



Berlesduna Spelling Bee Final

This week children from Merrylands, The Willows and Whitmore came together to compete in the Berlesduna Spelling Bee. In KS1 the children worked in pairs to spell some rather tricky words. It was a tight competition which led to a tie break between two teams. In the end Harry B and Jax L in 2CL won the competition with Maddison F and Luca D in 2KT coming runners up. In KS2 the competitors were exceptional and again, it was an extremely tight competition. The winner shone out from the start and a child from Whitmore won the KS2 competition with Ashley B in 6CS coming runner up. Well done to everyone who participated in the final and semi-finals and Merrylands - you are all superstar spellers. Miss Talbot



Year 4 Jewish Museum Trip

Last Wednesday Year 4 children visited the Jewish Museum in London. They learned a lot about Jewish festivals through the interactive and very informative workshops. It was great for them to get the opportunity to touch, smell, see and hear. We all had an excellent day. Mrs Petrine



Football Match

On Tuesday, Merrylands played their second match against The Willows, this time on home ground. Despite the bitter weather, this did not deter the team's attitude and determination to play the sport to the best of their abilities. The full time score was 7 - 1 to the away team. Throughout the match the team continuously improved in their accuracy of passing and demonstrated some excellent defending skills, particularly Majeed C, Jude C and Charles W! Well done to Ashley B for scoring the goal! Well done boys! Miss Potts



Team Points

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



Termly Attendance

KS1 Winning Class: 2CL
 KS2 Winning Class: 3SG
 Merrylands Primary School and Nursery attendance target for 2017/18:



Stars of the Week 19/01/18

RSA	Meliz D	4CC/CCh	Jack W
RVJ	Olly-Jay W	4JW	Ruby M
1SR	Isabelle B	5MPPr	Zack C
1JC	Rosemarie R	5CF	Kye R
2KT	Harry L	5MPe	Jake-James L
2CL	Elliot L	6CS	Brooke C
3SG	Heidi P	6SP	Majeed C
3DB	Alfie G	6KG	Summer B
3KP	Lucy C		

Stars of the Week 12/01/18

RSA	Ciana A	4CC/CCh	Alfie B
RVJ	Chloe W	4JW	Dylan L
1SR	Evie H	5MPPr	Zaynab D
1J	Freddie M-S	5CF	Melissa C
2KT	Lily S	5MPe	Holly P
2CL	Lola I	6CS	Christopher L
3SG	Jake H	6SP	Olivia C
3DB	Ethan W	6KG	Christina C
3KP	Kyria Q		



Do you have any board games at home that your children no longer play with? Board Game Club would appreciate any donations. Please hand games into the office to pass on to Mr Hayward
 Thank you!



Dates for your diary...

- 23rd January 2018 – Year 2 Chelmsford Cathedral Trip
- 23rd January 2018 – Year 5/6 Tag Rugby Competition
- 25th January 2018 – Year 2 Great Fire of London Workshop
- 26th January 2018 – Year 1 Activity Afternoon
- 30th January 2018 – Young Voices at the O2
- 1st February 2018 – Nursery Story Workshop
- 5th February 2018 – Year 6 Cyber Safety workshop
- 6th February 2018 – Safer Internet Day

