

## Highlights of the Week

Since the start of term, we have been focusing on the book 'Holes' by Louis Sachar with a particular focus on the characters of Stanley, Madame Zeroni and The Warden. This week we have used evidence from the book to back up our opinions about the Warden (she's really quite intimidating!) and written a Diary entry as though we were Stanley (he's not having a great time). Most entertaining for me were the stories the class finished writing about Madame Zeroni and what might have happened in her past. They were full of description and each story was unique.

## In Lessons

In science, we have looked at keeping healthy and combined this with our computing topic to create a Powerpoint in groups.

We also used technology in our Shakespeare lesson where we did a virtual tour of the Globe Theatre in preparation for our trip in a few weeks time. We found out lots of different facts about The Globe, how it was built and what it might have been like to watch a play in the time of Shakespeare.

In Maths we have recapped column addition and subtraction and learnt about common factors and multiplies.

Issue No 2 Autumn Term  
20<sup>th</sup> September 2024  
01932 842785

## Year 6 Roles of Responsibility

Today saw the announcement of our new House Captains. I, along with all the staff, have been incredibly impressed with the quality of the letters and speeches that have been made to apply for the roles of Ambassador and House Captain. It was also wonderful to see how the children congratulated each other, even those who were understandably upset were able to be pleased for their peers. Back in class, we have reallocated some other important Year 6 roles so that everyone who wants 'something' important to do can do so.

## Information for Parents

Dates for the diary

26<sup>th</sup> September - High Ashurst Parents Meeting 3:30pm

**Early October - Forest Schools**

11<sup>th</sup> October - The Globe Theatre trip

21<sup>st</sup> October - Bike ability Week

22<sup>nd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> October - Parents Evening

28<sup>th</sup> October - Half Term

6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> November - High Ashurst

19<sup>th</sup> November - Junior Citizen

17<sup>th</sup> December - Panto Trip

20<sup>th</sup> December - End of Term

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any worries or concerns.