



THE BUZZWORD

Friday, 21st November, 2014

“Releasing The Potential Within All”

Anti-Bullying Week

Welcome! The children have really excelled themselves this week in examining the issues surrounding bullying. We have had a series of themed assemblies each day to focus on particular aspects of behaviour, bullying, friendship and keeping safe. We were treated to some wonderful thought provoking poetry, posters and role play in assembly and the children demonstrated exceptional knowledge and understanding of the importance of kindness and respect for the feelings of others (especially during the ‘Who Wants to be a Millionaire’ quiz).

Mrs Fairman is leading assemblies on E-Safety and anti-bullying into next week (friendship week) using the acronym of SMART. Perhaps you could ask your child what the letters stand for.



Year 6 showing their anti-bullying posters



Year 5 children presenting their poetry



Millie J and Oscar C from Year 2 with Elmer the Anti-bullying Elephant.

Parent Workshops:

Two more have been planned for the Spring Term in Maths and E-Safety. Extra ones to help your child in writing are being developed.

Social, self-esteem and personal development

Several children are thoroughly enjoying a workshop with a visiting professional from the Health Team ably assisted by the fabulous artistic talents of Mrs Abrahams. Excellent work is continuing via our family support worker who has proved to be an excellent link between home and school.



We are looking for dust sheets or large bed sheets which could be dyed and used as backdrops for our Santa's Grotto. They need to be in good condition, clean and plain. If you no longer require them they will be gratefully received.

Thanking you in anticipation



The final total raised at last week's non-uniform day was £176.00, a BIG thank-you to everyone who donated.



We would like to wish
Sienna C
and
Hayden B
A very
Happy Birthday



Kitchen News

Next week we will be on Week 1 of our Winter menu.

Thank-you to those of you who have already returned the School Lunch Survey . We welcome all feedback and ask for completed forms to be returned by Friday 28th November. Thank-you.



Team Points

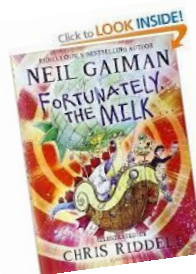
Great work Kingfishers for collecting the most team points this week

Swimming Update



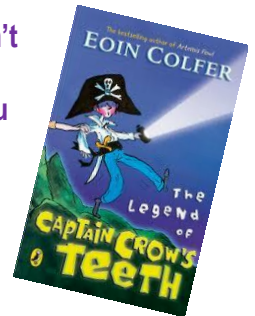
We have been asked by the swimming teachers to let you know how pleased they are with the children's

progress. All of the Year 4 children are making good progress and the Year 3 children who were non-swimmers have made excellent progression. Fantastic work Year 3 and 4.



"Keep on Reading"

Mr Kemp, from the "Keep on Reading" scheme will be in on Monday so if your book hasn't been returned already could you please remember to bring in any outstanding books on Monday morning. Thank-you.



Lunchtime Awards



Children chosen this week for having good manners and polite behaviour at lunchtime are:-

- Lacey B- EYFS,
- Isabelle F – Year 1,
- Chloe K – Year 2,
- Livy D – Year 3,
- Faith F – Year 4,
- Piper K – Year 5,
- Charlotte Mc L – Year 6



Be a Reader” Class award
Well done to **Willow Class** who have won the “Be a Reader” trophy this week, for collecting the most

Lateness

11 children have arrived after the registers have closed this week, broken down class by class below:-

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| Reception | 3 |
| Year 1 | 0 |
| Year 2 | 0 |
| Year 3 | 4 |
| Year 4 | 1 |
| Year 5 | 0 |
| Year 6 | 3 |

Well done to everyone in Years 1, 2 and 5 for having no late marks recorded this week.



Music

Our music of the week was Radetzky March by Johann Strauss.

The composer was correctly identified by Finn R and the piece of music by Matthew H.



Netball Club

Due to the nights drawing in Netball Club will finish after next weeks session on Thursday 27th November

Star of the Week

Jenson G – for having an enthusiastic approach to learning and trying really hard.

Oscar C is the” Star of the Week” for Elm Class as he has become much more positive and independent in his work.

Jayden C – for his interest and enthusiasm during our work on animals in Literacy, Science and Forest Schools.



Lily S – for working hard and giving 100% in all lessons. Well done Lily , keep up the hard work!
Emma F- for always striving to maintain a high standard when writing and showing a persevering attitude at all times.

Hannah N–C – for improved focus in Numeracy resulting in higher standards of achievement recently.

Katie B- for excellent effort when learning about parallel circuits in Science. She could build them and explain what was happening.

Playleader

Freddie C was nominated as Playleader of the Week for working really well with the Key Stage 1 children while being the only Playleader on his particular day .

Chloe S and Katie B were also nominated for making sure that everyone had someone to play with.

Letters sent out this week

- Duxford Trip for Year 6
- Christmas Cards
- Measuring the height and weight – Year 6
- School Lunch Survey
- Online gaming advise for parents
- Father Christmas is coming to Beehive
- FOB Bazaar



Achievements

Mitchell W and Finley C both received a certificate of Investiture in the 1st Galleywood Beaver Scout Colony.

*Paul Sully
Headteacher*