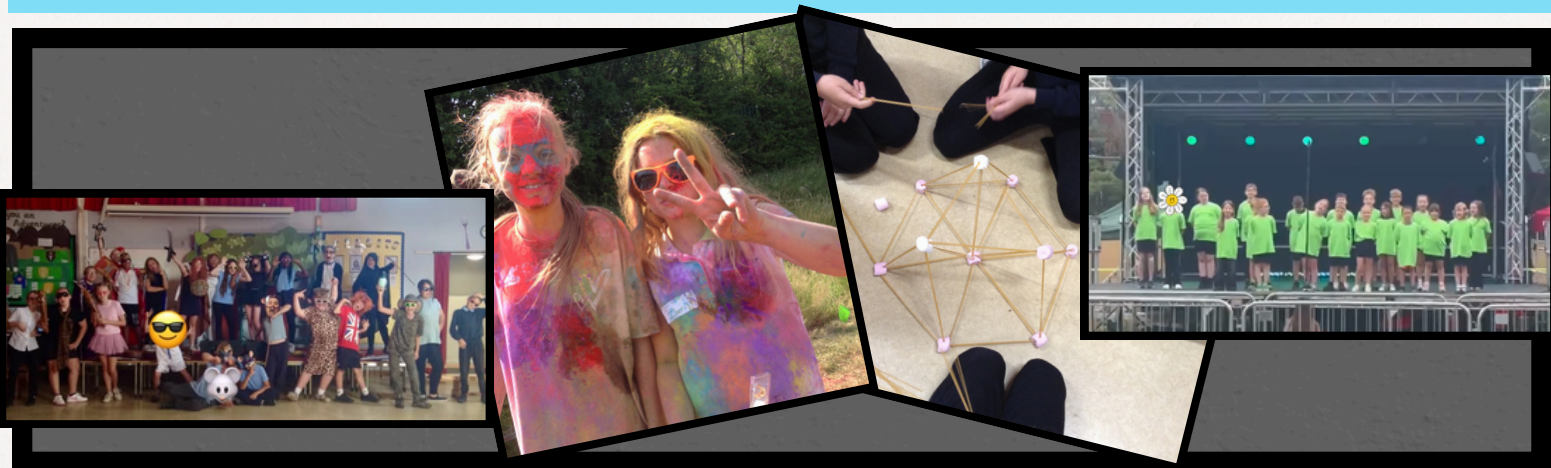


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Celebrating an Incredible Year at Amington Heath

As we reach the end of another successful school year, it is wonderful to reflect on just how much our children have achieved. From Nursery through to Year 6, pupils have embraced every opportunity with enthusiasm and have continued to demonstrate the values that make Amington Heath such a special place. Throughout the year, we have seen countless examples of **respect, resilience, empathy, self awareness, positivity, excellence, communication and teamwork** both in and beyond the classroom.

This final half term has been particularly memorable. Aspirations Week encouraged children to think about their futures and discover the many possibilities available to them, while Creativity Week provided opportunities for pupils to showcase their talents, confidence and imagination. We were incredibly proud of the children who represented our school at the Kaleidoscope of Dreams Festival, performing with **confidence and enthusiasm** alongside pupils from across Tamworth.

One of the highlights of the term was undoubtedly our Year 6 leavers' production, Back in Time. The pupils delivered a truly outstanding performance, demonstrating remarkable confidence, dedication and **teamwork**. It was a fitting celebration of their journey through primary school and a reminder of just how much they have grown during their time with us. As they prepare to move on to secondary school, we wish them every success and know they have bright futures ahead.

None of this would be possible without the support of our dedicated staff, governors and families. Thank you for working in partnership with us throughout the year and for helping to create such a strong and supportive school community. We hope all of our families enjoy a safe, happy and restful summer holiday, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back in September for another exciting year of learning and achievement.

Warm regards,
Mrs C. Davies
Headteacher

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Staffing Update

As we reach the end of the school year, we would like to thank several members of staff who will be moving on to exciting new opportunities. Miss Milburn, Miss Brown, Miss Coles, Miss Skinner, Miss Taylor and Miss Watts have all made valuable contributions to school life, and we are grateful for the care and commitment they have shown during their time at Amington Heath.

While we will be sad to see them go, we are proud that Amington Heath continues to support staff in developing their careers and pursuing new opportunities. We thank them for everything they have done for our children and wish them every success and happiness for the future. We look forward to welcoming Mrs Bee, our new SENCO, to our team in September and beginning another exciting year together.

Diary Dates

1st and 2nd September – INSET – School closed all pupils

Thursday 3rd September – School opens to all pupils

Wednesday 9th September – Meet the SENCO 9am

Tuesday 22nd September – Head of Family and Climate Crew Trip to London

Friday 24th September – European Day of Languages
Macmillan Cake Sale 9am –
Shackleton, Tenzing, Magellan

&

Earhart

Macmillan Cake Sale 2.30pm

–Zheng, Darwin & Jemison

Monday 28th September – School Photos

Tuesday 29th September – Y1 Phonics Workshop 9am
Y4 MTC Workshop 2.30pm

Thursday 1st October – Toddle & Crawl (Harvest)

12th – 14th October – Y6 Trip to Whitemoor Lakes

Wednesday 14th October – Year 4 Kindness Workshop

Thursday 15th October – Parent Workshop – Mental Health 9am

Wednesday 21st October – Halloween Disco

26th – 29th October – Half Term

Monday 2nd November – INSET – School closed to all pupils

Tuesday 3rd November – School opens to all pupils

Wednesday 4th November – Parents Evening and Open Evening

After School Clubs

MONDAY – Arts & Crafts

TUESDAY – Choir/Singing

WEDNESDAY – Pokemon

THURSDAY – Pottery

FRIDAY – Dodgeball



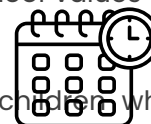
All after schools clubs run from 3.15–4.15pm.

