

Friday 24th November 2023

NEVILL INFANT NEWS

Dear all,

Despite the dreaded coughs, colds and bugs flying round we have managed to have another great week which started off talking about friendship in assembly.

It was lovely to hear how our children approach friendships, which can often be difficult to navigate, through making sure everyone feels included for who they are.

On Wednesday, the staff came together to have another look at PE across the school as well as feeding back about adaptive practice. Adaptive approaches ensure teachers make intentional decision to provide children with the opportunities, tools, techniques and resources they need to succeed. This is not just making something more challenging or easier but looking at what is precisely needed to facilitate your child achieving their best.

Thursday came along with a great visitor to the school and we felt very honoured and excited so ... thank you to Miss Ivy for organising this. Becky Adlington came to talk to the children about water safety and swimming ... and of course show off the Olympic medals!!

Do not forget it is Stir-It-Up Sunday this weekend ... a chance to make your Christmas cake and give it enough time to be 'fed' weekly with goodness before the festive period.

Have a glorious weekend!

Mr Whitfield

Staff Sweet Bake-Off Autumn 2023

As part of our staff wellbeing strategy we hold a bake off twice a year. Mrs Whiteley judged (as previous winner) and we are thrilled to say that Miss Spensley won this time and was the lucky recipient of lots of praise and compliments as well as a bottle of fizz!

Well Done!!



GATES

We are still waiting for the gates to be fully functional.

Just a reminder not to push on the pedestrian gates whilst they are automatically opening as this can damage them.

Parent Coffee Morning

Mrs Scott will be holding a coffee morning for parents on <u>Tuesday 28th Nov @ 9:00</u>. If you want to pop along, you are more than welcome (there may be a biscuit!) so you can have a chat about your child and their needs.

Dates

28th Nov → PTA AGM on Zoom

28th Nov → Coffee Morning with Mrs Scott

5th Dec → Prospective parent tours 9 & 11

5th Dec → Christmas Panto at School

6th Dec → YN / YR trip to St Vincent's church

7th Dec → Prospective parent tours 9 & 11

7th Dec → Govs Mtg

8th Dec → Author Visit – Joseph Coelho

11th Dec → Parents in 2:30 YR Christmas Show

12th Dec → Parents in 9:15 YR / 2:30 Y1 Christmas

Show

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13th Dec → Parents in 9:15 Y1 / 2:30 Y2 Christmas

Show

14th Dec → Parents in 9:15 Y2

15th Dec → PTA Santa Dash

15th Dec → Christmas Jumper & Dinner Day

15th Dec → Class Christmas parties (afternoon)

18th Dec → Report update to parents

20th Dec → Parents in YN / Little Brown Bears 1:45

- Stay & Play & Christmas Songs

21st Dec → Sensory Bus in school

22nd Dec → INSET Day – school closed to children



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Becky Adlington Visit





All Things Christmas				
WB 4 th December	Christmas and Advent assemblies begin			
4 th December	Christmas Post-box in school for children			
5 th December	Christmas PANTO in school			
8 th December	Christmas Party bags sent home			
11 th December @ 2:30	Parents in for Reception Christmas Show			
12 th December @ 9:15	Parents in for Reception Christmas Show			
12 th December @ 2:30	Parents in for Year 1 Christmas Show			
13 th December @ 9:15	Parents in for Year 1 Christmas Show			



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13 th December @ 2:30	Parents in for Year 2 Christmas Show			
14 th December @ 9:15	Parents in for Year 2 Christmas Show			
15 th December	PTA Santa Dash Christmas Jumper Day Christmas Dinner Day			
20 th December @ 1:45	Little Brown Bears & Elephants → Stay & Play followed with Christmas Songs Christmas Parties in the afternoon			
21 st December	Last day of Autumn term			

Communication this week					
Whole school	20.11.2023 – Scarlet fever letter; 20.11.2023 – Christmas Raffle; 22.11.2023 – SEND coffee morning; 24.11.2023 - Newsletter				
Little Brown Bears					
Elephants (Nursery)					
Koala Bears (Reception)	21.11.2023 – Vision Screening				
Polar Bears (Reception)	21.11.2023 – Vision Screening				
Sea Otters (Y1)					
Blue Whales (Y1)					
Sea Turtles (Y1)					
Leopards (Y2)					
Lions (Y2)					

Housepoints

	Bruntwood	Lyme	Woodbank	Vernon
This Week	178☆	159	163	172
Total	1497	1369	1568	1606☆



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Certificates

Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum	Diamond	Emerald
26	0	0	0	0	0



Go For It Gorilla



This week the following children have all really shown a Growth Mindset and let their teachers know they are a 'Go For It Gorilla'. Please see the school website (Parent Section) for more information on growth mindset.

Zoe T Caydan P Ezekiel W Arlo MC

Kai P Jasper G Georgina B Defne O James C















These children have been voted for by their class mates to be the Honeycomb Hero – they have been following all of our Golden Rules beautifully and the other children have noticed how great they have been – Well Done, we are very proud of you!!



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Christmas Raffle

Star Prize: £100 John Lewis Voucher
Plus lots more great prizes including
Rainbow Raffle Hampers

Tickets £1 each or £5 a book of 5. Tickets have been sent home with children but if you require more please collect from either Infant or Junior reception.

Please return your ticket stubs and payment to school by Friday 8th December. Remember to put your Child's name and class on the ticket stubs.

The Raffle Live Draw will take place on our facebook page live on Sunday 10th December.

Good luck!





Rainbow Raffle Reminder.

Each class has been allocated a colour and on 1st December we are collecting items that will be used to make up colourful hampers for raffle prizes. Visit our facebook page or check out the other posters for more info.



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Collections Friday 1st December 2023

Children can come to school in their own clothes and in return we are asking for donations towards the Christmas Raffle.

Each Year has been assigned a colour of the rainbow and is requested to bring in a small donation of anything in that colour*. It can be some sweets or biscuits, toiletries or a candle, any small new item you can spare. These will be put together to make lovely hampers for a colourful Christmas Raffle.

Any other donations suitable for a raffle will also be gratefully received.

Nursery/Little Bears - Red Reception - Blue

Year 1 - Yellow

Year 2 - Pink

Year 3 - Green

Year 4 - Purple

Year 5 - Gold

Year 6 - Orange

*Donations are voluntary, and colours are not compulsory if you'd rather choose a different one.

Friday 1st December - bring in your donations
Sunday 10th December - Live Raffle Draw on Facebook
Raffle tickets on sale now!