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Believe Belong Achieve

Friday 6th November – Autumn Term Issue 9

Wow, what a wonderful week of learning! The children have returned to school ready to learn and full of energy. Thank you to all the parents and teachers for all their hard work supporting the children at home and in school.

This week Mrs Burrows has started working with us and is joining Class 4 in her role as Learning Support Assistant. We also have J&J Cleaning company contracted to the school. Please join me in welcoming the new staff members and thanking them for all their support.

On Wednesday, the Flu Immunisation team attended school. They were very pleased with the high percentage of children who took part in the programme again this year.

Today I had the pleasure of awarding children with their prizes from the PTFA for taking part in the Firework Picture Competition. Congratulations to **Jesse in Class 1, Phoebe in Class 2, Rebecca in Class 3 and Bella in Class 4**. Well done to all the children who took part. The artwork is on display in the school foyer and can be viewed on the class blogs too!

We have been offered a used, fully working, 32" colour TV and separate DVD player to re-home for a donation to the school. If you know anyone who may be interested, please contact the office.

The PTFA would like us to say a huge Thank You to everyone for their support so far this year. The Pumpkin Trail raised an amazing £299 – even though the weather was awful! So far this academic year, we have raised £424 in total for the PTFA. £75 non uniform and £50 from the lottery board. This is amazing news.

Next week, the teachers are due to start their parent consultation meetings for the Autumn term. Thank you for all your responses requesting a face-to-face or telephone appointment. If you have not yet stated your preference, please contact the office via ParentMail or email. For those of you who have requested a telephone appointment, a member of staff will be in touch to finalise a time. Your child's report will be sent home to you. Please can all parents who are attending school for an appointment adhere to the following safety measures:

- Parent/Staff to wear a **face covering**
- **Sanitise** hands upon arrival
- Only **one** parent to attend
- **Wait** in the foyer for the teacher
- **DO NOT** attend if you have any symptoms/feeling unwell.

Thank you for your understanding.

Wishing you a relaxing weekend.

Mrs L Eastbrook

Headteacher

**Children in
Need**

**Friday 13th
November**

**The PTFA and
Rotakids have
arranged a
non-uniform
day next
Friday in
support of
Children in
Need.**

They have suggested, for a donation of £1, that everyone comes into school in either their pyjamas or dressed as a key worker.

See attached flyer for further details.



Jesus said "Let the children come to me." (Matthew 19:14)
Courageous Creative Friendly Persevering Responsible Truthful



Certificate of Achievement Winners

Class 1	Elliott Dexter
Class 2	Zachary Millie
Class 3	Olivia Ewan
Class 4	Lily Beau



Attendance

Class 1 – 95%
Class 2 – 97 %
Class 3 – 97%
Class 4 – 94%
Whole School – 96%
Whole School Academic Year: 96%
(Target 97%)

House points

This week's winners are:



Blackwater

Diary dates

- 9th – 12th November: Parent Consultations – details to follow
- 11th November: 11 am: Memorial Service Class 4
- 13th November: Children in Need

Inset Days

- 12th February 2021
- 7th June 2021
- 2nd July 2021

Dear God,

Thank you for all our friends and family. Be with those who feel lonely or sad and surround them with friendly people.

Amen

Christian Value: Friendly

