



THE WEEKLY FLIGHT

STAR OF THE WEEK

Foundation 1: **Chenziri**
 Foundation 2: **Nova & Noah**
 Year 1: **Dara & Max**
 Year 2: **Harvey & Zavaar**
 Year 3: **Deren & Ben**
 Year 4: **Simona & Yusuf**
 Year 5: **Evie & Zac**
 Year 6: **Saara & Anoushka**

STEM AWARD

Foundation 1: **Asher**
 Foundation 2: **Leanna & Olivia**
 Year 1: **Dhiya & Leela**
 Year 2: **Ryder & Raphael**
 Year 3: **Pola & Emily**
 Year 4: **Aubrey & Aarit**
 Year 5: **Goldie & Gabriel**
 Year 6: **Maggie & Mahem**

WEEKLY AWARD ORGANISATION

Foundation 1: **Avneet & Jaia**
 Foundation 2: **Logan & Darcey**
 Year 1: **Joshua & Maya**
 Year 2: **Armaan & Violet**
 Year 3: **Manjot & Amani**
 Year 4: **Azrael & Konstantin**
 Year 5: **Amaanah & Ayla**
 Year 6: **Lucas & Imogen**
Next Award – Courtesy



NEW NEWS - QUIZCLUB SEMI FINALS

On Thursday 23rd January two teams comprising a pupil from each Prep year group took part in a regional heat of the Quizclub National General Knowledge for independent schools. This is carried out remotely with an exciting pressurised format and in all, ninety-five teams participated with Niharan, Dinore, Ethan and Aksel's team finishing a respectable 35th.

Our other team - Josephine, Jumana, Amaya and Xavier, dovetailed beautifully to come 5th scoring 1650 points out of 2000 and progress to the semi-finals.

Well done to all concerned and with training during activities on Mondays, perhaps another appearance in the National Finals at Oxford University is feasible!

FEB 17th-21st
FEBRUARY HALF TERM
9am-4pm

TECH CAMP

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WHAT PARENTS SAY: "Absolutely Fantastic! First time attending & my son loved it!"

HOW TO BOOK:

STEP 1: SCAN THE QR CODE

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STEP 3: BOOK ONLINE (SPACES LIMITED)

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WONDERWALL

This week's Wonderwall question was:

What is the most sensible thing you have ever heard someone say?

A little bit different this week – we are including more teachers' suggestions as well:

Mr Evans: Benjamin Franklin's observation "By failing to prepare, you are preparing to fail."

Ms Grant: Those who don't make mistakes seldom stumble upon new innovation.

Mrs Campbell: Put your name in your school uniform!

Ms Heath: Deeds, not words!

Ms Grant: Your thoughts are powerful, make them positive!

Ms Lewis: You are not a failure because you did not succeed; you are a success because you tried.

Haya, 5JB: Hard work is the key to success.

Aarit, 4PH: Treat others the way you want to be treated.

Jayden, 6JM: Be sensible!

And finally, Richard, 4PH: Never give up!

KEY PARENT DATES FOR SPRING TERM 1

Look out for these key dates this term:

w/c 3rd February - Children's Mental Health Week and National Storytelling Week

Friday 7th February - Performance Assembly

National Send a Card to a Friend Day

w/c 10th February - Arts Week

Friday 14th February - Inter House Music

PTA School Discos

The school calendar is now available via the Avon House Preparatory School App. Letters for events and educational visits will be attached to the calendar entries.

MEET THE TEAM

STAFF SPOTLIGHT


Mrs Gagliano
Specialist Spanish Teacher



Fun Facts

- * Favourite Colour - Blue
- * Favourite Food - Pizza and Lasagna
- * Favourite Animal - Butterfly
- * Favourite Book - Little People, Big Dreams series
- * Favourite Subject - English
- * Favourite School Memory - Spending time with a dear friend of mine, who I went to school with from nursery all the way to high school!

About Me

Whilst Mrs Gagliano Styczynski joined Avon House 2 years ago, she has been teaching for over 15 years. She became a teacher because she enjoys working with children and the majority of her relatives are teachers (so it must just run in the family!) She joined Avon House because she was impressed by what our curriculum offers especially with languages. She likes Avon House because everyone is SO kind!

"Nothing matters more than children"



TUB2PUB PLASTICS

Please pass empty confectionery, biscuit and cracker tubs to your child's Sustainability Council class representative by Friday 14th February. All money raised from the sale of Tub2Pub plastics will be given directly to Macmillan Cancer Support.

MILER OF THE WEEK

This week's Miler of the Week is Harry in Year 2 Flamingos for showing a real improvement this term. Well done Harry!