

Findern Primary School Newsletter

26th January 2018

Parent View

Ofsted have recently investigated our parent view page as a result of one of our parents complaining to Ofsted about the misuse of the site. Ofsted have investigated the alleged misuse and found that there had been misuse of our parent view site. Therefore, they have removed the feedback which was considered to be as a result of misuse, this includes feedback from people who are not parents at our school and multiple feedback from one particular person or persons. All genuine feedback is still on the site.

Larch Assembly

Larch class welcomed parent/carers this morning to a class assembly all about The Iron Man. The children enjoyed sharing work, dances and music all based on their topic. A big well done to all of the children and staff for working so hard.

Parent Forum

So far we have had five parents offer their time to come into school to work as part of our parental forum, which we are delighted with. This will mean over the next few weeks you will be asked by the parental forum for ideas, and queries for them to discuss and feedback to you about.

U11 Football Tournament

On Friday we went to the soccer dome, where we met up with Mrs Preston and the team. On the first game we drew 4-4 against Parkhouse A. We played well and worked as a team. In the second game we won 4-2 and then we played another 2 games, unfortunately we lost these games. We worked very well as a team and really enjoyed playing at the soccer dome. By Joey Adcock and Leo Artus.

Mindfulness Training

Staff have recently received training in mindfulness meditation. We aim to follow this up by practising mindfulness meditation with some of our year six pupils to begin with.

Canada International Day

On Tuesday 23rd January we held a Canada Day in school. In each class all lessons were based around Canada. Some of the children tasted maple syrup, Nanaimo bars and decorated flags. The children completed map work and researched using the iPads and laptops to find our interesting facts about Canada. The children all looked fantastic in their red and white clothing. Thank you to all of the parents and carers that sent in photographs and souvenirs from their visit to Canada, the children loved sharing them with their peers.

Week 3 O.B.E

Ash – Maria Redfern
Elm – Honey Rose
Fir – Thomas Oliver
Hazel – Darcy Litting & Dylan Smith
Larch – Isabel Batty
Oak – Mason Toone
Willow – Skyla Purdy

Week 4 O.B.E

Ash – Daniel Heath
Elm – William Turner
Fir – Archie Salt
Hazel – Ava Buxton
Larch – Erin Cartwright
Oak – Ruby Howell
Willow – Ellie Banton

Diary Dates

30th January – Hazel class trip to the National Stone Centre

9th February – Elm Assembly

12th & 13th February – Parent Consultation Evenings

16th February – Break up for half term

26th February – Return to school

7th March – Willow class parent/carers lunch

9th March – Ash, Elm and Fir Inspire Day 9am

9th March – Ash class Mother's Day Assembly 2:30pm