



Robins Lane Primary School Newsletter

14th June 2024

# Headteacher's Notes

Dear parents and carers,

I can't believe how quickly this week has gone. The last half of summer term always flies by, but the very odd June weather keeps tricking us all into believing it's autumn again!

My assembly this week continued the theme of inspirational women in sport – this week I shared the incredible story of American gymnast, Simone Biles. The children were inspired by the story of her difficult challenging childhood where Simone's parents couldn't take care of her and she was adopted and raised by her grandparents. Simone was always jumping around the house, doing flips and tricks and, aged 6, her natural gymnastic abilities were spotted by coaches and she began to train seriously. Simone grew into the most celebrated athlete in gymnastics' history - winning 14 world championships and 5 Olympic medals; she even has her own signature move known as 'the Biles' (<a href="https://youtu.be/dX43SCuP3xs">https://youtu.be/dX43SCuP3xs</a>). She said of herself 'I'm not the next Usain Bolt or Michael Phelps. I'm the first Simone Biles'. She is truly inspirational and the children will be eagerly anticipating her performances in this year's Paris Olympics.

This week, Year 1 and Year 4 have blown us all away with their efforts in the Phonics Screening Check and the Multiplication Tables Check respectively. Miss Moremon reported that her wonderful class were eager to demonstrate their accurate phonics knowledge and gave the check their very best effort. Miss Moremon has confessed to rewarding efforts with some lovely treats for the children – so deserved! Year 4 were similarly impressive when they completed their on-line challenge – Mr Rogers reported that everyone was striving to succeed and we can't ask for anymore than that. Well done!

On Wednesday, our intrepid explorers from Year 3 visited the Liverpool Ganesh Temple where they learned lots about the Hindu religion and how this is celebrated and worshipped. They experienced prayers and were fully immersed in the experience by learning about all of the different Gods and what they stand for. Following this, they visited the World Museum in Liverpool and the children got to explore space, dinosaurs and the aquarium before participating in an Ancient Egypt workshop, where they handled artefacts that were 5000 years old! They loved every minute of their extremely busy schedule and had a great day. Thank you to Miss Fazakerley for organising this fantastic experience and to other staff and family volunteers who kept our children safe and happy on their travels.

I'm sure you have all noticed our new gazebos which were put up earlier this week – we are absolutely delighted with them and look forward to getting benches, seating and plants to further enhance this wonderful addition to our playground. Could I once again extend my thanks and appreciation to our families whose support and generosity have made this possible. I also need to extend a special thank you to Miss Kanters as she has worked tirelessly with our PTFA and organised ordering and installation of our gazebos. The children were all very sensible during construction and followed rules meaning they could still play out and see construction in action.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone - let's hope June continues with sunshine and blue skies.

Yours sincerely, Mrs Tomkow















## Attendance

#### This week's class attendance is:

Reception - 96%

Year 1 - 94.33%

Year 2 – 97.24%

Year 3 – 99.67%

Year 4 - 97.31%

Year 5 – 98.89%

Year 6 - 90.67%

## Jigsaw Award Scroll Winners

#### This week's certificates were for:

'Can express how they feel when change happens'

#### The winners are:

Nursery - Rowan R

Reception – Kayden N

Year 1 – Jayden H

Year 2 - Oliver G

Year 3 - Frankie H

Year 4 – Lucy A

Year 5 – Freya W

Year 6 - Leandro L

#### Well done for making our school a better place!



## Z Timetable Rockstars/Numbots

### This week's stars are:

Reception	Joshua N
Year 1	Abel W
Year 2	Edna B
Year 3	Finley B
Year 4	Casper D
Year 5	David A
Year 6	Alissia B



# Class Dojos

### This week's winners are:

Nursery	Kobe T-H
Reception	Summer M
Year 1	Dean H
Year 2	Lucas R C
Year 3	Isaac C
Year 4	Casper D
Year 5	Lilah A
Year 6	Joshua A



# Spelling Shed Award

#### This week's stars are:

Year 1	George P
Year 2	George J
Year 3	Finley M
Year 4	Isla F
Year 5	Cameron S
Year 6	Mollie G



## **WINGS** Award

#### This week's winners are:

Nursery	Ivy F
Reception	Zoe H
Year 1	Mya C
Year 2	Amara D
Year 3	Emalea C
Year 4	Lilly T
Year 5	Leighton B
Year 6	Grace M



# Happy Lunchtime Award

### This week's winners are:

Junior M	Isla F	Edna B
Dean H	Dylan R	Ava M
Lily M	Ella H	Maisie W

## Friday Fun Nights

All Friday Fun Nights will involve outdoor games for the rest of the Summer Term.

## Suggestion Box

If there's anything you'd like us to know, or you have any ideas on how we can improve, please let us know in the box below.