

# ST MARTINS SCHOOL

18 March 2022

Today has been Red Nose Day for Comic Relief, a big thank you to students and parents who have supported this fundraising by sending a £1 for non uniform, donating or buying cakes at the cake sale and paying to apply to be head teacher of the day. The Head Teachers for the day were, Mr Swart, Mr Burd, Mr Lewis, Mr Burke and Mr Ellis. The head's for the day did a learning walk, looked at the



website and gave feedback, wrote about their experience and even had to talk to a 'new' member of the school about her inappropriate behaviour in the classroom! It has been a great day, even Mr Wilko got involved!

In Nursery, Reception, Years 1 and 2 pupils decorated some biscuits. Mr Edwards and the Year 3 children organised a red nose and spoon race around the field and through forest school. Ms Lovecy entered



but had to have a sit down half way around the course! Mr Spelman braved the stocks!



Miss Fiddy and the Year 5 pupils organised a Talent Show for us. Mrs Pritchard and the Year 6 pupils organised a cake sale at break time. Gabriel and Micah Pearson made some lovely biscuits to sell. More photos is the rest of



the newsletter and a report from the head teachers!



Have a lovely weekend Ms Lovecy

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## SPORTING UPDATE

On Monday year 8 boys football team (6 a side) came 4<sup>th</sup> place out of 8 teams at the North Shropshire tournament at Oswestry School. They were brilliant playing some nice football against tough opposition. They managed to beat Corbet and the Marches with lovely goals from Ryan Lee-Paige and Joey Locke.

On Tuesday, the year 8/9 girls football teams played in a tournament at Thomas Adams School, Wem and came 2<sup>nd</sup> place out of 5 schools. The girls played 4 games - won two, lost one and drew one. Goals came from Ella Eynon and Bella Riley (lovely free kick!). We are so proud of the way all these students conducted themselves on and off the pitch.

Year 8 and 10 had an away netball match last night at The Grove School, Market Drayton. It was a tough night as our girls were predominately playing against club and county players. The year 10's fought back well and managed to score some fantastic goals, particularly Elisha Williams. Year 8's had less opportunities to score and their defenders were very tall to make their task even harder. What is characteristic of these girls is that they do not give up. They are resilient. I am so proud of how they fought for each other as a team. Please congratulate them when you see them. The year 8 team were Belle Williams (captain), Lexie Scott, Ysabel Carter, Faye Davenport, Caitlin Lewry, Mair Jones, Annabelle Smith, Peyton Owens.

The year 10 team were Katie Rogers (captain), Elisha Williams, Tia Wright, Mhairi McKay, Morgan Culliss, Annyah Carter, Shannon Eggby, Ruby Lockley.

Next Monday the year 8 girls football team are playing in a tournament at Oswestry School. Best of luck to them!

Please don't forget the clubs until Easter:

Monday- staff badminton, Y7/8 boy and girl football

Tuesday- boys football y, 9, 10, 11. Netball for all years- boy and girl

Wednesday- GCSE PE Revision, Badminton all years boys and girls Rugby all years boys and girls Year 7 Trampoline club

Friday—Year 10 and 11 girls netball



**SECONDARY AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS  
FOR THIS HALF TERM CAN BE  
FOUND USING [THIS LINK](#)**





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**Attention Parents & Carers**  
The 5-year-old  
**Dental Health Survey**  
is coming to your child's school soon

**WHAT IS IT?**  
The community dental team is carrying out dental checks of 5-year-old children in reception and year one. This will take place at your child's school.


**WHY DO WE DO IT?**  
The information we collect about the dental health of local children is used to plan local dental services and improve the dental health of children in Shropshire and Telford and Wrekin.

**HOW CAN YOU SUPPORT IT?**  
If your child is picked and you agree that they can take part, then please return the completed consent form to school by the deadline. The form will be sent out closer to the survey date.  
By allowing your child to take part you are helping us to improve children's dental health.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

Please watch the video, via the QR code or link [School dental surveys - YouTube](#)

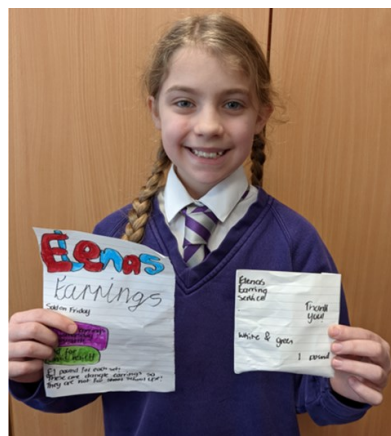
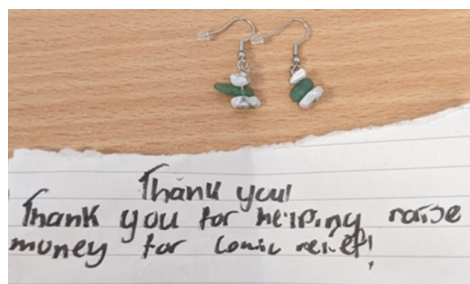
The video will take you through how we do the dental check.



**NHS**  
Shropshire Community Health

**REMINDER** that consent forms and payment for the EYFS Smartest Giant in Town Theatre trip by the 25<sup>th</sup> March please

Huge well done to Elena Davies who raised over £30 by making and selling earrings.



Our House point stars of the week were presented by our Head Teachers for the day Huge well done to Katie Rogers, Josh Greene, Chloe Sperring, Harry Hanlon, Ana Poulter, Rowan Hopwood, Tyler Burke, Olivia Traquair, Afia Otuo Serebour, Connor Evans and Darcy Mountford

Students in primary enjoying the rednose and spoon races! And cake sale

## Head Teachers for the day (Jake & Ethan)

At the start of the day, we went for a learning walk with Tyler from year 4. He showed us around primary and we had a look at each of the classrooms, writing down the behaviour of the students and any potential health and safety problems. The first class we went to was Year 3 which was taught by Mr Edwards. We thought he was a great teacher and that his students were engaged throughout and well behaved.

After this we went to Ms Lovecy's office and had a cup of tea. We then got our picture taken in her chair. Next, we went back to primary, and watched the children throw wet sponges at Mr Spellman and watched their red nose day spoon race. Mr Wilko was there as well!

We also got to have another cup of tea in the staff room.

In the afternoon we judged a talent show done by primary. A student named Lovecy made a surprise appearance and played the nose flute. It was terrible! We are very grateful for this opportunity and enjoyed seeing what head teachers get up to.

James Hebson has been a member of the Royal Air cadets since November 2021 but has been visiting the group since September. In this short time he has participated in all fitness exercises and passed his basic test to be a cadet and the leadership test in order to progress to the next levels, he will shortly complete his first aid certificate.



James has not only passed this credential, he has also been selected to use his other passion in life – photography, to become their Photographer for their football match against the Navy; this news does not stop there, he has also been asked to represent them in the photography competition for the Wing day event. His skills keep growing both in the Cadets but also in his passion -photography (see some of his skills below). What an amazing progress to his future he is making! Well done James from a very

proud tutor, Mrs Poli



Well done to Tianna, Lilia and Charlie who volunteered and made 'worry boxes' for students to put their worries in for school to then address the issues in tutor times and assemblies. The worries are anonymous. The boxes also have cards that students can pick up about KOOOTH an online mental wellbeing community. Access free, safe and anonymous support.



Jane Webber came into school to deliver an assembly to the Primary Phase. She brought with her Oscar the Ostrich who was a big hit with the children. The theme of the assembly was about judging people for what is inside, rather than how they appear on the outside. Jane will be visiting school again during the Summer Term.