All clubs are now **FREE**. However, they are limited in spaces. Once full bookings will close.

All after school clubs **MUST** be booked on ParentPay.

Could You Be Our Next Head of Family?

This week, our Year 5 pupils received information about applying for the prestigious role of Head of Family for the 2026–27 academic year. Heads of Family play an important role in school life, helping to lead family group activities, support younger pupils and promote our school values throughout the year.



We are looking for children who consistently demonstrate **respect, resilience, empathy, self awareness, positivity, excellence, communication and teamwork**. Applications are open throughout the final week of term, with interviews taking place when we return in September.

We look forward to learning more about our aspiring leaders and welcoming the successful candidates to the pupil leadership team next academic year.



A Year of Achievement

As another school year comes to a close, we are incredibly proud of all that our children have achieved. Across every year group, pupils have worked hard, faced challenges with determination and continued to demonstrate our school values of **respect, resilience, empathy, self awareness, positivity, excellence, communication and teamwork**.

This year has seen many successes. Our Year 1 and Year 2 pupils worked hard to develop their reading skills and approached the Phonics Screening Check with confidence. Year 4 achieved impressive results in the Multiplication Tables Check, demonstrating **excellent** recall and mathematical fluency. Our Year 6 pupils also showed tremendous **resilience** and maturity during their SATs, giving their very best and making themselves, their families and the school proud.

Beyond these assessments, we have celebrated achievements in sport, the arts, leadership, attendance, personal development and the wider curriculum. Most importantly, we have seen children grow in **confidence, independence** and character, preparing them for the next stage of their journey.

Every child has achieved something to be proud of this year, and we look forward to seeing what they accomplish in the future.

Safeguarding Focus: Staying Safe This Summer

As we begin the summer holidays, we want all of our children to enjoy a fun, happy and safe break. Whether spending time with family, meeting friends, playing online or exploring outdoors, it is important that children continue to make safe choices and know where to go for help if they need it.

Over the summer, remember to stay safe near roads, water and in the sun, and always tell a trusted adult where you are and who you are with. If you are using the internet, games or social media, think carefully about what you share online and speak to an adult if something makes you feel worried, upset or uncomfortable.

We encourage all children to continue showing **respect, resilience, empathy, self awareness, positivity, excellence, communication and teamwork** both online and offline throughout the holidays.

If a child is worried about anything and needs someone to talk to, they can contact **Childline free of charge on 0800 1111** or visit www.childline.org.uk. No problem is too big or too small, and support is always available.

We wish all of our families a safe, enjoyable and well deserved summer holiday.



Double Platinum OPAL Success

This week, our Year 5 pupils received information We are delighted to celebrate a truly outstanding achievement this year: Amington Heath has been awarded Double Platinum OPAL status following our recent accreditation visit, achieving an incredible score of 100%. This places us amongst the highest performing OPAL schools nationally and recognises our commitment to providing exceptional play opportunities for every child.

OPAL playtimes give children the opportunity to explore, create, problem solve and work together in meaningful ways. Every day, we see pupils developing **resilience, communication, teamwork, self awareness and positivity** as they build, invent, imagine and learn through play.

This achievement reflects the enthusiasm of our children, the support of our families and the dedication of our staff. We are incredibly proud of what has been accomplished and look forward to continuing to provide exciting, inclusive and high quality play experiences that help every child thrive.



Half Term Heroes

Each half term, we take a moment to celebrate pupils who have truly shone. These awards recognise not just achievement, but the values that make Amington Heath such a special place – excellence, kindness, resilience and positivity.

Shining Star Award

for someone who has stood out through effort, attitude or achievement.



Little Learners - Angel
Nursery 2 - Dottie
Reception - Boris
Year 1 - Eryk
Year 2 - Zuzanna
Year 3 - Lucas
Year 4 - Oliver
Year 5 - Hannah
Year 6 - Kai

Brilliant Bookworm Award

for a pupil who has shown a love of reading and made fantastic progress.



Little Learners - Alvi
Nursery 2 - Martin
Reception - Zaila
Year 1 - Lisa
Year 2 - Reuben
Year 3 - Ella
Year 4 - Max
Year 5 - Keon
Year 6 - Jesse

Kindness Ambassador

for a pupil who has shown exceptional kindness and empathy towards others.



Little Learners - Calli-Rose
Nursery 2 - Penelope
Reception - Lewhat
Year 1 - Mikayla
Year 2 - Poppy
Year 3 - Ronnie
Year 4 - Khloe
Year 5 - Thierry
Year 6 - Alissia

Staff Kindness Award

Each half term, children nominate staff members who have shown **empathy, positivity and kindness**. Whether it's a warm smile, a helping hand or simply being someone who listens, these nominations remind us how much small acts matter. The winners are chosen by the children themselves – a lovely way to celebrate the adults who make Amington Heath feel safe and special every day.

Although there were many nominations, this half terms winners are: **Miss Taylor, Mr Horton, Miss Cleaver, Mrs Young, Miss Kerr.**

