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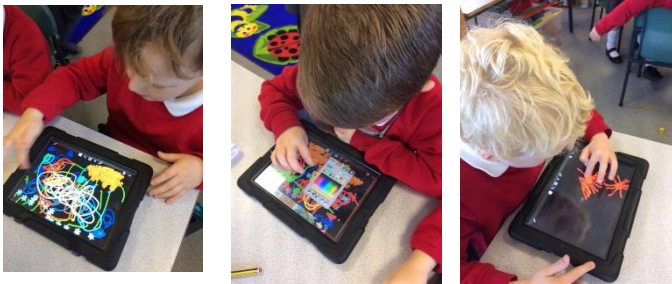


The Burghill Community Times

Newsletter – Monday 11th November 2019

Apple Class

We have had a fantastic beginning to our teen exploring the events of November 5th and how we celebrate it. The children have completed lots of super art work. Here they are using Doodle Buddy to complete a firework scene



Beech Class

Our focus for history last week was Remembrance. We learnt about the why Remembrance day is so important to us and talked about what life would have been like for the soldiers, with a special link to World War 1. The children then wrote about Remembrance Day and made poppies. The children have also started to recite their story map for our narrative writing. We shall be sending this home soon for them to practise.



Class News

Willow Class

Last week Willow class started their new unit of work in English. They have been working in groups to identify key features of a diary entry. As well as, learning about how the Romans impacted Britain during our topic work.



Sycamore Class

A great first week back after half-term, the children have all worked really hard. On Friday afternoon we made some beautiful poppies from black buttons and coffee filter paper, our tweet was even liked by a BBC Radio 2 producer and an author of a book on Remembrance! This half-term, we welcome Miss Chloe Gardner into class. Miss Gardner is beginning the first placement of her PGCE degree and will be involved with more and more teaching along with Mr. Locke as the half-term progresses.

Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to those families who came to Burghill Church yesterday, whether it being part of a Brownies group or representing the school, it was good to see lots of support as we lay our school wreath. The children have had their own service today in the Remembrance Garden, reflecting on all those who have fought in the wars for us, enabling us to lead the privileged lives we are able to lead. We will be continuing this theme with Children In Need this Friday. Don't forget, children can wear their PJs or comfy clothes...in exchange for cakes! These will then be sold to the parents in the morning with teas and coffees after the assembly, then after school for the children (if there are any leftover). There will also be the second hand uniform sale running alongside the cakes.

Hope you have a lovely week,

Alex Davies

Notices and all the other 'stuff'!



Children In Need

On Friday 15th November we will be wearing PJ's, Onesie's or comfy clothes in exchange to cakes. We will be holding a coffee morning after assembly, so please come along!

Christmas Jumper Sale

After school on Friday FABS will also be selling second hand festive fancy dress, school uniform, school sports kit and books.

If you have any donations please pass them onto Vicky, Jordaan or Krissie.

There will be refreshments and any left over cakes from Children In Need!

Notices

Nasal flu vaccinations will be on the 2nd December for all year groups. I will be sending out consent forms this week, please return them by Monday 18th November.

All consents must be returned even if you do not want your child vaccinated.

Coats

We have noticed some children coming to school without coats. Please make sure your child has appropriate clothing as the weather gets colder.

This includes PE and Forest School clothing.

Parking

When dropping off and collecting children please park in the playground and not on the bank/grass area near the staff cars.

Diary Dates

Tuesday 12th November

Apple Class Pizza Express trip

Staunton v Burghill (Netball 🏐 & Mixed Football ⚽)

Wednesday 13th November

Apple Class Parents Evening 3:30pm – 6pm

Friday 15th November

Children In Need – Wear your PJ's/Onesie or comfy clothes in exchange for cake.

Coffee morning after assembly.

Christmas jumper sale and any left over cakes.

Tuesday 26th November

Y3/4 Mini-Tennis School Games Event 🏸

Wednesday 27th November

FABS Festive Quiz

Monday 2nd December

Flu Vaccinations – All year groups

Thursday 5th December

Retirement Group Xmas Party @ Simpson Hall. 2pm – 3:15pm

Friday 6th December

Wear What You Like Day in exchange for a bottle or chocolates

Saturday 7th December

Co-Op bag packing

Wednesday 11th December

Christingle service 6pm

Thursday 12th December

Apple Class parents Christmas picnic 11:15am – 12pm

Friday 13th December

Christmas Fayre 3:15pm – 5pm

Wednesday 18th December

KS1 – Courtyard trip – The Elves and The Shoemaker

KS2 – Cinema Trip

Thursday 19th December

Christmas Party

End of Term

Autumn Term Dates

Tuesday 5th November – Thursday 19th December 2019.

Spring Term

Tuesday 7th January – Friday 3rd April

Half Term

Monday 17th February – Friday 21st February 2020