

FRIDAY FLYER 18 September 2020

Moment of the Week:

The children virtually met a palaeontologist and went on an excavation in the forest school, they found fossils of baby dinosaurs. It was a great introduction to our new Dinosaur Planet.



Messages from Staff: Good to Be Green

At MPA we promote positive behaviour, and this works well for the children. Last week 91% of the children were green all week. This is a great start to year, and we are proud of the children for making positive choices. Just so you are aware, teachers contact parents if your child receives a consequence (a red card). We will inform you of what happened, and the consequence given. Please continue to ask your child about their day and the choices they made. It really is good to be green!

Communication to Teachers

If you have a message for the class teacher in the mornings can we ask that you email this to the school office. If you need to speak to the class teacher, you can do this at the end of the day. You will need to wait until the class have been collected and the teacher is free.

Wild Cats Football

We are delighted that Ipswich Town Community Trust can provide a FA coach for us to become a Wild Cats Girls football centre. For us to run this we need 12 girls from Year 3 to Year 6. If your daughter would like to join the team then this will run on a Friday after school from 3.15 - 4.15pm. Please can you email the office to add your child's name to the list. Once we have children then we can organise a start date. There is no cost for this, it is a fully funded club.

Parent Council

We would very much like parent representatives for each year group so we are able to continue the great work we have done so far. The aim of the Parent Council is to work in partnership with the school and identify what is going well and any areas that we can work together on to improve. If you could spare an hour every half term and meet with Miss Churchman (via Zoom) we would be most grateful. If you are interested in being the parent councillor for your child's year group then please email the school office. Please state your name and the year group of your child. Our first meeting is planned for Friday 23 October at 2.00pm.

House Captain Elections

Congratulations to all our candidates for preparing and presenting such inspirational speeches in last week's elections. The results were:

- Andromeda Keira Francis (C), James Lee (VC)
- **Orion** Vinnie Rayner (C), Orlagh Mayne (VC)

Pegasus - Ruby Dodwell (C), Harley Green (VC)

Phoenix - Lilly-Rei Pope (C), Ella Parker (VC)

10 Good Deeds in 10 Days

The House and Vice-Captains have created a list of 10 Good Deeds in 10 Days. The whole school will be working together to complete these, starting on Tuesday. Further details will be sent out on Monday. Please support your child to complete the deeds.

Next Week

Dinner Menu Week 1

<u>Tuesday</u> PE for Small Blues

<u>Wednesday</u>

PE for Silver Studded Blues and Holly Blues

<u>Thursday</u> PE for Adonis Blues

<u>Friday</u> Forest School for Small Blues

Launch of 10 Good Deeds in 10 Days!

How to use Tapestry Guide for Reception parents

Upcoming Dates

w/b 28 September Harvest Food Bank

w/b 28 September National Bike to School Week

29 September PTA Meeting via Zoom Call @ 1.30pm

October Black History Month

1 October Census Day

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