

Thank you for returning the maths boxes, I hope they have been useful. If any of you have any ideas of other equipment that you would have found useful then please let me know. We can consider adding it for the coming term.

We had a surprise visit from Richard Williams (an old boy of Church Aston.) He was on holiday in the area and wanted to show his daughter his first school. It was lovely to meet him and he shared some delightful memories of his time here 50 years ago. He remembers C1 being used as the hall for PE sessions. Richard left his email dickybill@sky.com if anyone remembers him and would like to contact him they would be very welcome. It was great to hear his enthusiasm for the school. He spoke with such fondness of his time at our school it was a pleasure to listen to. Making deep connections and happy memories that last a life time. That is what Church Aston is all about!

Best wishes

Jenny Griffiths

## CELEBRATING SUCCESS

Congratulations to all the children that received an award today.









#### CLASS 1

Class 1 enjoyed the litter picking and were super keen to pick up every last bit of litter. The bus stops are much tidier now. We are pleased to say that the route that Class 1 took looks much better now. While the children were so enthusiastic to keep our environment tidy all year 1s were given the task of cleaning the gazebo and the playground. What a super job they did. They were declared 'School Champions' by Mrs Griffiths. Maths this week was partitioning 2 digit numbers into 10s and 1s. Lots of practical ways were found to find out about the place value of the numbers.





In P.E children have continued to develop their tennis skills and we have started to practice for Sports Day next Friday.

(please ask your child at home to tell you the time).

Class 2 were fabulous at finding litter during our Litter pick around Church Aston and were enthusiastic to become junior street champions.

Well done to all the children that received a Mathletics certificate today, well done!

**MATHLETICS** 







Just to keep you posted!

#### SCHOOL CALENDAR DATE

- 1st July—New Reception Children—First Visit—Parents in school for meeting at 1.30
- 1st July—Year 2 Children visit to Moorfield School (P.M)
- 5th July—Sports Day 1.15pm—3pm
- 6th July—BBQ at school, 1pm—4pm (details to follow)
- 8th July—Shuffle up day—Children visit new schools and reception children have their second visit in the afternoon.
- 16th July Leavers Party, 3-5pm at School
- 19th July—Leavers Assembly, 1.30pm at school

### NEWS AND EVENTS



#### **Term Dates 2019-20**

We have attached an updated copy of our Term and Holiday dates for 2019-20. As you may be aware the Government recently announced a change to the May day bank holiday in 2020. To mark the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of D-Day the date for the bank holiday has changed from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2020 so we have updated our dates to reflect this.

#### **Welly Request!**

If you have any old children's wellies at home that no longer fit we would be very grateful if you could bring them into school on Monday. We are going to use them to plant up with herbs so that they can be attached to the gazebo as part of our allotment area.

#### Rubbish Request!



Year 1 children have been finding out about the environment and they have created a design of an item that they wish to make out of household recyclable items. We really could do with plastic bottles, pull ring cans, bottle tops, cardboard boxes and plastic tubs (washed please ready to use). If you have any of these items please can you send into school before next Thursday.

#### Sports Day—Friday 5th July

Please can ALL children arrive to school wearing their P.E kits ready for Sports Day on Friday 5th July. We hope you will be able to join us at 1.15 at school for this. If anyone has a Pop-up gazebo that we could borrow for the afternoon please can you let Mrs Reynolds know to make arrangements to bring it to school. We look forward to seeing you there!

#### Maths boxes—Year 2 and Reception

Thank you to everyone who has returned their maths box, if you haven't returned yours yet we would be grateful if you could return it as soon as possible. Thank you.

#### FRIENDS OF SCHOOL

#### **BAG 2 SCHOOL**

You should now have received your bag to school. Please fill it with any unwanted items as specified on the list with the bag and ensure these are returned to school by Tuesday 9th July. For every bag returned money will

be raised towards the school fund. Thank you for your support!