

Friday 12th November 2021

The Clock



From Miss Piper

Time for the latest news:

I was very impressed with the respect shown by all children during our Remembrance Service yesterday and in particular, with the Reception children during the two-minute silence. The whole school also sang a very moving rendition of 'Remember Them', which they had been practising in assembly with Mr White.

Time to Celebrate...



Miss Piper's Sparklers this week have been:

Amy-Leigh Y2 for determination – nominated by Mrs Clarke

Amy-Leigh Y2 for kindness – nominated by Mr White

Sophia Y4 for effort & contribution – nominated by Mrs Whitney

Ray Y5 for effort – nominated by Miss Piper

Charlie Y6 for kindness & friendship – nominated by Mrs Simpson

Chester Y6 for kindness and friendship – nominated by Olivia Y6

Cover Photo: Remembrance Service 2021



Anti-Bullying Week

We will be participating in Anti-Bully Week next week by holding an 'Anti-Bullying Day' on Monday. The whole school will be off timetable for the day* and will instead be participating in a range of activities centred around anti-bullying. This year, the theme is 'one kind word' and so we will be thinking about what this means. Maybe you could also do this at home?

We will also be having a whole school assembly, which will be run by Mrs Bates, who is our new 'Wellbeing Lead'. This is an exciting new role to have within the school and I thank Mrs Bates for taking it on. She will be explaining more about her role to the children next week.

As part of our anti-bullying day, we will also be taking part in 'Odd Socks Day' and so ask that all children join in by coming to school wearing odd socks (staff will be taking part too!)



*With the exception of Woodpeckers' swimming session in the afternoon.

Parents' Evening Bookings

Thank you to all those who requested face-to-face parents' consultation appointments. These have now all been booked in.

They will take place in the following locations:

Robins – the 'nest' (small classroom next to Robins' class)

Woodpeckers – classroom

Owls (Miss Piper) – my office

Owls (Mr White) – staffroom

Books will be available to view in the Owls' classroom. Please can we ask that you bring your children's books through to the meeting with you.

Virtual appointments will be taking place on the week commencing 22nd November and teachers will be sending out their own availability (if they have not already done so) via ParentHub.

Owls' parents - Mr White will be running the meetings for the children who work in his group, as well as a few others (who I will email so that you know to reply to Mr White).

We look forward to speaking to you all; sharing the fantastic learning that has taken place and discussing the progress your child has made so far this term.

Children in Need 2021

Next week is an eventful week as we also have Children in Need on Friday (19th).

As it has been so well received in the past, we have also decided to celebrate by holding a cake stall at break time.

We will therefore be accepting donations of cakes/baked goods for the stall, which we ask the children to bring in on Friday morning. This is of course not compulsory, but an option for those children who would like to donate some cakes.

The children will then be able to purchase them at break time (better get raiding the piggy bank/doing some chores this weekend!)

Thank you in advance for any cake donations, as well as any donations received through the purchase of them.

Children can also come dressed in spots!



Next week:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
15	16	17	18	19
Ant-bullying & odd socks day WPs - swimming	Miss Harrison on gate duty	Mrs Hawksworth on gate duty PE – Robins & Owls	Commando Carl in & on gate duty	Children in Need – cake stall at breaktime



