



Friday 26th January 2024

NEVILL INFANT NEWS

Dear all,

It has certainly been a week of interesting weather. I think we all been experiencing the wind, rain and general grottness to the beginning of the year. It certainly has not stopped us though.

We have been thinking about ENJOYMENT at school and what makes for an enjoyable learning experience and how we enjoy ourselves both in and outside of school. I even shared my love and enjoyment of art with the children – thankfully they were impressed, phew (the toughest critics)!!

Our Reception classes had a fantastic time when they went to the Man City training ground. They were excellent ambassadors for our school, watched and played superbly and all came back very enthused. A big thank you to the parents who volunteered their time to help out it was much appreciated.

Next week we will be having our pupil survey where we ask the children about all things to do with school and gauge their opinions so that we can make things better. I am very much looking forward to the results!

Look after yourselves and have a great weekend.

Mr Whitfield

Dates

29th Jan → Pupil Questionnaire
30th Jan → Y2 Florence Nightingale Workshop
5th Feb → Little Brown Bears Nature Walks
5th Feb → YR to Bramhall Park
6th Feb → Parents Evening (3:30 – 6:00)
7th Feb → Parents Evening (3:30 – 6:00)

Dates

8th Feb → 3pm Bake Sale for Beacon Counselling
8th Feb → Y2 parents in for fantastic Finish
8th Feb → Y1 parents in for Showcase
9th Feb → 100th Day of School

9th Feb → Last day of Spring ½ Term
19th Feb → Children return to school

Book Bag Keyrings

A polite request from teachers; please can we ask that key rings are removed from book bags as they are proving too much of a distraction and are often making it very difficult to put bags in the trays.

Thank you

Attendance at School

Ensuring your child is at school and on time every day is immensely important for a number of reasons:

- It ensures they do not miss out on their key learning
- It means they can continue to socially interact
- It assists with regulation, routine and their positive mental health
- It is the law

If your child is habitually and repeatedly absent from school this may cause concern for school staff under our child protection and safeguarding procedures.

We are always here to help if there are specific issues regarding attendance at and absence from school. Please be reminded to keep in contact with us so we are aware of absences, the cause of them and if there is anything we may be able to do help.

Due to poor attendance, we will not be holding any more coffee mornings with Mrs Scott.

A lot of planning and preparation goes into these and they take up a lot of time with only 1 or 2 parents attending.

If there is a need in the future we will consider holding these again.



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Making great progress in Little Seedlings Gardening Club – the new greenhouse arrived too!!!



Children's Mental Health Week 2024

This will be taking place between Monday 5th to Friday 9th February and is supported by our colleagues in Stockport from Beacon Counselling. The theme this year is 'My voice matters', something very important to us at Nevill road Infant School.

On Thursday 8th Feb we will be having a cake sale in support of Beacon Counselling. If you would like to donate a cake for the sale we would be very grateful!

Beacon Counselling is a mental health charity (1109545) dedicated to improving the mental health and emotional resilience of our community. They believe everyone should have an equal chance of good emotional well-being; this is at the core of everything they do.

They support over 2,000 adults, young people and children each year to improve their mental health and emotional wellbeing and deliver a range of therapy, wellbeing services, group support and targeted projects that empower people with the tools and skills they need to recover and thrive now and in the future.



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Communication this week

Whole school	26.01.24 - Newsletter
Little Brown Bears	
Elephants (Nursery)	
Koala Bears (Reception)	25.01.24 – letter for Koala class
Polar Bears (Reception)	
Sea Otters (Y1)	
Blue Whales (Y1)	
Sea Turtles (Y1)	
Leopards (Y2)	25.01.24 – Florence reply slips reminder
Lions (Y2)	25.01.24 – Florence reply slips reminder

Housepoints

	Bruntwood	Lyme	Woodbank	Vernon
This Week	138	152	152	148
Total	2213	2188	2547	2522

Certificates

Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum	Diamond	Emerald
17	17	0	0	0	0



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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.

Christian L

Suzzane J

Jack T

Hazel T

Mai B

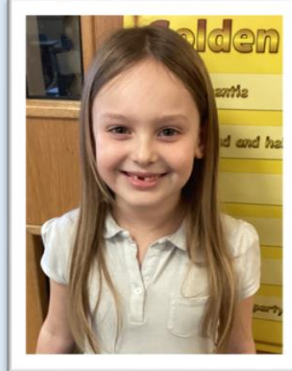
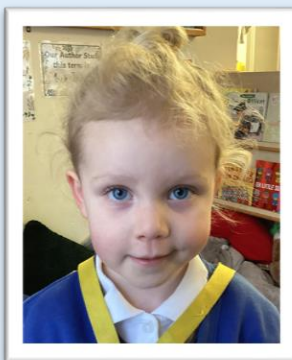
Pippa H

Sean U

Elian P

Harry C

I am a
Honeycomb Hero



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!!