



## Belton Update

14<sup>th</sup> May 2021

As usual we have had a busy but fun couple of weeks in school. I am sure that you have seen the Mayday video by now on WEDUC and on the school website. I hope you agree that it is so lovely! It felt that even in these unprecedented times we are able to keep going with our traditions in our own way! Thank you Miss North for putting it together.

### Covid

Even though national restrictions are currently easing, the new school guidance came out this week and it is pretty much the same as before. So everything will remain the same for now.

**I have had a few parents mentioning in passing that they have given their child a lateral flow test. Please do not do this. They are not designed for primary aged children. I am not able to take them as evidence of a negative result. I can only accept a PCR test.**

If your child has symptoms, for example a cough, loss/ change of taste or smell, high temperature or if you are in any doubt, please get them tested. Tests currently are back in a day.

Please can I reiterate if you have more than one child in school and where you have felt that one is poorly enough to warrant a test ALL your children MUST self-isolate until that test result has come back. You must NOT send siblings in during that period. This is for the safety of us all to minimise the spread.

### Temporary LSA

We welcome Mrs Lee into school for 4 afternoons a week in Sea Otters class until the end of term. Mrs Chamberlain will be working in Lions during this time.

### Next Year

I am not able to tell you the full staffing structure for next year as I have not yet filled Mrs Cobbin's post. However, I am able to tell you there will be a swap lower down the school.

Mrs Peczek and Miss Snowdon will move to Year 1 and 2

Miss Ebbs will move to Reception

We have decided due to the changes to teachers in different classes throughout the school, we are going to change our class names. Watch this space.

**Week one dinners next week**



## **Certificates this week**

### **Tigers**

#### **Stars of the Week**

Grace - amazing sentence writing  
Gabriella - for superb phonics work



### **Owls**

Magdalena - Mindset champion  
Finley – Star  
Kane - Mathematician  
Libby - Star

Mathletics Harry - bronze and silver  
Freya - bronze

Bug Clubber - Lyle

### **Lions**

TTRS  
Cole - Rockstar  
Vivek - Rockstar

Now seventh in the area!

Readiwriter

Silver –  
Theo,  
Noah,  
Ivy

Bronze –  
Theo  
Noah  
Ivy  
Vivek  
James  
Gabe  
Evie  
Jessica  
Thomas  
Ava



Mathletics

Silver

Ivy

Bronze

Ivy

Vivek

Amelia

Gabe

Jessica

Handwriting - Alfie

Star - Evie

Learning Power - Noah

Maths - Anaya

### **Sea Otters**

Star of the week: Charlie Holland - for his attitude to learning.

Mindset Champion: Libby - for trying new strategies to help her learning.

Handwriting: Alfie

Mathematician: Freddie - for fantastic work with pie charts.

Mathletics: Bronze - Cara, Violet, Max, Edie, Oscar, Sally, Charlie Holland, Jack

Silver - Charlie Holland

Readiwriter: Bronze - Cara

Times Table Rockstar: Ruben - rock legend, Violet - rock star, Sally - rock star, Archie - rock legend

Bug Clubber of the Week - Cara

### **Dates for your diary**

#### **Half term week beginning 31<sup>st</sup> May**

11<sup>th</sup> June Sea Otters Camp out (hopefully)

28<sup>th</sup> June Sports Day EYFS and KS1

29<sup>th</sup> June KS2 Sports day