

# THE BONNEVILLE BUZZ



Friday, 4th December 2020

We are now well underway in the build up to the Winter festivities. Christmas Lunch and Jumper Day is on Monday 14th December, please remember to send children in wearing full uniform and a Christmas jumper.

Congratulations to all of our children on the hard work they have put into creating Class assemblies. The link to your child's assembly would have been sent to you. Year 2 and Year 3 will be doing their class assemblies next week.

Thank you to those parents who attended our Parent Forum sessions, we really value your contributions. Outcomes of those meetings will be shared in the next Buzz.

Parent consultations are on Tuesday and Wednesday next week. If you have not booked your appointment, please log into Scopay to do so. Further instructions of how to do that is on the schools website under the 'Parent' tab.

Thank you to all staff for all your hard work.

Have a lovely weekend.

Ms A. Parker

Lead Headteacher

## Important Dates For Your Diary

### EYFS Parent Forum

Friday, 4th December, 5.00pm

### English Parent Workshop

Monday, 7th December, 5.00pm

### Parent Consultations

Tuesday, 8th & Wednesday 9th, December

### FAB Table Top Sale

Friday, 11th December,

### Christmas Lunch and Jumper Day

Monday, 14th December,

### End of Term

Wednesday, 16th December 1.15pm/1.30pm

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The Value for December is 'Happiness'

## House points Winners this Week

House points are awarded to children from across the school for displaying a variety of positive behaviours like friendliness, good manners, being supportive, helpful and making good choices. We want our children to love themselves and feel proud of who they are.

**Congratulations**

**Yellow Canaries with a whopping**

**1,766 points**



# Weekly Parent Catch-up Meetings

You should have received your year group invitation and link to the meeting by email last week.

Nursery, Fridays 9.45am

Reception Wednesdays 9.45am

Year 1 Thursdays 4.30pm

Year 2 Tuesdays 4pm

Year 3 Fridays 2pm

Year 4 Thursday 4pm

Year 5 Tuesday 11am

Year 6 Thursday 12.30pm

## Key Stage 1

### Year 1

**English** - Next week we are going to be looking at rhyming poetry using the book 'Out and About' by Shirley Hughes. We will look at what rhyming means, generate rhyming pairs and draft and publish our own rhyming poems about winter.

**Maths** - We will be looking at 2D and 3D shapes next week: learning the names of common 2D and 3D shapes, describing their properties using mathematical language such as flat, solid, sides, corners, edges, faces and vertices. We will also be making repeating patterns using shapes.

**Science** - We will be looking more closely at where different materials come from and looking closely at their properties e.g. wood comes from trees, it is strong, sturdy and hard. We will be investigating the properties of certain materials within the context of making an umbrella for Bunting (a character from our previous learning about 'Lost in the Toy Museum'). We will be testing out different materials for their suitability to make an umbrella by observing if a material is waterproof.

**Computing** - We will complete our unit on different forms of virtual and digital communication. Children will work as a class to compose a draft email to either Father Christmas or family members for the winter festivities. We will recap features of an email, how to use the keyboard and mouse and identifying who will be able to read the email, to consolidate keeping safe online.

**Geography** - We are going to be learning what the 7 continents of the world are.

**PSHE** - We will be looking at our monthly value of 'Happiness' and exploring themes including developing friendships through celebrating others and wishing others well.

**RE** - We will complete our learning on the 'Nativity' by sequencing the story of the birth of Jesus.

**Music** - We will be building on our knowledge of rhythm and pitch by learning a new song using the hand bells, and working as a team to perform.

**Year 2** This week in Year 2 we have continued our learning about recounts and have focussed on our use of time conjunctions, expanded noun phrases and the use of conjunctions to extend our sentences. Next week we will learn about the children's poet Michael Rosen and will learn and perform his poems, identifying rhyme, repetition and alliteration. In maths this week we have been learning about money. We identified the value of coins, added money and made money totals. We also used our knowledge to solve problems. Our unit next week is about 3D shapes and we will be exploring their properties using the vocabulary of vertices, edges and faces. In Geography we compared the routes taken by Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole to the Crimean War and described their journeys using compass points. In Science, we investigated the needs and wants and explored the back packs of David Livingstone and Robert Falcon Scott. We had to justify why we thought each item was a need or a want. In DT we continued to find out about fixed and moving axels. Our topic in R.E. this term has been Hinduism and we have learnt about the festival of Diwali. Notices: Next week is the phonics screening check for all year 2 pupils. Please support your child by using the web sites "read with phonics" and "phonics play".

