

## Weekly Newsletter



#### **News of the Week!**

### In the news this week

The Princess of Wales has recently shared pictures, drawn by herself, Prince George, Princess Charlotte, and Prince Louis, of each other. The artworks, shared on social media, are part of the Shaping Us campaign, which highlights how we develop skills to connect with others from a young age. The pictures also aim to raise awareness of an exhibition, launched by The Princess, at the National Portrait Gallery in London, encouraging children to explore their relationships and feelings.

#### Things to talk about at home ...

- Share your thoughts on the drawings. Have you ever drawn a portrait of someone? Do you think this type of activity could help build connections with others?
- Can you think of any other ways you can connect with others around you?
- Talk to someone at home about some of the people you are connected to.

Is it important to feel proud of where you come from?



#### **Great Athletes—Emily Ford**

The children really enjoyed Wednesday when Emily Ford came to school she was really inspirational teaching our young minds the importance of resilience and determination.

A huge thank you for all the money that we have raised so far. We have currently raised over £1,100 and the closing date for any more sponsorship is the 19th March 2025 this will go a long way to help fund some of our sporting equipment for your children.

The class teachers will be uploading some pictures of their classes onto Seesaw very soon.





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#### **World Book Day—Poetry Competition**

Thank you to all our lovely children and staff for the most amazing efforts on World Book Day this year. In connection with World Book Day we have our Poetry Competition, the closing date is Friday 28th March and is open to all year groups, Good Luck!





### Weekly attendance w/c 03./03/2025

 Reception
 97.49%

 Year 1 97%

 Year 2 98%

 Year 3 98.62%

 Year 4 99.29%

 Year 5 98%

 Year 6 97.6%











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#### **Ginger Bread Socks**

On Thursday 21st March Sandiway Primary school will be celebrating and supporting World Down Syndrome Day. Emma Harris and her dad started the gingerbread biscuit campaign in March 2016 to give something back to the charity for supporting them throughout Emma's childhood. Since then, it has gone from strength to strength selling tens of thousands of biscuits. 100% of all the proceeds go to Down Syndrome Cheshire to continue to support people with Down Syndrome to live the life they choose in our community. On this day we would like the children to wear brightly coloured socks and bring a minimum of a £1 to buy a gingerbread sock.



#### Coffee Morning—Sandiway Primary School—Save the Date 3rd April 9am

We are delighted to welcome CHAPS (Cheshire Autism Practical Support) to Sandiway Primary school to help support parents in their understanding of autism and neurodiversity. As a charity, CHAPS helps and supports a number of autistic individuals across all different ages and they would like to offer more support within the local community. This charity supports families whether diagnosed or not. If you would like to attend this event, would you please email the admin team at Sandiway Primary school just so we know how many parents we will be catering for. I look forward to welcoming you to this event to inform, educate and increase knowledge. - Mrs Forsyth.



#### **Hot Chocolate Friday!**

Well done to Hero (Rec), Harriet (Y1), Betsy (Y2), Jacob (Y3), Autumn (Y4), Zak (Y5), Ted and Tilly (Y6) and Max and Amalie (Office), James (Mr A's Club), Noah and Archie (Club Rock) who all won Headteacher Awards for showing ownership on Friday 7th March 2025.

