

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Week commencing Monday 25th November 2019

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#### **Absence reporting**

If your child is unable to attend school due to illness, please inform the school office by 9am on 917 9881.

Please remember that if your child has sickness or diarrhoea they should not return to school for 48 hours.

### **IMPORTANT MESSAGES**

#### Acorns Class - Nursery Rhyme Week

This week Acorns have been focussing on a different nursery rhyme every day. We hope the children have come home sharing all they have learned, with lots of renditions of Incy Wincy, Dingle Dangle Scarecrow, Humpty Dumpty, 5 Currant Buns and I Hear Thunder!

#### **Pamper Night**

We hope all those who attended Pamper Night had a great time. It raised a fantastic total of £744 for the school and the Friends of Banks Road would like to say a big thank you to everyone who came along to or supported the event. As a school we are very grateful for the hard work that the Friends team put into these events, it is much appreciated.

#### **Christmas Pound Shop**

Every year we hold a Christmas Pound Shop, giving children the opportunity to purchase a gift for their parents and carers. If you have any donations for the Pound Shop, we would be very grateful if you could send them into school as soon as possible.

#### **Parking**

Please may we ask that you park considerately and do not block footpaths, driveways or the school crossing. We are conscious of the need for safety and also being good neighbours to the local community. We also ask that you use the pedestrian entrance to school and not walk through the school carpark, this is for your own safety.

#### **The Sun Reading Corner Tokens**

From Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November, the Sun newspaper are printing tokens to collect to claim a free pack of books for school. If you buy The Sun, please cut out the tokens and bring them into school.

#### **Inset Days**

Please note that there are no INSET or Administration days in January. School reopens for Spring term on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January. There was a mistake on the recent after school club booking form, please accept our apologies.

#### Year 1 Banquet

Cherry and Maple classes will have a medieval banquet on Thursday 28th November. Children are invited to come to school in medieval costume and are asked to bring a gift for the king (see homework). Food will be a roast gammon dinner as per the school menu.

#### **Birch and Chestnut Costumes**

If your child has been sent home with a yellow slip, stating that they need a costume for their Christmas show, please bring the costume to school by Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November. Children who do not have a yellow slip will be provided with a school costume.

## **GOLDEN STARS**

Well done to the children who were this week's Golden Stars!



Birch Mason B
Chestnut Darcey D
Cherry Lyla K

Maple Mailliey McC
Oak Reagan S
Willow Melody J

Mrs Clemens Delilah B-S

Please return your Golden Star Trophy by Wednesday

Weekly Attendance
Congratulations Oak & Willow –
100%

Birch – 87.86% Chestnut – 98.93% Cherry – 97.69% Maple – 98.89%

WHATS ON THIS WEEK	
MONDAY	Year 2 Recorder Club (notified children only)
TUESDAY	Year 2 French Club 3.20pm (notified children only)
WEDNESDAY	Year 2 French Club 3.20pm - last one for the year
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	Library Visit – Cherry Class 10.50am (if you can help walk with the children please speak to Miss Holmes).

"I loved painting a marionette." Amun C - Maple

"We have been subtracting 2 digit numbers. You can find the difference between the 2 digit numbers." Brayden D - Willow

"The firefighters visited us and helped us to keep safe!" Arla M - Birch

"I really liked practising our show for Christmas." Charlie D - Cherry

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY...

Dates / times are subject to change. Further dates can be found on the school website.

- 26 November New entrants tour 9.30am, 10.30am and 1.30pm
- 27 November New entrants tour 5pm
- 29 November— for St Andrew's Day (Beaver/Rainbow uniforms may be worn
- 3 December Christmas show for parents of Nursery & Birch class 2pm
- 5 December Christmas show for parents of Nursery & Chestnut 2pm
- 9 December Year 2 children to watch Bispham Y3 Christmas Show
- 9 December Christmas show for parents of Cherry Class 2.00pm
- 10 December Christmas show for parents of Maple Class 9.15am 10 December – Christmas show for parents of Willow Class – 2pm
- 11 December Christmas show for parents of Oak Class 9.15am
- 11 December Christmas snow for parents of Oak Class 9.
- 12 December Year 2 trip to Newstead Abbey
- 12 & 13 December—Pound shop
- 13 December—Christmas Jumper Day
- 13 December Friends Christmas Disco
- 16 December— Christmas Party Day inc. Magic Show (am)
- 17 December KS1 & KS2 Christmas sing-along at Bispham (am)
- 18 December Christmas Dinner Day
- 19 December 'Key Strings' musical performance in School (am)
- 19 December— Parent Christmas craft afternoon 1.30pm
- 20 December—Break up for Christmas Holiday—return to school on 6 January

"I loved Maths (column subtraction)." Cameron M - Oak

"I liked going to the library and our class treat." Gabrielle A - Chestnut

#### **TERM DATES 2018-2019**

Autumn 1: 4 September – 18 October 2019 Autumn 2: 4 November – 20 December 2019 Spring 1: 6 January – 14 February 2020 Spring 2: 24 February – 3 April 2020 Summer 1: 20 April – 22 May 2020 Summer 2: 1 June - 24 July 2020

**INSET DAYS:** 30 August 2019, 2&3 September 2019,

26&29 June 2020

Breakfast Club

£5 per day

Please provide the correct cash

or a cheque payable to

'NCC Banks Road Infants School'

Thank you



## SCHOOL DINNERS MENU CYCLE TWO

Please complete a

School Dinner Order Slip if your child has a special dietary requirement and you intend to have sandwiches.

Please return this to school on Monday morning.