



# News from Cumnor School

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12<sup>th</sup> May 2017

## Year 6 SATs

Well done to all our Year 6 children who have now finished their SATs. They were all so good and focussed for the week and absolutely did their best. The results come back at the start of July.



## Double Footballing Win!

We're very proud to announce that our fantastic girls' football teams carried on the success of last year by coming home with both the top trophies, again! Our U9s had a strong route through the competition, winning every single one of their matches, while our U11s defeated 5 teams to come out top of their group, sailed through the semi-finals and narrowly clinched victory in a tense penalty shoot-out in the final. The standard of competition was very

high and the shining result doesn't necessarily reflect how hard our girls worked to outplay the opposition at every stage. Well done to Erin, Holly, Ellen, Pearl, Rebecca, Evie, Ruby, Eva, Hannah, Leila, Olivia, Amy, Aimee, Ava, Layla, Fleur, Tiana and Erin.

Huge thanks to all the parents, grandparents and siblings who came out to support the teams on the day, and a massive thank you to Jon Ward and his able assistant, ex-Cumnor pupil Jack Hunter, for giving up their time to coach the girls and manage the teams on the day.



## Tennis champions!

Our U9 team returned to the Partnership mini-red tournament this year with some new players and lots of enthusiasm! All of our players played really well and were commended on their sportsmanship as well as their talent, the latter of which led to them winning the tournament. We have a huge range of ability in the team, from "never played competitively" to "second best in the county" and all deserve huge

congratulations. Well done to Luca, Rhiannan, Jens, Raphael, Fleur, Diarmuid, Ruben, Layla and Amy. Thank you also to all the family members who froze for a couple of hours to come and give their support to our team!



**From your PTA:**

Next Friday (19th) is the School Quiz at Cumnor Old School, always a brilliant night with the talented Mr Cooke as compere. There will be organisers for you to book your table with in the entrance hall every morning next week, you don't even need to pay in advance, just book your table!

Also Cumnor pre-school is one of the charities that Waitrose is raising money for this week. There are three charities, and whichever charity is given the most tokens by customers will be awarded the funds. If you are shopping in Waitrose please donate your tokens to Cumnor Pre-school, also don't be afraid to ask for extra, I did and was given about 20!

	What has my child been doing this week?
Reception	Counting sides and corners of shapes, creating giants and making our own version of Jack and the Beanstalk.
Year 1	Subtraction number sentences and looking after the dinosaurs that hatched.
Year 2	Learning about Amelia Earhart, revising fractions and using beebots to program.
Year 3	Preparing and performing play scripts based on 'The Jungle Book,' problem solving using 2 and 3 digit column addition and subtraction.
Year 4	Learning the properties of triangles and quadrilaterals, punctuating dialogue correctly and finding out about rivers around the world.
Year 5	Researching real pirates in history, painting our initials in Japanese characters and finding inference in our class book.
Year 6	Working really hard during our SATs and celebrating afterwards at the park! Also starting our 'Exploring Extremes' topic.

**Next Week:**

Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> May	All Day	Science Day
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	7.30pm	PTA quiz

Yours sincerely,

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