

Message from the Head



Dear Parents,

This week I attended a course on 'Safeguarding'. As parents and educators we continue to try and keep on top of and do everything in our power to keep our children safe. I wanted to draw your attention to the NSPCC website that has so many helpful hints and tips for parents to help you keep your child safe online and in the physical world.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/>

Wishing you all a happy and safe weekend.

Kind regards

Mrs Jearrad

★ Stars of the Week ★

Oak Y6
 Sophie W & Natasha
 Rowan Y5
 Charlotte & Ellie-Mai
 Sycamore Y4
 Ella & Lewis
 Holly Y3
 Matthew & Christina
 Willow Y2
 Harry & Alexa
 Birch Y1
 Ruby & Harrison
 Chestnut YR
 River & Jake

PTA Update



Hopefully you received your Bag 2 School on Thursday. Collection is on Monday during the school day so please put your full bags in the gazebo on the playground when you bring your child to school on Monday morning. Please do not bring bags at pick up time as the collection will probably have already taken place.

AGM

Friday 8th December 2017 @ 9am in the school library. Everyone is welcome

House Points

Mitchell	2850
Templeton	3490
Watts	3420
Miller	3365

A Message from our Vicar Reverend Julian



24 November: Working Together

Philippians 2:3 (NEW TESTAMENT: PAUL'S LETTERS)

Don't do anything out of selfish ambition or a vain desire to boast.

Learning Leaders

Last week we all enjoyed coming to school in our spots and raised a fantastic **£142.45** for Children In Need! Thank you for all your kind donations.



Attendance

Oak Y6	96.18%
Rowan Y5	96.30%
Sycamore Y4	98.52%
Holly Y3	97.41%
Willow Y2	98.89%
Birch Y1	97.22%

Whole School 97.52%



Reading

A huge thank you to all our parents who listen to their child read at home and sign the log books. Just 10 minutes of reading every night has such a positive impact on a child's education, confidence and vocabulary choices. Please take 2 minutes to watch the following video clip, it really is a powerful message!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Orb6xXPPBko>



Diary Dates

Fri 24 th Nov	Years R,1,2,3 & 4 Flu immunisation (a.m.)
Mon 27 th Nov	Cross-Country CANCELLED
Wed 29 th Nov	KS1 & Year Phonics workshop 2:45p.m.
Thurs 30 th Nov	KS1 Parents reading workshop – Cancelled
Wed 6 th Nov	Last KS1 & Year Phonics workshop 2:45p.m.

Emergency School Closure

As always, our aim is to keep the school open whatever the circumstances. However if there are severe weather conditions leading to significant safety problems with the roads and pathways; it may be necessary to close the school. Emergency closures could also apply if we had problems with the heating etc.

Should it ever be necessary to close the school; we will inform parents through the following channels

· A text will be sent via Teachers2Parents

A message will be put on the front page of our website
<http://www.nurslingprimary.co.uk/>

· Information will be put on the Hampshire County Council Website <http://www.hants.gov.uk/education/schoolclosures/>

Year 6 Evacuee Day

On Thursday, Oak Class (Year 6), had an opportunity to dress up as evacuees from World War 2. We also took part in a range of World War 2 themed activities throughout the day. Everyone in the class got evacuated to a billeted family, and some of us even went with our friends. Oak Class participated in enjoyable activities such as- Writing letters, packing our suitcases, planning our shop for the week using rationing and watching a film (Goodnight Mr Tom).

Our day started at 9am when we called the roll. The roll is basically a type of register that was used back in the 20th century. After that we moved onto maths, where we planned our meals and went shopping, however we were caught out by Mrs Cole saying that you had to stick by the rationing rule. In English, we got sorted into our host families for the day. Some people were happy...but others, not so much. We then wrote letters home and drew pictures of us in the countryside. After lunch our class were gathered together and Mrs Cole taught us about a man called Eric James Brindley Nicolson then we had to write a report on his life story. Then it was home time... or not for some of us anyway!!!

After school most of Oak Class gathered to watch a film with World War 2 sweets. As we said earlier, we watched Goodnight Mr. Tom and it was so much fun!! However, we have got to admit eating our sweets was the best bit!

By Rebecca and Grace, Oak Class

