



Weekly Newsletter – Friday, 8th November 2019

Birthdays

Happy Birthday to

the following children who celebrate their birthday in November.

Logan	Class R
Oliver	Class 1
Charlotte	Class 3
Matthew	Class 4
Henry	Class 3
Chloe	Class 3
Lewis	Class 3
Annabelle	Class R
Bethany	Class 3
Finley	Class 5
Lydia	Class 1
Aemilia	Class 5
Harriet	Class 5
Jack	Class 4
Oscar	Class 4
Kieran	Class 1



Attendance

w/e 8th November 2019

Class R –95%
Class 1 –95.9%
Class 2 – 100%
Class 3 – 96.5%
Class 4 – 97.1 %
Class 5 – 98.3%
Class 6 – 94.2%
Whole school – 96.8%



Star Awards

w/e 8th November 2019

Class 1 – Imogen
Class 2 – Finley and Anastasia
Class 3 – Caitlin
Class 4 – Lenny
Class 5 – Sophie C.
Class 6 - Megan

Message from the Headteacher

Reminders

There's been a definite change in the weather this week. Please remember to ensure your child comes to school every day with a suitable coat to keep them warm and dry during morning and lunchtime breaks.

Also, a reminder to keep your children's long hair tied up at all times at school please. Tied up hair helps to stop the spread of nits, reduces accidents of hair getting caught, getting in the way of work and it also looks neater and tidier.

Remember, remember the 5th November ...

Class 1 have been learning about Bonfire Night traditions and the Gunpowder Plot this week. Children made their own craft fireworks, such as 'conker comets' and group paintings. They took part in some cooking activities making 'bonfire apples' (a small apple dipped in melted chocolate or icing and sprinkles) – delicious! They also spent time in our Forest School with Mr Oliver learning about the change in seasons and weather which culminated in time around the firepit enjoying a cup of warming tomato soup.

School Reading requests

Our volunteers who listen to the children read are wonderful and make a real difference to the reading progress of our pupils. If you have some spare time and would like to become a reader helper in school please see the office staff. Also, if you have any spare cushions which are in good condition, please donate them to our classroom book corners.

Charities

Our School will be supporting the BBC Children in Need fundraiser on Friday, 15th November. Children are invited to wear sportswear/PE kit in exchange for a donation of £1. The whole school will take part in a live stream 'Big Morning Move' led 'virtually' by Joe Wicks! Children in Need wristbands will be on sale from Monday, 11th November at a cost of £1.



Please bring in your 'Love In A Box' by Friday, 15th November. Many thanks.

Helen Comfort

Year R applications – September 2020

Applications are now open for Reception Class September 2020. If you have a child born between 1st September 2015 and 31st August 2016 you can apply

online for a place through the Kent County Council website:-

www.kent.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools/school-places/primary-school-places

Applications close on 15th January 2020. **Families are welcome to make an appointment to view any time.** Please spread the word to anyone you know.

The Week Ahead!

Lunch Menu: Week 1

Week commencing 11th November 2019

Monday, 11th November -Children in Need wristbands on sale from today

- 3:30pm to 6:30pm Parent Consultation Meetings Year R to 5 (by appointment)

Tuesday, 12th November– Height and weight checks for Classes R & 6

Wednesday, 13th November –Class 1 Welly Walk

-Class 6 response deadline to register interest in residential trip

-3:30pm to 6:30pm Parent Consultation Meetings Year R to 5 (by appointment)

Thursday, 14th November –8:45am PTFA AGM in the Reading Room

Friday, 15th November – Love In A Box – deadline for boxes to brought in to school

- Children in Need –wear sportswear/PE kit for £1 donation

- Response deadline for Class 3 trip

