

**Honesty**      **Respect**      **Confidence**      **Responsibility**      **Independence**      **Ambition**

### A message from Mrs Atherton: Your Headteacher

As we find ourselves at the end of the first summer half term, I cannot quite believe that we have nearly completed another academic school year! Thank you for your continued support this term in my full-time role as Headteacher. It has been another busy 7 weeks, during which, all classes have really embraced the 6 school values and showed a real love for learning. Thank you to the whole of our school community for working together for our pupils. I wish all pupils, families, staff, governors and volunteers a fantastic half term and hope to see you all at the Rose and Crown on Sunday to support our school! #We are the Mighty Moor First school.



### Stars of the Week

Our value focus last week was **#Responsibility**. The winners below have clearly demonstrated this to their teachers:

- Emerald: Lily      Well done 😊
- Garnet: Loraine      parents/carers are
- Sapphire: Skylar      are invited to the celebration
- Amethyst: Macey      event on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July



### Headteachers Awards

This week the children below have been selected for the Headteacher award:

For **confidence**:

Erin J, Freya C, Hayden P.

For **ambition**:

Ella-Rose D, Ivy B, Alfie B, Lucas D, Lily S, Nancy M, Macey W.

For **respect**:

Arthur G

Well done to each and every one of you, fantastic work! 😊



Thank you to all who bought a bottle in for our Summer Fayre tombola. It is very much appreciated. Don't forget the Rose & Crown are holding their 'Rocking Rose & Crown' fundraising event for Moor First on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May!! It is going to be a great event and it would be lovely to see as many of you there as possible representing our wonderful village school!



### Diary Dates June 2024

- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup>** INSET day
- Friday 7<sup>th</sup>** Sapphire/Some Amethyst trip
- W/c 10<sup>th</sup>** Phonics/timestable assessment
- Wed 12<sup>th</sup>** Father's day event 09:00-09:30
- Thurs 14<sup>th</sup>** Football match selected pupils
- Friday 14<sup>th</sup>** Summer fayre 15:30-18:00
- Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>** Well dressing, maypole
- Thursday 20<sup>th</sup>** Y4 bump up day
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup>** Reports /Emerald assembly

### Diary Dates July 2024

- Friday 5<sup>th</sup>** Garnet assembly/School disco 16:30-18:30
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> & Friday 12<sup>th</sup>** Leaver's café – 14:00-15:00
- Friday 12<sup>th</sup>** Sapphire +Y3 Amethyst class assembly
- Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> - 09:00** Celebration event for Star of the Week winners
- W/c 15<sup>th</sup>** Bump up for all classes
- Friday 19<sup>th</sup>** School closes

### What We Have Learnt

**Emerald:** Our youngest class, Nursery and Reception, visited Biddulph Grange Country Park this week. The weather was extremely unkind, however they still had a brilliant day. They consolidated their learning of minibeasts and plants. We are so proud of how they all behaved.

**Garnet:** Garnet class have been looking at life cycles. On 'National Outdoor Classroom Day' they went outside to collect different materials to show the lifecycle of plants. They worked so well together!

**Sapphire:** Sapphire Class have been learning about our lovely, local Biddulph Grange this week. They have been ordering significant events through the years and even added their own.

**Amethyst:** Amethyst class have taken part in a Tom Gates drawing workshop as part of reading for pleasure week. They really enjoyed following the video instructions and all created such beautiful pictures! Being an illustrator is tough but it makes a book so much more meaningful.



### Attendance

At the end of each half term we will look at which class has the highest attendance rates. For this half term, Summer 1, the winners were.....

**EMERALD**

They have enjoyed an extra hour of 'golden time' this week as a treat!



### Celebration Café – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May

Wow!! thank you so much to all family/friends who came to this event. I am sure you will all agree this was a complete SUCCESS! The children absolutely loved celebrating with their loved ones. Their faces on the pictures say it all. Thank you to all involved! Including our wonderful PTFA members who helped in every way possible!



You make  
us so proud!



### Staff/Pupil Shout out's!

Staff shout out to Mrs Atherton and Mrs Kirby for being guest speakers at the Biddulph rotary AGM (congleton golf club) this Tuesday evening. They have kindly been awarded £300 towards school fund. This will be used to purchase autumn term English curriculum reading texts 1 between 2 for autumn term. They expressed a number of items they would like to raise money for so that our children learn for life and so Biddulph Rotary will keep us in their plans over the coming year. Let's say a big thank you #community!! Watch out as we have a community Ukulele event coming soon!!

### Community Spirit

This week we have another huge thank you to say to Allan Jones & Son Carpets and Blinds Biddulph. Who so generously donated the red carpet for our celebration café. It can be seen on the pictures above. It is muchly appreciated and another great example of community spirit!!

## THANK YOU



### Easy Fundraising

Until 31st May, every new Tesco shopper will raise a **£10 donation** for Moor First School !

With half-term just a few days away, your supporter's BBQ, picnic, and staycation plans could give your donations a boost!

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