



Cowling Community
Primary School
Weekly Newsletter
Friday 21st July 2017



Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a wonderful final week in school with so much happening! On Monday and Tuesday the junior children staged their Summer production – "Shakespeare Rocks" and what a show it was! Thank you to everyone who was able to attend. Once again, it is so lovely to see the children growing in confidence and giving it everything they've got, singing, dancing and acting. It was also wonderful to see children volunteer to step in as understudies at the last moment when children were absent – thank you to Caspar, Lewis and Casey who ensured the show went on no matter what!

In assembly on Tuesday we were proud to receive the Food for Life Bronze award in recognition of Cowling's work to raise awareness of the importance of healthy lifestyles. If all primary schools in England were Food For Life schools it is estimated a million more children would eat five or more portions of fruit and vegetables every day.

On Wednesday Miss Scothern's class celebrated her forthcoming wedding with a wedding of their own – staged in true Cowling style! Given away by "Father of the Bride" Joseph Smith, Miss Scothern processed down a colourful aisle made of PE cones, where she was "married" to Jack Hall (who kindly stood in at the last moment after the original groom, Harry, was taken ill!). The service was conducted by our own wonderful registrar and teaching assistant, Mrs Salisbury. Jack promised to smile at Miss Scothern every day (even if she gave him lots of homework) and the union was sealed with a jewelled Haribo ring. Thank you to Seth for reading the Dr Seuss poem "The Places You'll Go". Thank you also to Miss Bamber and Mrs Firth for masterminding the wedding and to all our families who helped ensure the secret was kept under wraps until the big day!

This week we received a special delivery of two sports banners designed by Marie (pictured above). Marie's design was selected from countless entries in a district wide competition and will be used at all NYCC sporting events. Well done Marie! Today, of course, we say farewell to our Year 6 children who have been an absolute delight to have in school. We are extremely proud of all their achievements and know they will continue to shine in their secondary schools. We will miss them all very much. A huge thank you to all our Year 6 families for the support they have given to Cowling school over the years. Long awaited building work begins on Monday at Cowling (improving the kitchen, carpet hall and school offices) and will continue into the Autumn. While the builders are in school the KS1 playground will be out of bounds. Reception and Year 1 children will enter school at 8.50am, up the ramp via Mrs Pease's door and meet in the hall while Years 2-6 will enter school as normal through the KS2 playground.

I would like to wish all our families a very happy, restful and safe summer and look forward to seeing you in September.

With best wishes
Susan Marshall
(Headteacher)

Happy Holidays! School reopens Tuesday 5th September



Good luck Miss Scothern – we look forward to welcoming you back as Mrs Amos!



Congratulations!

Blue Peter Award for Lucy



Lucy Salt is the proud owner of a Blue Peter badge and letter of commendation from the BBC show. She created a fantastic moving picture of presenter Radzi playing tennis at Queens' Club following a Blue Peter report. Lucy will also receive a Blue Peter Card giving her entry into over 200 attractions. Great news!



Happy Birthday to:
Oliver Thomas, Jessica Sarai and Mrs Emmott!
From all your friends at Cowling Primary School
Happy Birthday to everyone who has a birthday in the summer holidays!

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