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# THE HEIGHTS HIGHLIGHTS

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#### Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you so much for joining us at our Sports Day this morning and for all your help and support, before, during and after the event. I hope you had as much fun as the children and staff and I'm sure you will agree that all the children were fabulous athletes! In particular, I would like to thank Chris Ellison for warming up the children and Tom Crisford for helping us borrow two huge gazebos from Shiplake College and massive thanks must also go to St Anne's for kindly letting us use their field and pavilion once again. And now for the results...... Please scroll to the bottom of the page...!!!





## Reception

This week we have continued to find out about Minibeasts and found some amazing beetles, millipedes, woodlice, moths and caterpillars. We've finished our Eric Carle inspired artwork and can't wait to show you it next Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July at our exhibition afternoon between 3.30 and 4.30pm.

## Year 1

This week in Year 1 we have been VERY busy with our amazing animals topic...we don't want to reveal too much, so please come in on Tuesday from 3 - 4p.m. to see what we have been doing! We can't wait for our trip to Marwell Zoo a week today.

#### Year 2

We've been marvellous mathematicians this week and have been cracking codes to solve problems. As we said last week we've been learning our favourite poems off by heart and are looking forward to performing them to different audiences. We have been finishing off our River Thames artwork which you will be able to see on Tuesday afternoon and had an amazing time at Sports Day.

## Parent Class Reps

I would like to say a big thank you to all the Class Reps for their time and support this year. We had our final meeting of the year this week and you should receive the minutes from Richard Hepwood – thanks Richard.

## **Exhibition** Day

You are all warmly invited to our Exhibition afternoon this coming Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July between 3.30 and 4.30pm. Please don't stop at your child's class but continue on through the school to see the fabulous work of all the children.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

| Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> July  | From 7.45pm  | PTFA Meeting at The Grosvenor         |
|-------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> July  | Year 1       | Marwell Zoo trip                      |
|                               |              | NO CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY TODAY         |
| Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> July | Reception    | Thatcham Nature Discovery Centre trip |
| Thursday 21⁵⁺ July            | Whole School | Water Fun Day                         |
| Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July  | Whole School | End of Year Assembly                  |
|                               | 9.30am       |                                       |

**SPOTLIGHT:** Our spotlight at assembly today fell on: Scarlett for achieving a Merit in Modern Dance, Joe and Ralph for completing The Little Welly obstacle race, Oscar for football, George, Ralph and Joe, Rafael and Jonah for swimming, YinGe for achievements at his Chinese School, and Alice McCarthy (Mum of Oscar and Eva) for her winning photo and donating £1000 of the prize money to the school!



**Sports Day House Results 2016** – 1<sup>st</sup> – Marshall, 2<sup>nd</sup> – Simonds, 3<sup>rd</sup> – Cadogan, 4<sup>th</sup> – Cusden Congratulations once again to everyone!

PUPILS OF THE WEEK Awards were handed to the following this week: Year 2 – Lucy and Aibbh. Year 1 – Ayran, Matilda, Brooke and Mira. Reception – Finn, Lucy, Frances and Xavier. Congratulations to you all.

Karen Edwards Headteacher