



William MacGregor Primary School Weekly Newsletter

Week ending 9th September 2022

At the time of writing this newsletter the terribly sad news of the death of Queen Elizabeth II has just been announced. This news will be a great sadness to many of us and I offer my sincere condolences to the Royal Family and my thoughts are with all who are grieving. The queen was a truly exceptional monarch and we have taken time today to talk to the children in class about her reign. Next week we will be dedicating time in assembly to reflect further on Queen Elizabeth II's reign.



This afternoon, the children gathered in their house groups to vote for their house captain for 2022/23. Year 6 children prepared a speech and the children then voted for who they wanted to lead them this year. The Yr6 children were incredible delivering their speeches showing courage and we can see the impact our oracy focus is having.

Our successful candidates were:

Victoria – Chase & Aida

Elizabeth – Logan & Alexia

Charles – Millie & Morgan

George – Chloe & Alex

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News...

- **Welcome back** everyone to a new academic year! I know the staff were equally as excited as the children to be back on Wednesday and it was a delight to open the playground gate in the morning to all the children. They have returned very happy and ready for their learning. I hope you all enjoyed a wonderful summer break and were able to get a break away from home.
- **New staff** started with us this week. Mr Neiland, Miss Tuton and Mrs Douglas have made a great start with their classes. Many of you may have met Miss Bramall who is our new SENDCo. She will be working with us in school one day a week (Wednesdays on the whole), but the office can pass on messages to her from parents any time of the week. Mr Hemus has also started with us. He is our new site supervisor and we are very happy to have him as part of our team.

Birthday celebrations!

Freddie H Yr2. Skyler Yr2
Olivia Yr3. Chase Yr6



Fundraising – School lottery fortnightly update

Congratulations to Miss E Taylor who won £7.80 last week. We have raised £2,162.40 so far.

We have a new area we are fund raising for now and this is the area to the side of the trim trail. This will be an area dedicated to reflection, one that reaches our senses and provides an area of calmness and sanctuary.



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Our Fabulous House Captains

