



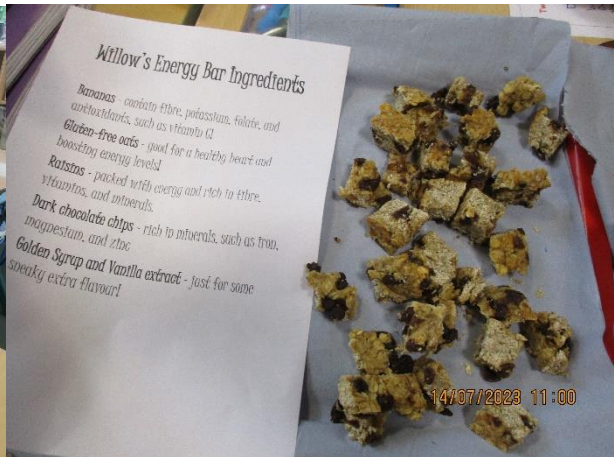
Friday 14th July 2023

Dear TSM Families,

It has been **Healthy Living Week at TSM!** There has been a plethora of visitors and activities to help pupils to consider what choices we can make to keep ourselves healthy. Sessions have included NSPCC workshops, plant based design and technology cooking and Philosophy for Children lessons to help our young people develop their knowledge of keeping our bodies and minds healthy!



Here is a small selection of photos from the week....



Forest School

At Forest School this week, we read a story, which Emma told from her head, not from a book. We then made medals. We picked out a name from a hat and then made a medal for that person, thinking about what they're good at. After, we went off to do sparkle time. At the end, we had a fire pit and roasted marshmallows, which was really fun.

By Ayla

We want to say a big **'THANK YOU'** to Emma and Jo for leading Forest School, and to all the volunteers that helped us!

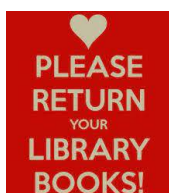


New Library Mural

Phase one of our library refurbishment is nearly complete, as the mural receives some finishing touches today! Local artist, Emily Harper, has been working with groups of children to plan and paint the mural in the new library space. Last week, children took part in workshops deciding which colours, plants and animals would be in their mural as well as how they might hide the school values words and class name amongst the forest. The library will soon be known as 'The Forest': a cosy place where all the trees (classes) come together. We look forward to sharing the finished product with you soon!



Return of library books



Please can all library books be returned to school **by Monday** next week. Our library space is undergoing an exciting renovation and as part of the project we are organising our text materials. All books can be delivered to Mrs Newell via the return box or teachers.

Dinner Money Accounts

As we approach the end of term, it is essential that all KS2 dinner accounts are brought up to date. Please log into your child's Scopay account this weekend to check how much you owe and make any necessary payments. Please also ensure that your child's account has enough credit to cover any school dinners they plan to order between now and the end of term. Many thanks for your co-operation.

Message for Beech Class

Further to communication about our Royal Banquet, please can you ensure that any food brought into school is **nut free**. Thank you.

Fantastic Fundraising



Well done to Mr Cottrell, he completed the swim at the weekend with a time of 1hr 43. A total of £520 was raised and his company will be fund matching this! Thank you so much Mr Cottrell!



The summer fair made **£1650** in profit! Great news!

Thank you so much for all your support and a big thank you to all the volunteers!

Warm wishes,

Sophie Davies
Headteacher



Star of the Week

Ash	Paige	For always showing the TSM value or respect to their peers and adults.
Beech	Isla	For always thinking hard about the best words to use in her descriptive writing.
Sycamore	Freddie	For being a fantastically helpful kitchen assistant during the making of our class healthy snacks this week.
Willow	Joe	For always showing such a positive attitude and wonderful enthusiasm in all lessons – especially during our Geography fieldwork!
Yew	Wilf	For amazing independent work solving tricky fraction calculations. Well done, I'm so proud of you!



Roll of Honour

Ash	Lucy	For being an evaluating owl and self-correcting when forming letters.
	Autumn	For excellent effort and perseverance when sewing.
Beech	Alasdair	For his exceptional effort when writing his castle poem.
	Marcus	For being such a kind and respectful learning partner in both split and mixed classes this week.
Sycamore	Miller	For her fantastic motivation and resilience in Maths this week with multiplication methods and scaling.
	Daisy	For her resilience and determination to overcome challenges and being a wonderful role model to others.
Willow	Daisy	For always being so helpful and conscientiously carrying out her job role.
	Tobias	For always being such an excellent role model for our school value of respect.
Yew	George	For excellent focus during Maths when solving tricky fraction calculations while remembering BIDMAS rules.
	Norah	For super involvement and thoughtful reflections during the NSPCC workshop.

Dates for your diary: Summer Term	
17th July	Sports day
18th July	Willow class Maya Archaeology Virtual Workshop
18th July	TSM Music Concert (selected pupils), 2.15pm-3.15pm
19th July	Volunteer 'Thank you' Tea party, 2.45pm-3.30pm
20th July	Year 5 Listen2Me – 'concert' for parents at 9.15am (see separate communication)
20th July	Year 6 TSM Leavers Service, 2pm - school hall
21st July	Final day of term
Dates for your diary: Autumn Term	
1st Sept	Inset Day 1
4th Sept	Back to school following summer break
24th Nov	Inset Day 2
27th Nov	Inset Day 3