



Dear Families,

Last term, the children at William Morris Primary School thoroughly enjoyed learning about Archery and Fencing for our Spotlight on Sport focus. Children participated in workshops, culminating in a Key Stage 2 team competing against children from Singlegate Primary School in an Archery competition.



Through determination and resilience, not to mention a great deal of skill, William Morris came back from what seemed a certain defeat to win 107-100. Amelia, in Year 6, and Jayden C, in Year 4, hit many incredible shots to turn the competition around.

The victory came as a result of the hard practise put in through the workshops. These were enjoyed by all children from Years 1-6 who learned how to control their bow and arrow. One child mentioned that they actually felt like an Olympian, truly getting into the spirit of the sport theme.



Due to Archery's popularity a lunchtime club has been set up for children to learn even more about it and develop their skills even further in a new sport. If you wish to learn more, please do enquire at the office, or ask Mr. Stone, the Year 6 teacher.



al- We so enjoyed a focus on fencing, which was as well received as archery. Premier Sport arrived to teach our Year 1 classes how to compete in a very physically demanding activity. Everyone had an amazing time learning how control their movements in what is a very difficult sport to master.



Year 2 classes will also have this opportunity in the coming weeks.



As one sport's focus is finished, another begins. This term the focus switches to Lawn Bowls. Children in Years 5 and 6 will have the opportunity to turn their hand to another new and technical sport. Workshops at a Lawn Bowls Centre in Cheam have already begun with children coming back eulogising over the fantastic time they had. Many returned to explain how to play and that they wanted to continue improving in the game. Long may the enjoyment of sport at William Morris Primary School continue!

All the enthusiasm for sport will then spill over into our own Federated Sports' Day competitions. We look forward to challenging ourselves once again against Singlegate Primary School, looking to reclaim the title we lost last year. May we see another fantastic festival of sport, showing our children's teamwork, resilience and competitiveness to hopefully lead us to victory.

Finally, please don't forget to bring in those Sainsbury's vouchers. These can be used to purchase valuable sports equipment for our school so any contributed would certainly be going to good a cause.



The Head Boy and Girl Team
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