

# THE WHITEFIELD POST



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Many of you have commented on the trees that were cut down during February half term. It was such a painful decision to make and we talked (and argued) our way through all possible options to keep them but the roots had started to break in to the drain pipes underground and had started to push up the tarmac on the playground. We were really pleased though to be able to re-purpose the tree trunks and the mulch - we have

edged a number of areas around the school, including the wild flower area on the field (in readiness for the Penwortham In Bloom competition) and have made seating areas too. A HUGE thank you to Mr Jackson, Mrs Ward and the Y5 boys who helped do this last week.



## FRIDAY CERTIFICATES - 1ST MARCH 2024

RECEPTION - POPPY P, HUDHAYFAH I

YEAR 1 - TEDDY B, SOPHIE H

YEAR 2 - LISA T, LOTTIE S, EZRA J

YEAR 3 - AMELIA B, ETTIE T, THEA N

YEAR 4 - IRIS H, MARI M

YEAR 5 - LEIA B, THOMAS B

YEAR 6 - TILLY W, FRANCESCA T

THE WINNING HOUSE THIS WEEK IS:

**RIBBLE!**

## Attendance w/b

19.02.2024:

Well done to 4AH (Mrs Huxtable) who had the best attendance this week with 99.3%, closely followed by 1SF (Mr Flynn) with 99%.

In third place this week was 6SM (Miss Mansfield) with 98.4 then 6LN (Miss Nuttall) with 97.2%



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Today we say **GOODBYE AND GOOD LUCK** to Mrs Hastings (Christine) in the school office.

Christine is moving to another school to take over their office. She will be absolutely brilliant in her new role. We will miss her lots!

### WORLD BOOK DAY 2024



We had an amazing day on Thursday for **WORLD BOOK DAY** - thank you to Mr Ginty, our reading subject leader for planning such a brilliant day.

We particularly loved the book themed scavenger hunt!

A **HUGE** thank you to Jess from the Friends of Whitefield PTFA for our **WONDERFUL WOMEN** event on International Women's Day - daffodils are my favourite flower.

Next week is **SCIENCE WEEK!** Lots of scientific discovery and learning going on in school with some help from Hutton Grammar.