

Newsletter

Week beginning 26th November 2018

'Achieving now in preparation for the future'

What's been happening?

Redfield Edge v Mangotsfield 0 - 2

Our school football team have been very busy recently! This week they faced Mangotsfield here at school in the cold wet weather. The boys worked very hard together and felt like they deserved a win. Sadly they lost 0-2. Chins up boys, better luck next time!



Sorry you missed the photo Charlie!

Word of the Week

Holly	proud, tricky, fearsome, advent	<i>(decided by the children throughout the week)</i>
Hazel	predator	faeces
Pine	courageous	nutrition
Willow	ferment	fertilise
Beech	conductor	insulation
Maple	dimensions	monumental
Oak	entrepreneurial	

Maple Class Assembly

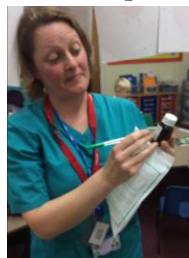
The children in Maple class held their class assembly on Thursday morning. The children spoke fondly of their residential trip to Kolve Court as well as sharing their learning from this term all about the Victorians. The children spoke with confidence and enthusiasm.



Well done Maple Class!

Pharmacy Visit

On Monday, Pine class had a very special visitor. Mrs Jones (parent) came into school to talk to the children all about her job as a pharmacist. This term the children are learning all about Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole and their individual influences on nursing. Mrs Jones spoke to the children about medicine and how it is dispensed and they learnt safety rules around medicine. The children enjoyed their visit, especially when they had the chance to write their own prescriptions!



Thank you Mrs Jones ☺

Hazel Class Visitors

On Friday morning, the palaeontology students from Bristol Museum were in school to see Hazel class with a follow-up session on dinosaurs. The children were looking at different fossils and designing their own Jurassic beasts.



For your Information

From the Office

Remembering others at Christmas - doing a good turn!

Food Collection for local Community Christmas Lunch. We are collecting for Keynsham Food Bank's Christmas Day lunches.

Donations of the following are welcome:

- Mince pie packs
- Small Christmas puddings
- Small boxes of chocolates
- Packets of biscuits

A donations box will be in reception and picked up on December 14th.

Safeguarding information for all volunteers who come into school. This useful website gives guidance on safeguarding of children in education in South Glos.

<http://www.proceduresonline.com/swcpp/>

Sickness rules reminder

A gentle reminder now that we are in the winter season, it's important to keep children home for 48 hours after their last bout of sickness and/or diarrhoea. This is to ensure they past infection and able to learn effectively on return to class.

Trees

You may have noticed the trees in the field have been cut back. This is part of our ongoing maintenance and ensures the streetlights are not obscured and safety for busses.

Congratulations!



Dates for the Diary

DATE	EVENT
Wed 5 th Dec	Beech Class Swimming
Thurs 6 th Dec	Beech Class Ukulele lessons Tree planting with Pine class
Fri 7 th Dec	Christmas Fayre 3.30 - 5.30pm
Mon 10 th Dec	Beech Class Ukulele concert 9.30am
Tues 11 th Dec	Flu Vaccinations - reception up to Y5 Year 6 Sex Education
Wed 12 th Dec	Beech Class Swimming
Thurs 13 th Dec	Christmas Lunch (Christmas jumper)
Fri 14 th Dec	Nativity dress rehearsal KS1 (9.30am)
Sat 15 th Dec	Year 6 bag packing (10am - 2pm)
Tues 18 th Dec	KS1 Nativity 9.30am (parents & carers only - no preschool children) Year 6 visit Warmley House to sing carols
Wed 19 th Dec	Year 5 visit SBL (Christmas concert) KS1 Christmas party (pm)
	KS2 Carols by Candlelight (5.30pm)
Thurs 20 th Dec	KS1 Hippodrome visit Willow & Beech Christmas party
Fri 21 st Dec	Maple & Oak Christmas party
	Last day of Term 2
Mon 7 th Jan	First day of Term 3

Mrs Robinson