

# School News

## Fairtrade

Our representatives for this year are:

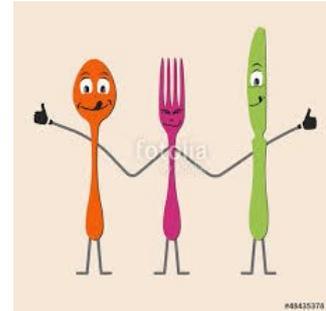
- 2FM—Joshua Morson
- 2AG—Sophie Edwardson
- 3NP—Tracy Mardsen
- 3AC—Scarlett Dawkins
- 3SQ—Joshua Litchfield
- 3CA—Kirsty Harrower
- 3AFS—Tristan Decoito
- 4KO—Jack Dodwell
- 4JL—Lionel Ramos-Whyte
- 4ASt—Usman Khalid
- 4SKP—Charlotte King
- 5CP—Erin Thomas
- 5EM—Alim Glancy
- 5KP—Jake Daltom
- 5IF—Matthew Day
- 5JY—Carley Litchfield



## Lunchtime Awards

The students chosen this half term to receive certificates in recognition of following the lunchtime rules in the dinner hall are :

- KS2 - Jamie McCarthy
- KS3 - Chinasa Ezeh
- KS4 - Samuel Roper
- KS5 - Jake Patene



## House Points

Pupils and staff have been allocated a house to represent. They collect house points and the score stands as follows:-

Owls	Swallows	Kestrels
1052	937	1129

## School Meals

£2.20 per day or £11 a week.

Please make sure all money is in at the start of the week in a named envelope to Miss Ashley or via Parentmail.

## Eco Monitors



Our Eco Monitors this year are:

- 2FM—Joseph Barnaville
- 2AG—Jamie McCarthy
- 3NP—Zofeya Dorgu
- 3AC—Callum Rigby-Woods
- 3SQ—James Herron
- 3CA—Olivia Dutton
- 3AFS—Jenson West
- 4KO—Austin Mitton
- 4JL—Rhianna Edwardson
- 4ASt—Gabrielle Allonby-Briggs
- 4SKP—Evelyn Soles, Bilal Shad and Naomi Rankine
- 5CP—Joshua Norman
- 5EM—Jack Pettifar
- 5KP—Jack Watts
- 5IF—Luke Husbands
- 5JY—Adam Finch

# OUT OF THIS WORLD ASTRONAUT FOOD.



On Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October

2AG were visited by Shayne, Nick and Kieran

from KS4 to offer support when we tried Astronaut food.

We had four different foods to taste.



All the food packs were freeze-dried, we tried peaches,  
Neapolitan ice cream sandwich,  
cinnamon apple wedges and  
whole strawberries

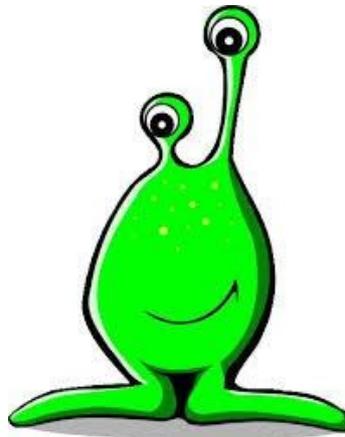
Jamie, Sophie, Ryan and Anastacia liked the ice cream

Hayes liked the strawberries.

Lucas liked the peaches.

Molly decided to smell the food in the packs.

By Lucas, Hayes and Jamie



The following children were selected by staff as clearly demonstrating this half term's Seal Value:

Supporting Others

2FM—  
2AG—Jamie McCarthy  
3NP—  
3AC—Michelle Rufuse  
3SQ—Klara Cullis  
3CA—  
3AFS—Alexandra Malcolm-Powlette  
4KO—  
4JL—Annabelle Fleckney  
4ASt—  
4SKP—  
5CP—  
5EM—  
5KP—Amber Keeley  
5IF—Dawn Donaldson  
5JY—

Congratulations to you all, well done.

