

# Himbleton Herald - Issue 8 2022/23

## **Nurture, Nature, Knowledge:**

*Enabling inquisitive thinkers and inspired learners with kind hearts.*

## **LINK AND LEARN**

Thank you to all those who attended the KS1 Link and Learn session this afternoon – the children loved having you there to share in their experiences. We hope that you enjoyed it too!

## **PARENT CONSULTATIONS**

Thank you to all those who attended parent consultations over the past weeks, we hope that you found them useful. If you were unable to attend, please speak to your child's class teacher so that a mutually convenient time to meet can be arranged if possible.

## **SCIENCE WEEK**

A great time was had by all in school last week as we celebrated Science week. Across the course of the week, the children participated in a range of investigations led by different teachers. Lots of photos have been shared on ClassDojo. The purpose of the week was to raise the profile further of the subject in school and provide opportunities for the children to apply their scientific skills in a range of contexts. Mr Jenkinson, our Science Link Governor, attended school on Friday to present a variety of awards that had been earned across the week, as follows:

EYFS: Finley, Esmee, Harvey & Gus;

KS1: Millie, Max, Oliver & James M;

LSK2: Charlie, Pippa, Thomas & Toby;

UKS2: Jack, Samuel, James, Joshua, Rowan, Ella & Cerys.

Well done everyone for your super thinking and enthusiastic participation!

## **PHOTOGRAPHS**

If your child missed their individual or sibling photograph last week due to illness, Andrew from Time Lock would be very happy for you to visit the studio to have them taken. Please call him on 01386 861383 if you would like to do so.

**A reminder that school is closed for children on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November for a Teacher Education Day.**

## **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Huge congratulations to Miss Albutt and her partner Toby, who got engaged over the half-term break! Wishing them a very happy future together.

## **FRIENDS' MEETING**

The Friends will be meeting on Wednesday at The Galton Arms at 7.30pm. The more the merrier! The focus will be the Christmas Grotto event, for which lots of help is needed.

## **OUR CHRISTIAN THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

Our focus Christian value for this half-term is 'Respect'.



## **NON-UNIFORM DAY**

A reminder that this Friday is a non-uniform day. Children may come in their own clothes in exchange for a raffle prize donation for the Friends' Christmas Grotto event, which will take place on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November. Please do spread the word – all welcome!

## **BOOK CLUBS**

KS1 Book Club will take place this Friday after school with Mrs Martin, until 4pm. All are welcome to come along to discuss the book, enjoying hot chocolate and cookies at the same time!

## **FRIENDS' SCHOOL LOTTERY**

Did you know that you can be in with a chance of winning up to £25,000 each week whilst supporting our school? We take part in Your School Lottery, which specifically sets up lotteries to raise money for schools and is another way we can help to make a difference for our children. You get the chance to win a prize and at the same time Himbleton benefits. We hope to raise funds that can further support and enrich the education of our children. This includes providing extra resources and improving the school environment. To take part, just go to <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play> and search for Himbleton!

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2022**