



### Gym Winners.

Ten talented children went to Writhlington Gymnastics Competition last month. The children did very well and some even won medals. There were two different teams competing. Level 1 and Level 2.

In **Level 1** there were five children: **Charley, Kinsey, Simeon, Ryan H and Josh Y.**

In **Level 2** there were also five children: **Zara L, Erin-Grace, Thomas, Serena and Daniel D.** Both teams did extremely well and both placed in the top two for each level. **Level 1 came 2<sup>nd</sup>** and **Level 2 came 1<sup>st</sup>.** Two children won individual medals.

**Charley came 1<sup>st</sup> for Level 1. Zara L placed 3<sup>rd</sup> for Level 2.** Each child went round on a circuit including: Vault, Floor, Rest and Apparatus. All the children had a thrilling time at the competition and all did fantastically well. There is now a regional competition for the **Level 2** team because they won. They will compete at Bath University at the School Games!

Well done to the whole squad...what an achievement! We wish our Level 2 team well as they go to the Regional Competition next.

**By Zara L, Erin-Grace and Thomas.**

### NSPCC Visit PJS

The NSPCC's **Speak out. Stay safe.** programme is visiting our school to make sure our pupils have the knowledge and understanding they need to stay safe from abuse.

I'm pleased to tell you that we will be working with the NSPCC, the UK's leading children's charity, who'll be delivering their Speak out. Stay safe. programme on 11th March. This is a nationwide programme for every primary-school-aged child in the UK and Channel Islands. With the help of their friendly mascot Buddy, they'll be presenting an assembly to the children in our school as well as a workshop for Year 5 on 11th March and Year 6 on Wednesday 13th.

### Parent/Teacher Consultations

Parent/Carer Teacher Consultations are on **Tuesday 26th March** between 3.15pm and 7.130pm. A letter has been sent home today with your child. Please could the return slip be placed in The Blue Box as soon as possible.

### Community News

**Seedy Saturday Seed Swap, Potato Day and Green Fair** on Saturday 9th March, 10am - 2pm, The Conygre Hall in Timsbury.

### Going for Gold - Young Voices 2019

Recently, Paulton Junior School took a **record-breaking 90 strong choir** of amazing children to the Young Voices concert at the Genting Arena in Birmingham. The day was filled with fun, smiles and laughter, not to mention stunning singing and groovy dancing (by children AND teachers). At the arena, we joined over 6,000 other children from all over the country to create the largest school choir in the world. Together, we sang and danced with some amazing artists: Britain's Got Talent star Bea Dermott, Sharlene Hector from Basement Jaxx, the incredible Urban Strides dance troop and the world famous pop superstar Tony Hadley (formerly of Spandau Ballet). It was an incredible night and the children represented the school with positivity, pride and passion! A huge thank you to **Mr Smith and Miss Mills** who organised this wonderful opportunity for our children. We all can't wait to go again...



### Sports Update

- The Netball Team were triumphant in their recent fixture against MSN Primary running out convincing winners 17-1.
- The school Football Team also continued their **unbeaten run** in the MSN League on Tuesday with a **9-3 away win at Westfield Primary School.** (That is the highest recorded victory against our fiercest rivals in over 20 years.)

### And Finally...

- We are pleased to extend a warm welcome to **Miss Abell into 3CW**. Miss Abell is undertaking her final PGCE teaching placement with us.
- **Mrs Walker has just returned from her** Maternity Leave and is currently working for 2 days per week in Year 6.
- Today we said a sad farewell to **Mrs Hawkins** who is leaving our SMSA Team and moving on to a new job. We wish her well.
- **World Book Day** is on Thurs 7th March - Dress Up as a favourite book character. **Parents/carers are invited** in to their child's classroom at 2.30pm.
- **PTA Disco** is on **Thurs 21st March** from 4pm - 5.30pm. Open to all year groups. Letter coming home soon.
- **Year 4 Swimming Gala** on **Wed 3rd April** starts at 1.30pm. All welcome.

