



NEWSLETTER 11 – 19th November 2021

A quote: 'In a world where you can be anything, be kind'

Dear Parents and Carers,

It was so great to see all the children with their Odd Socks on Monday as part of Anti Bullying Week. This year's theme 'One Kind Word' has been discussed and thought about this week as well as assemblies shared, and work completed. Andy and the Odd socks produce an annual song - please see the link here for it should you wish to listen at home <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lpZ3u5Z6pOg> . It is often after weeks like these, as you raise awareness, that more incidents may be brought to us, and this can help us with supporting children making the right choices and navigating situations. Normally however these are low level behaviours that can seem just mildly irritating that do need to be addressed as this can then escalate and manifest itself into bigger things. This we shall be especially monitoring and picking up on in the next few weeks across the school. Please do be advised that our Anti Bullying Policy can be found on the school website.

Today we are all brightly dressed to support Children in Need – School Council on Monday led an informative assembly about the charity and the work that is done. Thank you for all your kind donations.

A quiet sporting week but next week it is the final of the Cross Country On Friday for those selected children. Unfortunately, the Key Stage 1 Multi Skills Event has had to be cancelled due to positive Covid cases. Good luck to all the runners participating next week.

It is also the much-anticipated PTFA Disco next week – looking forward to seeing children on the dance floor!

Well done to Billy and his family as well as many of you who also gave your support on Sunday as part of the 12-hour football match for Billy's Wish to walk. I popped down later on Sunday with Mrs Humphries and watched some of the play – a great event with a great amount raised.

Today I have sent a separate flyer of information with regard to Christmas events - hopefully it is helpful to you.

I hope you all have a great weekend,

Mrs Smith, Headteacher

Other useful information:

All **school run clubs** finish week beginning 29th November – this is except for Rugby which due to Mr Pemble's absence will run for an extra week.

The **flu immunisation** will take place on Monday 13th December - further information from the School Health Nursing Team regarding the immunisation will be sent home by the end of November.

The **school vision screening** for the Reception class is on Monday 22nd November

Diary Week: 22nd Nov

Assessment Week

Mon Vision Screening Reception

Tues

Wed KS1 Pantomime
Parent Forum 2 – 2.15pm

Thurs

Fri Cross Country Event
Toucans Swim
Hérons Swim
PTFA Disco

NO NUT PRODUCTS IN SCHOOL Please could you ensure that no items that contain nuts are sent into school due to the fact we have children with serious nut allergies – this includes peanut butter, nuts as a snack and some breads may contain nuts too.

Plea! If you have any **spare swimming clothes** we would grateful for these as spares please. Also we are setting up Lego therapy and would appreciate any donations of unwanted **Lego**. Thank you.

Our next **Parent forum** is on Wednesday 24th November at 2:15pm. If you were unable to join the first one but would still like to join us, then please do contact the office. Further information and minutes of the first meeting can be found on the school website.

Attendance:

95.9%

Growth Mindset Certificates:

Owls	Mollie H for being able to make and follow a colour and size pattern made with the compare bears - good problem solving Matthew H-H for being a kind member of the class helping others with their learning. Great Maths skills.
Puffins	Jackson T for working really hard on the letters in his name Bertie B for making 3 super 'Thank You' cards and working really hard on his writing
Penguins	James P for super perseverance when building a tractor in the construction area. Harley T for using her imagination to create a lovely story in the small world area.
Flamingos	Daria K for always having a growth mindset towards her learning and for starting to use conjunctions in her writing. Norah C for a super start this term and always being a very kind, helpful member of the class.
Peacocks	Sienna H for being on fire with her ideas for her writing, George L for being determined in his writing this week,
Woodpeckers	Christian for perseverance with his reading and making good progress Gus for being a superstar all week and showing perseverance and tenacity in Maths.
Hummingbirds	Florence H for using her creative ideas to inspire herself and her classmates. Isla N for persevering in her writing this week. She worked hard to write creative ideas and I'm very proud of her.
Parrots	Brooke C for trying really hard with her writing and her maths this week. She has been more willing to get her ideas down on paper in her letter writing. Billy H for great perseverance - after a gruelling and tiring weekend we were impressed with Billy's hard work in class.
Toucans	Ava S for being a caring and kind member of Toucans who is always willing to lend a hand. Laz W for demonstrating his knowledge in Maths and helping his classmates by giving superb explanations.
Hérons	Ria MH persevering with Maths this week and making good progress. Lilly H always doing the right thing, having an excellent attitude towards learning and being a great role model to her peers
Kingfishers	Lauren w For really persevering with her English work and being inspired. Writing with incredible empathy and emotions. Fraser M for being inspired in English with our Alchemists letter word. Really creative use of vocabulary choices
Headteacher Value Awards	Isabella R, Edith B, Harry C,

HOUSE POINTS: Birch 145 Maple 111 Oak 151 Mulberry 86

[Online #Wakeupwednesday-](#) This is an information page produced by National Online Safety about key reminders for parents relating to online safety. **This weeks theme: Share Kindness Online**

Primary School Applications

Parents of children born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018 (inclusive) need to apply for an infant or primary school place for September 2022.

Key dates for applications:

2 Nov 2021

Applications open.

15 Jan 2022

Closing date for applications.

To apply online please click [here](#)

Out of school achievements- Shout out and well done to:

Reuben C for being awarded man of the match as his football.

Reuben B for achieving his Blue Award at Gymnastics.

Cross country results Table:

KS1 Girls Team 4th - Shout out to Iris F (7th)

Ks1 Boys Team 3rd - Shout out to Calen B (3rd)

LKS2 Boys Team 1st - Shout out to Finlay J (1st), Oscar OH (6th)

Stiarn B (8th) Hugo H (9th)

LKS2 Girls Team 2nd - Shout out to Rose W (1st) Violet H (4th) Mollie M (5th)

UKS2 Boys Team 1st - Shout out to Noah H (5th) Will A (7th) Harry B (8th)

UKS2 Girls Team 5th Shout out to – Tallis A (3rd) Rachel D (5th)