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WEEK BEGINNING: 11/11/19 (Menu Week 2)

Dear Parents/Carers,

You will be aware that a number of new members of staff have joined us following on from the half term break. I am sure you will join me in welcoming Mrs Marie-Noelle MacDonald and Miss Mia Noone in to Year 4, Mrs Nicola Toogood, who is working across Years 1 and 2 and Miss Steph Davies in Year 2.

It is hard getting back into the routine of the start of the school day after a holiday but please do ensure that your children are on site at 8.50am, in order to enter the school building as soon as the bell goes, to ensure a smooth transition for all of the children and staff at the start of the school day.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Best wishes

Catherine Forrester
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Monday 11th Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Class 5H Swimming Lesson Class 1C Assembly @ 2.30pm: Lower School Hall - parents welcome
Tuesday 12th Nov	Individual school photos
Weds 13th Nov	Individual + sibling school photos
Friday 15th Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-Uniform Day/Odd Socks Day! Celebrating Children in Need & Anti-bullying Week: £1 donation - Thank You Cross Country (Yr 4/5/6) @ Gt Hollands Rec: 12-3pm
COMING UP...	Year 1 Maths Workshops for Parents: (Lower School Hall) Tuesday 19th Nov: 9am-10.30am - Class 1J Wednesday 20th Nov: 9am-10.30am - Class 1C Thursday 21st Nov: 9am-10.30am - Class 1L
Weds 27th Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 Height & Weight Screening (NHS)
CHRISTMAS PLAYS	See over for dates of next month's Christmas Productions

Please make sure you regularly check your emails (incl. Junk/Spam) to ensure you receive all the information we regularly send to parents/carers. We don't want you to miss anything - thank you!

CLUBS: Week commencing 11/11/19

DAY	START	CLUB NAME	FINISH
MONDAY 11th	3.15pm	Elibah Street Dance (R-Yr2)	4.15pm
	3.15pm	Binfield Football Academy (Yr 2)	4.30pm
TUESDAY 12th	3.15pm	Dance Club (Yr 1-3)	4.15pm
WEDNESDAY 13th	3.15pm	Young Voices (Yr 3-6)	4.00pm
	3.15pm	Homework Club (Yr 3-6)	4.15pm
	3.15pm	Elibah Street Dance (Yr 3-6)	4.15pm
	3.15pm	Binfield All Girls Football (Yr 1-2)	4.30pm
THURSDAY 14th	3.15pm	Musical Theatre (Yr 3-6)	4.15pm
FRIDAY 15th	3.15pm	Tennis	4.00pm
	3.15pm	In2Football Club (Yr 3-4)	4.15pm
	3.15pm	Dance Energy - Cheerleading (Yr 1-3)	4.15pm



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STAR OF THE WEEK
Week Ending: 25th October 2019



RABBITS

Isla

1C

Joshua

2Q

Maria

3C

Ella

4M

Abbie

5T

Jack

6R

Lucy

SQUIRRELS

Callum

1J

Mia

2R

Brooklea

3J

Victoria

4W

Antonio

5H

Aoife

6E

Yannis

BADGERS

Erin

1L

Kingsley

2B

Maya

3F

Evie

4D

Eva

5BW

Amilie

6JK

Morgan

WELL DONE!

... to Olivia (6JK) and Harry (5H) who are keen environmentalists and separately wrote to Blue Peter to share their knowledge of issues in Borneo and the Amazon rainforest in Brazil. The Blue Peter team were so impressed with all of the things the siblings had learned, they awarded them both a green Blue Peter Badge - given to viewers who care about the environment and nature. Very well done to you both, and keep caring about these very important issues!



...to our year 3/4 boys and girls who took part in the football tournament on Thursday 7th November. We battled hard in all of our matches and were very unfortunate to not win more games than we did! It was a pleasure taking you all and I hope you enjoyed the morning as much as I did! A huge thank you to the parents that attended as well, everyone at MV really appreciates your support 😊 Mr Johnson

LEISURE CENTRE SWIMMING



A huge thank you to everyone who took up EveryoneActive's generous offer of free swimming.

The leisure centre have informed me that 154 families kept active throughout the month of October, which is absolutely amazing!

RECEPTION CLASSES: CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION

This year our Reception Classes will perform their Christmas production to parents on

Tuesday 17th & Wednesday 18th December at 9.30am





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NON-UNIFORM/ODD SOCKS DAY!



On **FRIDAY 15TH NOVEMBER** we will be celebrating Children in Need Day with **NON-UNIFORM** and recognising Anti-Bullying Week by wearing **ODD SOCKS**, celebrating what makes us all unique!

We will be asking for a **£1 donation** which will be split between the 2 charities - your support is much appreciated.



SCHOOL ADMISSIONS: CONSULTATION DOCUMENTS

Our Local Authority, Bracknell Forest, is consulting on changing the admission arrangements for 2021 - 2022 for our community and voluntary controlled schools. Details can be found on their website:

<https://www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/schools/school-admissions/admissions-arrangements-and-designated-area-maps/admissions-arrangements>

Similar information for other local authorities can be found on their own websites.

Meadow Vale Football – Halfway through the season!



I would like to say a huge thank you to all of the players and all of their parents for their hard work, commitment and dedication so far this year. It has been an excellent first half of the season from both teams, with the teams taking 21 points out of a possible 24!

Our A team carried their team chemistry from last year straight in to the new season, brushing aside all of Holly Spring, Wooden Hill and Harmans Water away from home and finishing the run of league fixtures with a dominant victory against Sandy Lane on home soil. Their final game of 2019 was another away game, this time in the cup, where they dispatched Crown Wood in a tense match on a near unplayable pitch. We're already looking forward to round 2 of the cup next year!

Season highlight so far – An all-round 'total football' masterclass when sweeping away Sandy Lane 4-0, on a very soggy surface.

The B team have been a real surprise package this year. Coach Nathan and myself have been absolutely amazed with how well the mix of year 5/6s have gelled together to create a formidable squad. After an initial nervy loss at Holly Spring (in which we were extremely unlucky not to win), they blew away Wooden Hill and followed it up with solid performances against Harmans Water and Sandy Lane. I'd particularly like to thank all of the players in the B team for helping to spread the goalkeeping responsibilities across an entirely outfield squad!

Season highlight so far – Duke scoring a header away at Harmans Water!

Once again thanks not only to the players, who have all been mature leaders and shining lights at every fixture, but also to the parents for their continued and dedicated support. I am looking forward to the A and B team fixtures in Spring, as well as additional friendlies for those yet to represent the football team this year!

Mr Johnson 😊



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READING STARS: OCTOBER WINNERS!



This month is a month of two firsts – a winning score of over 100 stars and our first joint winners. Congratulations go to 6E who won the Key Stage 2 challenge with a jaw-dropping 105 stars and to 2Q and 2B for collecting 78 stars each! Both 2B and 2Q have decided to celebrate by purchasing some new wet play games ready for the times when the wintery weather stops them from enjoying the outside and 6E have decided to refine their art skills during an activity of the class's choosing.



LOWER SCHOOL (YR 1 & 2): CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION DATES

Please note the dates of our Lower School Christmas productions to parents: 9.30am Lower School Hall

Tuesday 10th December: **Class 1C and 2R** parents only

Thursday 12th December: **Class 1J and 2B** parents only

Friday 13th December: **Class 1L and 2Q** parents only





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