



Broadway First School Newsletter – 17th November 2017

“Inspire – Challenge – Achieve”

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Dear Parents/Carers

It has been another busy week at Broadway First School. Jupiter and Saturn Classes have inspired their parents to make puppets with them at home by making puppets with them in Inspire Workshops. I look forward to hearing about the stories you make up with them when I talk to children on the playground.

On Wednesday we had our Open Afternoon for prospective parents. It was very well attended and visitors were very complimentary about the children’s behaviour, manners and how well children in Mars Class talked about the school during tours. We are very proud of them.

On Thursday we had special visitors in school – Tony and Buzz. They were from Speller Metcalfe and talked to the children about how site operatives stay safe on building sites (and how they are not for children to play on). Ask your child about SPLAAT and take a look at the activity book that they have taken home with them.

Today we had our spotty day for Children in Need with some incredible outfits – thank you. We will let you know how much we have raised as a school at a later date. In assembly the children that have read at least 40 times in Jupiter or Saturn Classes; or at least 60 times in Venus and Mars Classes have been given a certificate. This certificate means that they can come in their own clothes next Friday. If your child has not had a certificate and they have read at least 40/60 times then please ensure that their reading record is in school on Monday and that you let their class teacher know. Thank you.

Thank you as well for all the donations for Bags for Schools. We had quite a pile when the company arrived.

Next week Budgens are going to visit us to present us with a donation. On Friday Mars Class are doing their Class Assembly.

GENERAL INFORMATION & REMINDERS:

SMART TREES TRIP ON WEDNESDAY 6TH DECEMBER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

All of KS1 are invited to take part in the Smart Trees trip, letters with details went out on Monday this week. The cost of the trip has been very kindly subsidised by the Friends meaning that the cost of only £6.50 per child is actually significantly cheaper than visiting there independently. However if we do not receive sufficient contributions from parents the trip will not go ahead. It would be such a shame to disappoint the children and ask that parents complete the reply slip with payment and return to the school office by Wednesday 29th November.

The coach leaves on this day at 9.30 am, therefore **ALL CHILDREN WILL NEED A PACKED LUNCH FROM HOME** this day as Class Catering are unable to deliver packed lunches this early in the day and the school do not have suitable storage facilities to take delivery of them the previous day.

CROSS COUNTRY

Last Friday, the children in Year 5 participated in a South Worcestershire Cross Country Tournament. Boys and girls competed in gender races and represented the school brilliantly at the event. With over 100 children participating in each race, the children were against some tough competition. A big well done must go to Amelia Shaw, who finished 9th and Libby Turner who finished 11th. Similarly a big well done to Farren Edwards who finished 16th and Josh Tegg who finished 21st. The girls came third overall for the event while the boys finished 12th! Well done Year 5s!!

CHRISTMAS FAYRE ON FRIDAY 15TH DECEMBER 4.30 PM – 7.00 PM

The Friends still need volunteers to help with the above event. If you could spare an hour to help out please complete the form sent out two weeks ago and hand in via the school office. If you have mislaid the form the office have spare copies! You are not expected to be there for the whole event, any time you can give is much appreciated.

CHRISTMAS DINNER ON MONDAY 18TH DECEMBER

Your child/ren should have bought home a Christmas Dinner order form this week, if you have not received one please see Alison in the school office. Orders need to be in by Monday 11th December at the very latest.

CHRISTMAS WREATHS

All orders for Christmas Wreaths by The Enchanted Florist need to be in by Friday 27th November for delivery to the school the first week in December. A donation from each sale will go to the Friends School Fund.

ADVANCE WRAP AROUND CLUB IMPORTANT NOTICE

Please note that WAC will finish on Monday 18th December. Parents will be invited in to sing Christmas carols with the children at 2.00 pm on Tuesday 19th December (last day of term) and then the children will go home from there.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

GUITAR	MONDAY AFTERNOON (TEACHER: RICHARD REVETT)
ARCHERY CLUB	MONDAY (YEARS 3, 4, 5)
MULTISKILLS CLUB	TUESDAY (RECEPTION, YEARS 1, 2)
SPANISH CLUB	TUESDAY (YEARS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
MILK ORDER DEADLINE	TUESDAY 5PM (FOR THE <u>FOLLOWING</u> WEEK) (COOL MILK)
LUNCH ORDER DEADLINE	WEDNESDAY MORNING (FOR MEALS THE <u>FOLLOWING</u> WEEK)
PIANO	WEDNESDAY MORNING (TEACHER: ROB TRYNER)
FOOTBALL CLUB	WEDNESDAY (YEARS 2, 3, 4, 5)
FRENCH CLUB	WEDNESDAY (YEARS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
SWIMMING	THURSDAY (YEARS 1, 3, 4)
DANCE CLUB	THURSDAY (YEARS 2, 3, 4, 5)
CAKE DAY	FRIDAY (PLEASE BRING IN 20 PENCE FOR CHARITY)

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