

Stars of the week

Stars of the Week for last week were:

Oliver Evans	Callie Preston
Sophie Pearson	Freja Mountain
Taylor Laffling	Pacha Gooden
Aymee Tuffs	Andre Oliviera
Emma Bullock	John Buckley
Dylan Fox	Millie Ball

Teampoints

Last week's results were:

1st: Yellow
2nd: Green
3rd: Blue
4th: Red



Congratulations to **Yellow** team for being this week's winners. Blue are leaders for the term, but are only 2 points in the lead!

Attendance results

Wrens:	93.6%	<i>Inadequate</i>	
Magpies:	95.0%	<i>Good</i>	
Swallows:	97.7%	<i>Outstanding</i>	
Robins:	97.6%	<i>Outstanding</i>	
Skylarks:	96.8%	<i>Outstanding</i>	
Hérons:	98.2%	<i>Outstanding</i>	<i>WINNER!</i>
Kestrels:	100%	<i>Outstanding</i>	<i>(at IES)</i>

Last week's attendance: 96.0%
Outstanding (well done everyone!)

Attendance since September: 94.2%
Requires improvement

The truth, the whole truth & nothing but the truth!

To all the parents that this doesn't apply to—sorry!

We have had a number of incidents recently, where parents have told us that their child is ill but the child has told us they have been on away on holiday; e.g. at Legoland, Alton Towers etc.

Children don't keep secrets very well, and when we have information that parents have lied about medical absence, it is still classed as unauthorised. It also sets a bad example for a child to see their parents lie to school, or even be encouraged by parents to lie. We would far prefer parents to be honest about absence. It may well be unauthorised, but at least there is no deception!

KS2 rounders

Well done to all of the children who represented us at the KS2 rounders competition last week. Although we weren't the overall winners, the children did very well and won one of their matches.

Although the children did well, we did overhear some comments that our pupils were not as well turned out as others, and looked untidy. This is not a reflection on the children, but I would like to remind parents to make sure that children are in full PE kit. Children should have a plain white T-shirt, black shorts and change of footwear (trainers or plimsolls).

It may seem like a small thing, but being smartly turned out for events gives children the confidence to do well. This applies as much to PE lessons as it does to sports fixtures or even just normal school lessons. Our PE kit is very simple and can be bought quite cheaply from all main supermarkets. Thank you.