Silly Sock Day!

On the 31st March 2017 as the school bell rang 9 o'clock hundreds of children arrived at the Perry Hall Primary School entrance wearing a plethora of 'Silly Socks' inspired outfits to support and raise money for autism.

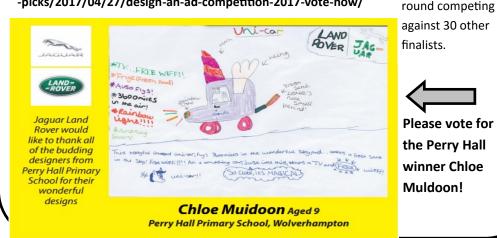
Autism is a lifelong condition which affects the way people communicate, think, behave and experience their senses. This developmental condition is neither rare nor common, only one in every one hundred people are affected by autism! This means people with this disorder have problems with everyday life so do not bully or make fun of them because they are only being themselves.

So they could truly embrace autism Perry Hall have created a competition for Silly Sock Day, to raise awareness for this amazing condition. This competition has a \$1 entry fee and if they wear the craziest socks they have and for a chance to win some brilliant prizes. Although Perry Hall have been helping with autism for a long time they have began to improve their facilities (they are creating a 'sensory room').

As well as all of this, we have had a fabulous day and have also raised a huge sum of money and awareness for autism, which the appreciation for has been immense!

By Havi P

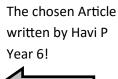
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competition

Express and Star

winner: Children

were asked by the

Express and Star to

design an advert for

Jaguar Land Rover

and our winner is

Chloe M. She is now

through to the final

Perry Hall News!

Friday 28th April 2017



A Place to Grow

Welcome to Perry Hall News, a weekly newsletter to celebrate our achievements and keep you up-to-date with upcoming events.

Silly Sock Day Please see below the article Published by the Autism Matters Magazine On Friday 31st March 2017 local schools and organisations showed their support for Autism West Midlands and took part in our annual Silly Sock Day. The 2017 Silly Sock Day has been our most successful one so far, with hundreds of people wearing silly socks throughout the region. We would like to say thank you to all those who took part and showed their support for Autism West Midlands.

We would also like to share with you a special Silly Sock Day story from one of the schools that took part. Six school girls at Perry Hall Primary School, acted as autism champions, in support of World Autism Awareness Week. The girls from the school based in Wolverhampton, approached teachers to ask for permission to wear silly socks during World Autism Awareness Week 2017. The teachers who recognised the importance of raising awareness for autism encouraged them to hold a presentation on why raising awareness is important to their fellow classmates. Encouraged by what the girls had said the school decided to take part

In a number of special autism awareness raising activities throghout the week. The school held special assembles and lessons during World Autism Awareness Week, teaching children key facts about autism and discussing the importance of raising awareness to help encourage acceptance.

In celebration of all their hard work all children and staff members came to school in their Silliest Socks on Silly Sock Day to help raise money for Autism West Midlands.

We were delighted to hear about all the hard



work the children and teachers at the school had put into World Autism Awareness Week and asked if they would like to share their experience in our magazine. Well done to all the children who took part in writing as journalist. We would like to share with you an article written by Havi P. Please see Havi's article on the back page...

PLEASE NOTE : From today, <u>fidget spinners</u> are banned from Perry Hall. They are a distraction to learning and can be dangerous. Any fidget spinners seen in school will be confiscated and will need to be collected by parents/carers at the end of a day. Thank you for your support in this matter.



Star of the Week!

A child from each class is chosen as Star of the Week for doing something special during the week. It may be related to their work, behaviour and/or their attitudes to learning.

NAM	Bella T	4CF	Zane B
NPM	Japheth B	4CP	Lewis E
RCR	Isla H	5AK	Maddison E
RDS	Amelia C	5DH	Millie B
1HD	Pavitar H	6GM	Courtney J
1ML	Reegan C	6NM	Shanya F
2KM	Alice W	Well Done everyone !!	
2BK	Charlotte W		
3AJ	Harley J		
3DG	Benji G		

Important upcoming dates:

- School closed for Bank Holiday Monday 1st May
- School closed for local elections—Thursday 4th May (Study Day for Year 6 -9.00am —2.15pm—see letter sent 25.04.17)
- School closed for General Election—Thursday 8th June

