



Highfield Newsletter



Headteacher's Message

Today we received the news that Highfield has been awarded the status of Music Champion School! Although we believe in doing things well without needing to shout about them, this is one that I would like to thank and congratulate everyone for. Mr Gath is our music lead who has worked so hard to ensure our application accurately captures all that we do to promote and provide opportunity for all our children to enjoy music.

It isn't just about the instrument tuition; it is about the culture embedded across school, how Mr Gath has ensured every child has the opportunity to play different instruments every year, to hear and appreciate music from a range of genres and to sing and dance and love music. All of this enabled through staff development (who happen to already have a range of musical talents!).

Then there are Mrs Bowker and Miss Thackrah who run the choir and have inspired not only our children, but our staff also, some of whom would like to start a KS1 choir in 2026-27. Highfield children have so much musical potential and I am grateful to all our staff for helping them to fulfil it.

Finally thank you to everyone in our community for their support in what has been a meteorologically challenging week. I hope the biblical thunderstorm we witnessed this morning stays away for tomorrow's summer fair!

Thank you for your support.

Mr Feeley

News & Updates

Celebration Assembly

Congratulations and a huge well done to the children in Key Stage One who were recognised for their fantastic effort and attitude this week by making it into the **celebration book**. We are all proud of you for setting such a high standard! The children who we are celebrating this week are:

2H – Arshaan, Sohan

2F – Shylah, Fran, Jackson

1W – Emily, Zachary, Joshua

1B – Ayza, Manal, Theo

RH – Mika'eel, Seerat, Adrik

RGS – Matteo, Dylan, Lucas

Skipping away



Our Year 2 Super Skippers did us proud recently at their annual Skipping School Festival, held at Trinity University. We came away with many certificates in individual double bounce, side swing and the team Run, Jump, Out! Skip. We came away in 3rd place overall and I am super proud of them all. They were great sports and represented Highfield brilliantly!

Maths Whizzes



Well done to our fabulous maths team who entered the local area maths challenge at Allerton Grange High School yesterday. They gave a wonderful account of themselves and finished a close second. A superb effort from our number crunchers!

Thank you to some of our Summer Fair supporters:

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Safeguarding. For child protection concerns you can contact any of our Designated Child Protection Officers: Mr Feeley, Mrs Dalgliesh, Mr Brassil, Mrs Bowker and Mrs Calvert. There is some useful information on the LSCB website about online safety with some useful tips for parents: <http://www.leedslscb.org.uk/Parents-Carers-Wider-Family/Keeping-children-safe-online>. If you are worried that a child is at risk of harm please contact Leeds Children's Social Work Services on 0113 222 4403.

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