

NEWSLETTER

**Offley Endowed Primary School and Nursery
Newsletter : 3rd May 2024**

REWARDS from last couple of weeks

Nursery– Maisie, William and Tommy

Reception– Kolbie, Emilia, Erin, Miles, Harry D and Lochlan

Year 1– Luna, Mila, Oscar R and Evie

Year 2– Maisie, Lotte, Leo and Noah

Year 3 - Lucas, River, Arlo and Ralphie

Year 4/5 - Matilda, Tom, Nathalie & Otilie

Yr 5/6 - Maggie H, Jacob D, Anya & Jack D

Our vending machine book winners today were Niamh, Evie W and Jack D.

We celebrated the birthdays of Freddie and Maisie, Kailem, Jax and Grace. Have a lovely birthday weekend.

Bandit gave his award out to Caitlyn and Evie for their hard work creating the event today & Mrs Warne for organising it all.

Message from the Head

Dear parents and carers,

What an awe-inspiring day today has been. We have spent some time off-curriculum and had time to reflect on how fortunate we all are. Ethan has been in our thoughts and prayers today, with the whole school coming together to help raise some much needed funds to help with his care and recovery from his tragic accident in Thailand in January.

Copy and paste for the just giving page and further information about his accident and recovery.

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/ethan-burn-empower-a-spinal-injuries-champion>

When I reflect on today, it puts life into perspective. I think about all the day to day things I do and how fortunate we all are with what we have got. I have witnessed a collective virtual hug for Ethan and his family today and to the whole school community, I want to thank you all.

Have a lovely bank holiday weekend and let's hope for this rain to clear and some much needed sunshine.

Mr Edwards and Sir Bandalot.



We took part in the tri-golf festival at Letchworth Hockey Club this week. 12 of our children took part and Mrs Dent stood at my door with the children on their return. Initially looking forlorn and telling me they had not done very well, a few grins appeared and they then burst out the news that they had won. The trophy was shown to the school in assembly today.

We also shared the success of the football team, the tennis team and lots of individual successes such as Josh celebrating U10, Chiltern 7's champions and Megan appearing in this month's Angling Times. You're all amazing.

Empowering Ethan - today was quite a day. Despite the rain, all of the children completed their sponsored laps. I have captured some photos of Mrs Warne's class running and then being joined by their Reception buddies. Caitlyn and Evie did a brilliant job organising the day and I have to say thank you to Mrs Warne and her whole class for sorting out the cakes and toy sale.



Also, thank you so much for sponsoring the event. You have raised over £1,100 so far and the after-school sale hasn't started yet! Fabulous effort from the whole school community. Thank you.

Day	Date	Mth	Offley Endowed: Future Dates for your diary
Mon	6th	May	Bank Holiday
Tues	7th	May	Police visit for assembly
Wed	8th	May	Aladdin in MK —year 5 and 6 as part of their Early Islamic history curriculum
Mon	13th	May	Key Stage 2 SATs week
Mon	20th	May	On line road safety session
Tues	21st	May	Year 6 parents information meeting for the Residential trip to London 3:15pm
Thur	23rd	May	Lilley Walk followed by a Church service at St Peter's church at 2:30pm
Fri	24th	May	INSET Day
Mon	27th	May	Bank holiday and half term week
Mon	3rd	Jun	Return to school and class group photos and leavers photos