

# STAINDROP MERCURY

16th May 2022

## Good Samaritans of the Week



**Class 6  
Whole  
Class**

**EYFS - Brax, for persevering with his writing. Well done!**



**Year 1 - Hana, for giving 100% to everything when it's out of her comfort zone.**



**Year 2 - Sylvie, for improved effort across all subjects!**



**Year 3 - Joshua, for always staying positive even when things are a bit difficult!**



**Year 4 - Anthony, for excellent effort in the presentation of his work this week.**



**Year 5 - Frankie, for always being an excellent role model to others.**



**Year 6 - The whole of Class 6, for all of their hard work this week. Well done everyone!**



**Marvellous Maths Award**

EYFS - Lexi  
Year 1 - Billy  
Year 2 - Elodie  
Year 3 - Lucy  
Year 4 - Lola  
Year 5 - Henry  
Year 6 - Class 6

**Marvellous Reading Award**

EYFS - Sandy  
Year 1 - Lily P  
Year 2 - Whole Class  
Year 3 - Elodie  
Year 4 - Mia  
Year 5 - Toren  
Year 6 - Class 6

### Key Dates for Your Diary 2022

Plastic Brass Band coming into school - 19th and 20th May

Staindrop's Got Talent Auditions - 23rd May PM

Staindrop's Got Talent - 26th May PM

Y6 athletics Event - AM Friday 27th May

Jubilee Celebrations - 2.00pm Fri 27th May

**School breaks up for Half Term - 27th May**

**School re-opens - Monday 6th June**

Y6 to Durham Cathedral - 7th June

Y4 Trip to Housesteads - 8th June

Y5 trip to Bolton Castle - 9th June

EYFS Trip to Hall Hill Farm - 21st June

Y2 Trip to Beatrix Potter - 23rd June

**PD Day - Friday 24th June**

**Additional Day in lieu of Queens Jubilee - Mon 27th June**

Y3 Trip to The Oriental Museum - 19th July

**Break up for Summer - Thursday 21st July**

**Return to School after Summer - Tues 6th Sept.**

### Updated Handover Arrangements

The end of the school day children can now be collected from your child's external classroom door to reduce congestion on the playground.

**Breakfast Club - drop off at the main front office entrance from 7:45am.**

**School drop off - children can arrive between 8.45 and 9.00am at either KS1 or KS2 gate.**

**School club pick up - Children can be collected at 4.30pm from the KS1 gate.**

**Thank you for your support and understanding.**

### FOSS Jubilee Bunting Competition

Design your flag and it will be displayed in a local care home over the Jubilee weekend.

£1 to enter - proceeds to fund new playground equipment. Winners will receive a £10 voucher for Connelly's Toyshop.

Bunting template attached.

### Platinum Jubilee Celebrations

Our Platinum Jubilee Celebrations are taking place in school on Friday 27th May at 2.00pm. Parents are very welcome to join us. We will be having lots of Jubilee fun - including a Royal Bake Off!

### ATTENDANCE

Reception 92.5%

Class 1 100%

Class 2 95.2%

Class 3 96.8%

Class 4 88.9%

Class 5 99.2%

Class 6 99.7%

**Extended School Day**  
From Monday 6th June pick up time will change to 3.30pm due to updated Government guidance.

**Attendance Award: Year 1**  
Whole school attendance : 96.1%

*Through God's love, we are the rich soil where roots grow and seeds flourish.*

*Luke 8:4-15*