# MILLWOOD NEWS

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# PARENT/CARER EVENING

Thank you for attending parent/carer evening on the 11 July and all the staff hope you found it informative and occasionally entertaining.

#### PARENT/CARER QUESTIONNAIRE

Please could all parents and carers complete the questionnaire and return before the end of term.

# WORLD CUP

Bravo Kieran Trippier, born and bred in Bury. What a fantastic goal!

# CAKE SALE

On Monday 16th July at Prize Day Redvales 3 and Redvales 5 will be holding a cake sale, all proceeds will be going to a charity that the children will be choosing. All cakes are 50p- if you would like your child to purchase a cake please send donations into school in an envelop marked with your child's name and cake sale.



# IRWELL 5 TALENT SHOW

Last Friday Irwell 5 enter-

tained the school with an amazing Talent Show. This was an opportunity for the children to showcase their varied and truly spectacular talents. It included singing, football skill displays, jokes and memory recall of capital cities. The children loved performing and the judges were impressed by their skill and confidence. Well done Irwell 5.



# FEED BACK FROM LOWRY EVENT

'What can I say about today! The show was fantastic. Oliver was amazing. I was crying watching it. Please thank all the staff involved in the show. I was so proud of him today, he was so well behaved as well and I loved watching him interact with L.

Deb (proud mummy)'

Thank you for this lovely comment from Oliver's mummy.

Nursery 1 have had a lovely week enjoying the sunshine with our friends. We've had water play, ice pops and loved our Boccia match!



# Nursery 2 This

week Nursery 2 have enjoyed being outside exploring different textures in tuff trays, letting us know which they prefer. We have also had lots of fun in our Rugby session, playing with the rugby balls and following the

little assault



#### Whitelow 1

This week Whitelow 1 sensory journey has taken us to France, where we have celebrated Bastille Day and explored the French culture through the arts, music and food. We commenced our journey in style aboard the Orient Express and this wonderful train took us from London to Paris. We enjoyed listening to famous French songs our particular favourites being Frere Jacques and

Alouette. We explored French colours, dressing in red, white and blue clothes on Wednesday.

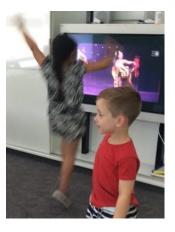


Whitelow 2 What a busy week!! This week we have been learning about The Gruffalo; singing songs, painting and going on an adventure to find all the different animals.



On Wednesday we marked Bastille Day by 'flying' to Paris, eating petit dejuner, and dancing the Can Can.





Redvales 1
have had
another
fun week.
We enjoyed table
cricket,
and have



had fun learning about France for our Bastille Day celebrations.



Redvales 2 We have had a fantastic week! We have had a summer themed week mark-making in summery colours using lots of different sensory materials. We have also had lots of



fun for Bastille day! We tried lots of dif-



ferent French foods, listened to French music and learned some French words colours and animals! Redvales 3 have had a lovely week this week, enjoying making jam sandwiches in English and learning our number bonds to 20 and some of us to 100! In Geography we have been look-



ing at Italy and the food and clothes from the country. We had a lovely trip out to The New Kershaw Centre on Wednesday with friends where we gave our opinions on the facilities available in Bury for young people.

We enjoyed playing pool, table football, and jengal

Redvales 4 We have been having quizzes to see how much we remember about what we have learnt this year. On Wednesday we celebrated Bastille Day by wearing red, white or blue and



taking part in lots of French related activi-



ties. We coloured a rainbow using the French colour words, we stuck French labels of body parts onto our partner, we tasted French food, made French bunting and built our own Eiffel Tower. We will be continuing the French theme for the rest of the week. Redvales 5 have had a fab week. We have enjoyed playing snakes and ladders using our large baseboard. We have also been using Numicon to find 1 more and 1 less of numbers to 20.



Redvales 6 have had a wonderful French themed week! We loved celebrating Bastille Day by wearing the colours of the flag and participating in activities such as listening to French number rhymes, food play and exploring animals and colour.



Irwell 1 had a great time learning about Bastille Day. We listened to French songs, tasted lots of different French foods and watched some French children's television. We have also been enjoying our PE sessions with Olly from Manchester City, practising our throwing and interception skills.





Irwell 2 have had a brilliant week learning all about Bastille Day. We have tried lots of different French food and listened to French songs. We have spent time visiting our new classes on transition day and coped really well with the change- well done!

Irwell 3 This week in Irwell 3 we have had lots of fun celebrating Bastille day. We have made our own passports and taken a 'trip' to France on our aeroplanes where we ate French food and listened to French



music. We have also learnt about the words



for animals and colours
in French as well as
what French clothes
are called

Irwell 4 have continued enjoying the warm weather this week. We have had a great time on Bastille Day learning all about France, learning the names of animals and foods in French and



trying French foods.
We also did our self
portraits on biscuitsYummy!

Irwell 5 This week we have we have been looking after the gardens. We have all planted a sunflower and we have been using the watering cans to give them some water as we have not had any rain for a while.





Irwell 6 has had a lovely week making our very own Jules Rimet World Cup Trophy. We learnt all about the history of the World Cup, had a look at a replica version then got creative with



the junk modelling and what a great job we did!





















On Friday 6th July we were treated to a fun morning hosted by Lancashire County Cricket Club Foundation. There were lots of fabulous activities on offer such as throwing and catching, trying out different bats and balls and even getting to play a cricket match to show off the skills we had learnt.







In the theatre we had table cricket set up and classes came together to play one another in a mini tournament showing off their excellent fielding and bowling skills in between the big smiles and giggles. The morning was a huge success and Rob



Tipping from the foundation was so impressed he would like to hold a cricket session at Millwood every week for pupils in Bury and the surrounding areas. He was especially impressed with the distance some of pupils could hit the ball and we had to do a fair bit of walking to recover all the stray balls!



#### FIRE SERVICE UPDATE

As the school holidays approach, and with summer upon us, we at Greater Manchester Fire & Rescue Service know that you and your pupils/students are no doubt looking forward to having lots of fun with family and friends.

Should this lovely hot weather continue, then no doubt we'll all want to spend more time outside, however we want everyone to be as safe as possible over the summer break.

You will have seen the reports about the recent grass and moorland fires across Greater Manchester, which have not only stretched our resources to their limit, but also had real potential to cause harm and injury.

Sadly, we have also had several drownings during this recent hot spell, involving young people attempting to cool off in open water.

Just before the schools break up, we wanted to take one last opportunity to let you know about all the useful information on the Safe4Summer website (including an iPad competition for the young people to enter): https://www.manchesterfire.gov.uk/safe4summer/Toolkit.html

In particular there's a couple of really useful short videos that could be shown either in a class-room or assembly setting, and various leaflets etc. that can be printed off if required.

If you have any questions or queries before the holidays begin, please do get in touch with a local team on 0161 909 8627

Many thanks

Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue Service



#### STARS OF THE WEEK





### EYFS/KS1





#### KS1/KS2



Oliver RH for great communication- making himself understood by signing the colour green.

Sophia OM for independently telling class that her hearing aids were not working and for being a superstar!

Best wishes

Helen Chadwick

Headteacher