

## Swimming Superstars!

Well done to **Alice** and **Patrick** who both achieved swimming certificates for their work in their lesson on Monday. Alice received 2 certificates for 1 length (25m) and 2 lengths (50m) of breaststroke. Patrick also received 2 certificates; 1 for a width on his front and another for a width on his back.

Excellent work both of you! — *Ms Mundy*



## Climbing Challenge

Ollly took part in his first ever bouldering competition this weekend at Boulder Brighton climbing centre as part of their third anniversary celebrations. He absolutely loved it and had to attempt 20 different climbing challenges of varying difficulty.



## Walkies

Esmee, her mum and Cola went to Sheffield Park on Sunday for an event run by Hearing Dogs called The Great British Dog Walk. The event was to raise money to train more Hearing Dogs like Cola.



## The Shard

Mr Couch, Mrs Grant and Sam went to a meeting in London on Monday. Mrs Grant pointed at The Shard. "Wow!" said Mr Couch. "Have you been up it yet?" "No," replied Mrs Grant. "I have," said Sam. Mrs Grant and Mr Couch were very jealous.

## Housepoints

Last week the score was  
Blue 24 Yellow 22

This week, **Tayah**, **Reece** and **Oliver** got a points for Blue and **Kai** got a point for Yellow, Well done!

**Blue 27 Yellow 23**

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Weather: Cloudy this weekend, about 9°C.



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## Our Sport Relief 2016



Today, it is Sport Relief day. Pupils wore home clothes and donated money. We all had lots of fun doing activities in the gym this morning.

## Mr Couch

Mr Couch was invited to Buckingham Palace to meet Prince Andrew, the Prince of York. To get in, Mr Couch had to show a special pass and his passport. There were armed police at the gate just in case anyone who wasn't invited tried to get in.



Mr Couch was with a group called 'Soundseekers' who help deaf people in Africa. Mr Couch has been to help children in The Gambia and will be going to Malawi later this year. The Prince seemed very pleased with the work Mr couch does in Africa. Maybe we can invite the Prince to come to the school and see us!



RUMOURS.....

HURT

USE THE FILTER TEST.

TRUE ?

GOOD?

USEFUL?



## Rumours

Mrs Grant talked about rumours in assembly on Wednesday. She said use the filter test. If you are told something, ask yourself:

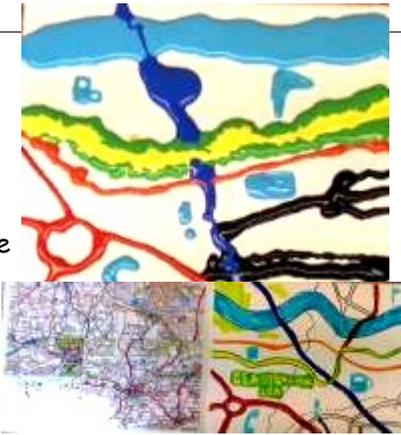
Is it true? Is it good? Is it useful?

She reminded us that rumours can be unkind and hurt people's feelings. Don't spread rumours.

## Art

Morgan did some great art linked to maps. She drew a map after looking at OS maps then used paint to dribble it onto a canvas. Morgan said, "It was difficult to control the paint bottles!" Mrs Grant looked at her work and said, "Well done, amazing!"

On Tuesday Natasha did some sculpture art using plaster.



## First Aid Passes

The D of E group completed their First Aid course last week. Mark, the instructor, said, "They have all passed and the level of understanding was high". In the course they learnt CPR, how to deal with bleeding, broken bones, shock, and blisters. In this picture you can see Beth, Oliver and David practising how to move casualty to a place of safety.



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## Fish Pies

The 1b boys made themselves 3 enormous fish pies for dinner. There is definitely no doubt that the pies were excellent...

The boys ate up every last bit and still wanted more!



## Beth Nee Memorial 2016

On Thursday we had a football tournament to remember Beth Nee, former HLSC pupil and student. Well done to all for making it a special occasion.



## Drama Workshop

On Wednesday, University of Reading Drama students came to work with Year 10 and 11 pupils.

The pupils watched group performances by the students, who then did two workshop activities, about Consensual Relationships and Ethical Eating. All the pupils worked hard and enjoyed the learning experience.



## Ice Cream

On Tuesday evening the boys from 1b House went with Sarah and Rosie to Jo-Jo ice cream. They had waffles and ice cream and Andrew had crepes.