

Newsletter – Friday, 08 November 2019

Dear Parents / Carers,

Speech and Language Drop-in

There will be a Speech and Language Therapy Drop-In session on Wednesday 13th November, 11am to 12pm at Ashton Vale Primary. Please drop in for a chat with Leonie Vooght (our speech and language therapist) if you want to talk about any concerns that you might have with your child's speech and language development. Please see flier attached.

Y5 Cranes

Kingfisher class have had an opportunity this week to work with experts from Willmott Dixon building developers. The children have been thinking scientifically and learning how to construct crane structures and test their strength. The children have developed their team working skills and also learned how to work within a budget.



Y6 Tetrahedrons

Blue Jay class have also had an opportunity this week to work with experts from Willmott Dixon building developers. The children have been thinking mathematically and learning how to construct giant tetrahedron. Great teamwork Y6, well done.



Children in Need

Friday 15th November is 'Children in Need' day. The theme this year is all about keeping fit and being 'sporty'. In exchange for a donation to 'Children in Need', children are allowed to come to school dressed in a sporty style or in 'non-uniform'. Please ensure children are dressed appropriately for winter weather, with sensible/safe shoes. Donations should be given to the class teacher.

PTA Christmas Presents for Parents

The Christmas presents for parents/carers event will be taking place on 2nd December. If you would like your child to take part in this event please collect a reply slip from the school office and return it completed with £1.50 per gift to the school office, no later than 9am on Monday 25th November.

Attendance League w/b 21st October 2019

Position	Class	Attendance
1	Kingfisher	99%
2	Robin	98%
3	Penguin	96%
4	Blue Jay	94%
5	Flamingo	94%
6	Falcon	91%
7	Crow	84%
Average		94%

Dates for the diary

Weds 13th Nov – Speech and language drop-in, 11-12 at Ashton Vale.

Thurs 14th Nov – Year 5 Visit to 'We the Curious'

Fri 15th Nov – Children in Need Day (No Celebration Assembly)

Tues 19th Nov – Year 1 Phonics Meeting for Parents

Thurs 28th and Fri 29th Nov – Y6 and Y1 Lantern Making

Weds 4th Dec – Y4 and Y2 'Through the Keyhole' experience at Salem Church

Thurs 5th Dec – London Classic Chess Challenge

Saturday 7th Dec – PTA Christmas Fair

Thurs 12th Dec – Christmas Dinner

Thurs 12th Dec – PTA Christmas Movie Night

Tues 17th and Weds 18th Dec – Christmas Shows

Thurs 19th Dec – Christmas Jumper day

Friday 20th Dec – Carols Around the Tree (2.30pm)

Friday 20th Dec – Last Day of Term

Yours sincerely

James Hollis

Headteacher



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