## Year 3

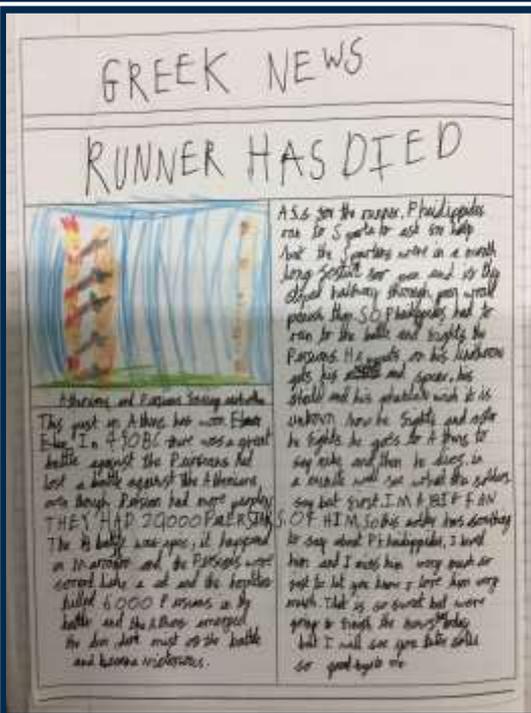
- **Maths:** This week in maths children have been drawing their own graphs, collecting data and translating this data into different types of graphs.
- **English:** This week in English, children wrote their non chronological reports on the Olympic Games. Next week children will be writing a Haiku.
- **Topic:** This week in topic, children re-enacted the Battle of Marathon between the Ancient Greeks and the Persians.
- **Upcoming:** Next week in topic, children will be learning about the human geography of Ancient Greece.

Our topic day is on the 16<sup>th</sup> December. Please can children come to school dressed as an Ancient Greek or Ancient Egyptian – we will be making our own Ancient Greek army shields! Please bring in any spare cardboard you have for this if possible.

- **Homework:** Please bring in your topic homework whenever it is ready. We will hold an exhibition for the children to look at each others' projects on the 16<sup>th</sup> December (topic day).

**Please get in touch if you would like to take part in the secret readers and read a story to the children online.**

**As part of their Ancient Civilisations topic, Year 3 re-enacted the Ancient Greek's Battle of Marathon in History this week.**



**Year 4** This week in English we are finishing our unit of debates. Children have been writing who they believe was the best leader during the Roman times, Septimius Severus, Boudicca or Julius Caesar. The unit finishes with the children taking part in a debate.

Next week, we will be writing Haiku Poems about the Romans. These are 3 lined poems that follow the structure 5 syllables, 7 syllables, 5 syllables.

In Maths, we have been collecting concrete and discrete data and turning these into bar and line graphs.

Next week, we will be looking at multiplication and division with a focus on multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100. Please encourage your children to continue to practice their timetables at home.

To finish our topic unit of the Rotten Romans, we will be writing a letter as if we are a Roman soldier. We will be combining everything thing we have covered whilst using as many of the key words we have learnt this term.

Next week in Science, we will be having 'Science day.' We will be carrying out experiments on sounds and finishing the unit. Thank you for all the bottles.

We will also be having a 'DT day.' We will be making our Catapults and evaluating them.

As always, please encourage your child/ren to complete all homework set.

# Upper Key Stage Two

## Year 5

**English:** In English we are concentrating on narrative poems, this Friday we are writing the narrative that is going to become a narrative poem next week.

**Maths:** In Maths we have been multiplying and dividing by 10,100,1000

**DT:** In DT we have been exploring Cam toys

**Science:** In Science we have been researching the Sun, and it's distance from earth

We have also had a great time making our class assemblies!

In DT year 5 have been investigating different shape cams and how they work in toys. They had fun making their own frames for testing.



