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Young Voices

I was really proud of all the children who represented our school at the Young Voices concert on Friday evening. The children's behaviour was impeccable and their singing was fantastic. Thank you to the parents who came to watch the show too. Your support was really appreciated! Afterwards, Evie told me, "It was my first time that I have been to the concert. I enjoyed singing with all the other classes in such a big arena. I also liked watching Andy Instone from Urban Strides. We learnt some dance moves and he made it fun."

Robinwood

The children in Year 6 had a great time at Robinwood Activity Centre last week. The teachers who went said that all our children behaved excellently and they worked well together when faced with new challenges and puzzles. Afterwards, Sam and Brooke told me, "We really liked the giant swing but we made sure we tried every activity even if we thought it would be difficult at the beginning." Thank you also to the staff who went and made the trip possible.

Library

I was delighted to give out "library star certificates" in our Achievements Assembly on Tuesday to recognise the children who are regularly using the library. I hope more children receive these certificates next time. Reading continues to be a focus for development for the academy and we must encourage our children to read for pleasure.

Governors' Meeting

The public minutes from the governors' meeting on the 20th November 2017 are now available. You can get a copy of these minutes from reception.

Website

The teachers have recently updated the class blogs and gallery pages on the school website. Make sure you read these in order to find out even more about what has been going on in school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr C Johnson
Headteacher