

Acorn Park School



Newsletter



We care, we strive, we grow, we thrive



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Web: <https://www.acornpark.org.uk/>

🌿 Good afternoon everyone!

We hope you've had a good week. We had a fantastic afternoon here celebrating Mental Health Awareness Day with some choice activities and wearing yellow (for some). We had a small bake sale and the students raised £51.52 for MIND Charity – well done team!

✦ This Week's Highlights ✦

○ Dixon class made egg cups in their cooking lesson, they did a great job of reading and measuring the ingredients as well as following instructions!

Our Secondary formal students have an 'Acorn Activities' session each week – in which they get the opportunity to make new friends, try new activities and socialise with peers outside their class group. 🏋️ Gym club has proved very popular! This week the group took part in circuit training, but so far this term they've played a variety of different games – basketball 🏀 and dodgeball 🏈 being the favourites so far!

◇ Freedman class have been exploring 2D shapes in maths. The children have sorted shapes into groups, printing shapes to create a rainbow and even made rockets using circles, triangles and rectangles. Sounds like great fun!

🍂 Fletcher class made a display by creating leaves with their hands and then painting pictures from the Junge book.

📖 Family First magazine:

Please follow the link to the Autumn 25 edition of Family First magazine <https://familyfirst.co.uk/issue4-25>

🍽️ New menus

After the half term (3rd November) – we have a new set of menus starting for the children. Whilst we know not all our children access these, please do feel free to take a look on our website here - Important information - Acorn Park School Our current set of menus are on there too (as well as term dates and other useful information).

 A few things coming up this term...

Friday 24th October – last day of the half term. We are back to school on the 3rd November. For all our term dates – please check out the parent section of our website – www.acornpark.org.uk

 Student Stars of the Week 

 Care

Arlo B - for feeding the goats so brilliantly. He was kind and thoughtful.

 Strive

Zachary L - for an amazing transition with starting his new GCSE timetable, joining the year 10s for DT and statistics this week.

Luca V - for helping run the bake sale today for mental health awareness.

 Grow

Sean O - for showing a keen interest in learning activities this week and has joined in with circle time activities, sitting with his peers and staff.

 Thrive

Elijah P – For excellent attitude this week, completing all his work, following staff instructions and he has been fantastic in swimming overcoming barriers from last time.

James B - Today is the first time for years that he has walked up the farm and he then came in with the goats and fed them and stroked Hazel. Brilliant.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend!  

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