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CHARACTER VALUE OF THE WEEK: ACCEPTANCE

"Life is a series of natural and spontaneous changes. Don't resist them; that only creates sorrow. Let reality be reality. Let things flow naturally forward in whatever way they like." — Lao Tzu



FRIDAY 21 MARCH

**THANK YOU ALL YOUR KIND DONATIONS
FOR RED NOSE DAY !**

**WE HAVE COLLECTED £171 SO FAR!
THE COLLECTION WILL GO TOWARDS SUPPORTING
FAMILIES IN NEED ACROSS UK AND BEYOND.**

HEALTHY LIFESTYLES WEEK

For our annual Healthy Lifestyles Week, we tried to look creatively as to what being healthy means. We did all the usual physical activities (see below for Mr Hartopp's summary) but we also thought about the wider aspects of keeping ourselves healthy. This included continuing with our healthy eating, eating the food on our plate and reducing our food waste to keep our planet healthy too. We had some very important guests from the Magistrates Association to talk to Y5 & 6 about the dangers of knife crime (keeping ourselves healthy and safe). Our Daily Mile continued in an effort to get our children physically active every day but this week, it was with a difference. We took to the skies to see what it looked like from above and to give the children some added incentive in keeping up their physical activity. You can see highlights here: [HLW 2025](#). Good friend of SJS, John Noble, came in on Monday and showed children the pleasure of feel-good dancing and we heard a little bit about the importance of setting yourself goals and persevering to follow your dreams. Overall, a very interesting week. Thanks to all the staff for making it such a special week.

Children took part in lots of different activities like Archery, Quad sports, Show Racism the Red Card (King Power) and Rugby Mega Fest. Every class has had a chance to experience Archery and learn a new skill or to improve on what they already knew. Quad Sports - carousel of 4 mini games testing different skills. Bottle flipping, throwing and catching a ball, throwing a bean bag into hoop and shuttle run relay. For the Rugby Mega Fest, eight Year 4 children attended, learning the rules through skills and Drill, then implementing them into a game, with glorious sunshine to complement the day!



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Let's celebrate Big Walk and Wheel Week!

Get active and save our planet by walking or biking to school!

Challenge yourself and don't use your car this week!

If your house is close to the school then you don't have to come in a car its not good for our environment just use a scooter, bike, ..



Walk to school
if you can ~~save~~
SAVE OUR PLANET!

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COFFEE MORNINGS AT SHAFTESBURY WITH MRS ESLEY
EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 9.00AM ONWARDS.

All welcome to come along!

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE WILL BE NO COFFEE MORNING ON
WEDNESDAY 26TH MARCH.**

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HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT TRIP

On Monday, the SJS school council children and selected Eco-monitors had an opportunity to visit the Houses of Parliament in London. The visit included a story of parliament tour and a workshop. Thanks to the members of staff who organised the trip and accompanied the children on the day. It was an enjoyable and educational day for the children!



MOCK KNIFE CRIME TRIAL

With knife crime often being in the news and a number of high-profile cases in Leicester, we had a mock knife crime trial for Y5/6. This was run in collaboration with the Leicestershire and Rutland Magistrates Association. Children acted out a pre-arranged script around a knife crime, where there were deliberations to determine the outcome of each case. 6P & 5P went head-to-head against 6S & 5G to see if they could convince the jury to vote in favour of their outcome. The aim was to educate the children around knife crime, as well as give an understanding into the youth justice system. The trial was followed by a presentation about the consequences of involvement in knife crime and the dangers and myths surrounding it.



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SHOW RACISM THE RED CARD AT KING POWER

78 Year 5/6 children went to the King Power to Show Racism the Red Card, learning about what racism is and what to do if you hear or experience racism. We also had a visit from 4 Leicester City under 21's player men's and women's squad.

One of the players was Henry Cartwright (Mrs Cartwright's son) who is known by many of the SJS children!



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WEEKLY AWARDS AND ATTENDANCE

CLASS ATTENDANCE

3J:	98.1%
3W:	97.7%
4K:	95.2%
4S:	95.6%
5G:	98.7%
5P:	97.3%
6P:	96.7%
6S:	96.3%

Overall Attendance from 29.08.24 - 21.03.25: 95.9%

TOP ATTENDANCE: 5G 98.7%
 PUNCTUALITY: 6P
 CLEANEST CLASS:

HOUSE POINTS

1st: CRANMER 290
 2nd: RIDLEY 276
 3rd: TYNDALE 272
 3rd: LATIMER 252

WEEKLY HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Every week, two pupils from a year group are chosen for an outstanding piece of work. This is our celebration of their efforts. WELL DONE!



3W - Blanka
 For being resilient during a week full of challenges!
 Good job!



3J - Chloe
 For being a consistently kind, conscientious and hard-working person with a positive attitude and wonderful smile.

WOW AWARDS

3W:	Damilola
3J:	Milosz
4K:	Zion
4S:	Jolene
5G:	Andrei
5P:	Nimah
6P:	Carmen
6S:	Ebrima

WE ❤️ LUNCHTIMES

Khalid 6S: Self-regulation and self-respect

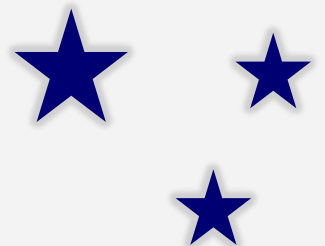
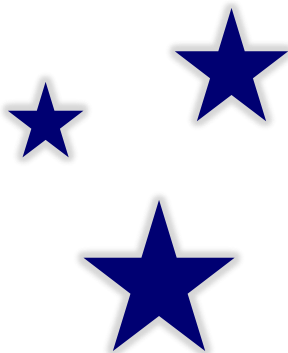
Etienne 3J: Self-regulation

Zehna 3W: Confidence

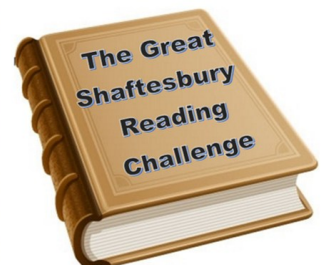
Navlin 4K: Respect

Alans 4K: Self-motivation

Erica 6S: Open mindedness



READING MILES



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