## Year 6

- **English:** The children published their amazing newspaper reports on the Benin Massacre / Punitive Expedition and we have moved on to Creation Stories. We looked at a variety of creation stories from around the World and then focused on the creation story of Wakanda (the fictional nation in "Black Panther"). We have planned our own creation stories for the nations that the children created in their Geography lessons and next week will draft, publish and illustrate their own nation's creation stories.
- **Maths:** The children have been focusing on Geometry – we have looked at angles – measuring and drawing angles using protractors; angles on a straight line and in a turn; missing angles in triangles and quadrilaterals. Next week we will be focusing on negative numbers, in particular addition, subtraction and worded problems.
- **Science:** The children have been exploring electricity and have created their own circuits. Next week we will have a Science Day and a Design Technology Day, where we will be using our Science knowledge to create a motorised moving vehicle for Shuri in "Black Panther".
- **Topic Day:** We will be hosting our Wakanda Forever topic day on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December, as part of the day we would like the children to watch the film "Black Panther" – could parents please ensure that they have completed the permission on scopy.

**Homework:** Thank you for supporting your child/ren in their homework – please keep up the reading, they will have spelling homework, English homework, which will focus on Colons and Semi Colons (this week's SPaG focus), Maths homework on MyMaths, which follows on from this week's learning and the term's Science project.

**In Science, Y6 have been making simple electrical circuits. We're looking forward to our Science Day and DT day where we will be designing a moving vehicle for Shuri in "Black Panther" and using our knowledge of circuits to motor our vehicles.**

**6W have worked really hard in creating their 3D stars for their Christmas Hoops**



**6W had great fun decorating their FAB baubles**



# Parent Workshops

Please ensure you attend our next parent workshop, and the last one for this term, on Monday 7th December all about English. Use the link below to access the meeting.

## Parent Workshops:

Subject	Date	Time	Link	Short code
Humanities	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	5:15pm	<a href="https://meet.google.com/oef-dprz-qzt">meet.google.com/oef-dprz-qzt</a>	oef-dprz-qzt
Maths	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> November	5:15pm	<a href="https://meet.google.com/vip-tgri-xht">meet.google.com/vip-tgri-xht</a>	vip-tgri-xht
Science	Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	5pm	<a href="https://meet.google.com/zqu-erqy-wdb">meet.google.com/zqu-erqy-wdb</a>	zqu-erqy-wdb
English	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	5pm	<a href="https://meet.google.com/twc-dket-ijv">meet.google.com/twc-dket-ijv</a>	twc-dket-ijv

## SCHOOL STREETS

7.45am - 9.15am

2.15pm —3.45pm

Please remember, when walking down Bonneville Gardens, residents may continue to have access to the road during the school street closure period.

## Attendance Winners

### Key Stage One

Class 2W with 98.9% attendance

### Key Stage Two

Class 3S and 4W with 100% attendance

Well done!

**Clubs** A reminder for all parents/carers that the Spring Term Clubs Programme is currently live on ScoPay and will close on Tuesday, 8th December. We have worked really hard to open up our extra curricular programme to include a variety of different clubs and we have revised club prices as much as possible to support our parents/carers during this challenging time. If you would like your child to attend, sign up using your ScoPay account as soon as possible, so they don't miss out on a place.

### Please remember to login!

**EYFS & KS1**-Reading– Oxford Reading Buddy/ Phonics  
– Reading with phonics

**KS2**- Reading– Big Cat Collins

# FAB

Have you seen the latest FAB Newsletter sent out this week? If not, your missing out, check your inbox!  
**FUNDRAISING THIS YEAR WILL BE VITAL**

Donations may be eligible for gift aid – please email [fab.treasurer01@gmail.com](mailto:fab.treasurer01@gmail.com) for a gift aid form and return the completed form via email to allow gift aid to be claimed.



**Christmas Card Orders**– The deadline was this week to place your orders

**Business Newsletter Letter**– Please get in touch if you would like to advertise your business in our publication

**Scavenger Hunt**– Bring £2 for the scavenger Hunt by between 7th and 11th December

**Toy Sale**– 11th December

**Christmas Tree Order**– Deadline 13th December

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