



JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS

Friday 27th May 2022



JD JUBILEE PARTY

Thank you all for your wonderful contributions towards our Platinum Jubilee Party—you were all very generous and it made for a marvellous spread. The children had a lovely time and we feel we have marked an important occasion in our monarchy's history despite the weather scuppering our plans to have it outside.

All tins and boxes should have been brought home by the children. Please let us know if you are still waiting for the return of any items.

PARENTS' INFORMATION EVENING

As part of this year's transition arrangements, I am welcoming current year 4 parents to an information session to outline the curriculum for Year 5 on **Thursday 9th June 2022**. This will be an opportunity for me to meet you all, answer any of your questions and have a chat. I look forward to seeing you then.

HEAD OF SCHOOL AWARDS

This week's recipients of the head of school awards:

Eva Kelly for her resilience, focus and concentration in English

Lavender Nickson—resilience and perseverance in Maths

A few reminders from the teachers:

Could we please ensure that all snacks brought in by the children are healthy as we are trying to encourage healthy eating as much as possible. Sweets and treats are OK for birthdays and special events run within school however.

Please could children leave any possessions from home at home as they become a source of distraction and upset, particularly when they get lost or damaged. Many thanks for your co-operation.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to Isobel Stevenson for always lining up quickly and quietly and Anna Patten for quick transitions between lessons.

Luna Barker-Runiewicz received the Lunchtime Award for responding quickly and lining up.



NOTE FROM MR DRING:

We are looking at the idea of providing an extra after-school sports club on a Wednesday afternoon run by Excel sports. I need to gauge if we are likely to have sufficient numbers to make this viable—please could you email me on d.dring@minster.notts.sch.uk if your child would be interested in attending.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my first half term at JD—it already feels like I have always worked here. We have so much fun to look forward to in the next half term: making adverts, Come Dine with Us, the summer concert and much more. I wish you all a relaxing half-term break.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Year 4 to Year 5 transition information evening

Thursday 9th June 2pm or 4pm

Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

Monday 13th June 2022

PGL residential trip 11th to 13th July 2022

KS2 SATs results published Tuesday 5th July 2022

Junior School Summer Concert

Friday 15th July at 8pm

End of year reports Friday 15th July 2022

Last day of term Tuesday 26th July 2022