International Schools

Our International Schools representatives this year are:

2FM—Anastacia Roberts  
2AG—Molly Barton-Rogers  
3NP—Lexie Board  
3AC—Michelle Rufuse  
3SQ—Klara Cullis  
3CA—Lexie Board  
3AFS—Alexandra Malcolm-Powlette  
4KO—Adam Kiefer  
4JL—Ruby Scott  
4ASt—Bradley Shimmin  
4SKP—Clem Garrand  
5CP—Elijah Blasse  
5EM—Andrei Ladin  
5KP—Ameena Shah  
5IF—Dawn Donaldson  
5JY—Michael Asbury

**WEATHERFIELD ACADEMY SCHOOL COUNCIL**  
**SEPTEMBER 2021 - 2022**

The new school council members for this year are: -

2FM—Oliver Hayward  
2AG—Lucas Harvey-Barrett  
3NP—Archie Ward  
3AC—Brooke Chilton  
3SQ—Luke Barry  
3CA—Ellis Grant  
3AFS—Keiron Dyer  
4KO—Aidan O'Connor and Callum Adams  
4JL—Christopher Lutterodt  
4ASt—Curtis Miles  
4SKP—Kieran Gough  
5CP—Robert Bailey  
5EM—Alex Sylvester-King  
5KP—Bradley Beecher  
5IF—Lydia Grant  
5JY—Adam Woodburn

We would like to congratulate all of our new School Council Members.



### School Farm

There's been a lot of hard work going on at the school farm this half term.

KS4 prepared a plot to plant winter vegetables. They learnt how to dig over the soil, rake the soil, levelled and create a trench for seedlings. They planted leeks, stem broccoli, cabbages and onions.

Meanwhile, KS5 students have learnt how to grow strawberry plants from runners. They worked in teams to dig out, trim and separate strawberry plants before potting on runners. Great work everyone!



### Diary Dates

**22nd October**  
End of half term

**25th - 29th October**  
Half Term

**1st November**  
Training day

**2nd November**  
Pupils back to school

**3rd November**  
Flu vaccinations (up to 18 year olds)

**10th November**  
1.30pm-2.15pm—Coffee afternoon, Zoom meeting Autism with Mrs Parris

**12th November**  
Children In Need Day

**23rd November**  
School photos—portraits and siblings

**26th November**  
Training day

**7th December**  
Coffee afternoon. 1.45pm-2.30pm. Zoom meeting. Safeguarding with Mrs Owen

**17th December**  
End of Term

### Attendance

We continue to celebrate the students attendance by giving them the opportunity to have a non-uniform day if their class has the highest attendance. The classes with attendance above 96% for this half term are 2AG, 5EM and 5KP They have earned a non-uniform day on Friday 22nd October.

Congratulations!



## An Author's Tale

On Tuesday 12th October, 4SP and 3SQ had the privilege of meeting an author over Zoom. We met with Lucy Noguera who has written a book called Swop, the Satsuma- Sized Secret. The students were fantastic in their questions to Lucy and in answering her questions to us. We learned some sign language as part of the session (one of the characters in the book is deaf), and lots of students want to buy her book.

Lewis said "I liked learning about being an author."

Ashley remarked, "I liked learning the sign language. I remember 'hide' and 'quiet'."

Evelyn added, "Her dog was cute. I look forward to reading Swop."

A really fabulous session was had by all, and Lucy has already asked Mrs Payne if she can come back as she loved chatting to our students.



## Poppy Appeal

At Weatherfield Academy, we fully support the national British Legion's Poppy Appeal each year.

This year, as well as traditional poppies, we have received a box of other poppy items with suggested donation amounts:

Clip on reflector poppies - suggested donation - 50p

Woven zip pulls - suggested donation - 50p

Wristbands - suggested donation - £1.00

Snap bands - suggested donation - £1.50

All of these will be for sale from Tuesday 2nd November to Thursday 11th November. This year, due to social distancing, the items will not be on sale in the hall at breaktimes, but from my office.

If you would like your child to buy a poppy or poppy item, please send a named envelope with the items you would like to buy, together with the correct money inside. Key Stage 2 will lead us in taking part in the national two minute silence on Thursday 11th November at 11am when we'll all be in wearing our poppies.

Thank you very much for helping us to continue to support this extremely worthy charity.

Mrs Drury



## Key Stage 5 NCS Week

On Monday 20th September Year 12 and 13 pupils started a week of National Citizenship Service activities.

The first two days were at Kingswood, Tring, where they took part in a number of different physical activities. Leap of faith, night walk and Jacob's Ladder pushed them beyond their comfort zones. They were extremely supportive to each other so that they achieved their goals.

On the third day, they went to Box End Water Park, which allowed them to safely challenge themselves around water. Paddle boarding, ninja warrior course and inflatables made for a fantastic and enjoyable day, if a bit wet!

The fun continued for the last two days, with lots of team building activities but the main purpose was to arrange an event for a local charity.

It was an exciting, fun week which really allowed pupils to go beyond their limits and work with others.

