



Purbrook Infant School

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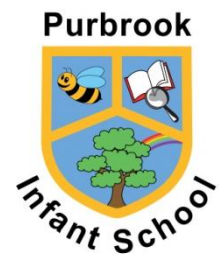


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Friday Flier



Children in Need Day

Thank you for supporting this appeal. Altogether we raised an amazing £210 for this very worthwhile charity. Thank you very much for helping us to make a difference.

Head Lice

We have had a number of reported cases across the school, particularly in Year 1. Please check your child's head over the weekend and treat as necessary. We are still advised that the most effective way of removing head lice is using the wet-combing method as described below.

- Wash the hair using ordinary shampoo and apply ample conditioner, before using a wide-toothed comb to straighten and untangle the hair
- Once the comb moves freely through the hair without dragging, switch to the louse detection comb. Make sure that the teeth of the comb slot into the hair at the roots with the bevel-edge of the teeth lightly touching the scalp
- Draw the comb down to the ends of the hair with every stroke and check the comb for lice
- Remove lice by wiping or rinsing the comb
- Work methodically through the hair section by section so that the whole head of hair is combed through
- Rinse out conditioner and repeat the combing procedure on the wet hair
- Repeat the procedure on day five, nine and thirteen in order to clear the young lice as they hatch, before they have had time to reach maturity. It is extremely important that you repeat on the days advised above.

Payment for Beehive Before and After School Club

A reminder that all breakfast club invoices should be paid in full a week after they have been issued unless a previous agreement is in place, for example, payment by childcare vouchers.

You should all have made a payment towards your after school club invoice which will put you in credit by at least one week.

Donations to our families

We have been contacted by a colleague of our parent support advisor, Angie, who is kindly offering clothes parcels to our families in school. This very thoughtful service has had an overwhelming response from families in other local schools and we feel very fortunate to have been offered the opportunity ourselves.

Should you feel this might be something you could benefit from, please contact the school office via telephone or email, providing the gender, age and shoe size of the children you wish to receive bundles for. A bag of good condition (stain and rip free), clean clothes, with a coat and shoes, will be bought into school for you to then collect. This is of course dependant on availability. Clothes are packed in a brown gift bag with a nice luggage tag which is then quarantined for 72 hours before inviting you in to collect. This, we would of course ensure was discreetly handled.

This is such a valuable service and one in which we are grateful to have been offered.

Busy Bees

These children received their Busy Bee Stamp this week and this was celebrated in a virtual year group assembly:

Year R: Danielle Bailey, Nyah Crocker, Honie Fitzjohn, Asher Ide, Ava Jarrold, Isla McFawn, Florence Payne, Noah Sewell, Bethany Townsend, Ezra Wiesner, Kash Woodacre and Imogen York. **Year 1:** Bradie Mayhead, Harvey Fellows, Ralph Hughes and Henley Warrington. **Year 2:** Olivia Duncan-Farrell, Archer Gray, Lacy Hayes, Aaliyah Imade, Noursine Khamellah, Dexter Levesque, Wallace Hopkins and Scarlett Wilday

Closing date for photos: Tuesday 17 November

The closing date for ordering online is **Tuesday 17 November**. **Late orders will incur a charge by the photographic company.**

Flu: E-Consent Form

If you have not yet completed your child's consent form, please can you do so. The unique code for our school is **SH115937**. Please submit your form by **Friday 20 November** to ensure your child receives their vaccination. If you experience any problems accessing the form, telephone **0300 003 0323** and the team will be happy to help.

Class Reading Challenge: Raffle Winners

I am delighted to let you know that the class winners of this week's raffle were:

- Robins' Class
- Doves' Class
- Owls' Class

Reporting Absence

A reminder that as well as telephoning the school, you can also report your child's absence via a company called **Studybugs** which enables you to go online via a phone or computer to report your child's absence securely. To get the free Studybugs app, or register on their website go to (<https://studybugs.com/about/parents>). If your child is unwell it is your responsibility to inform the school of this.

Forest School Sessions:

Timetable for this half term has been sent out. Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door. You are also able to check the timetable by clicking the following link: [Autumn B Timetable](#)

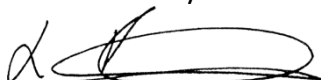
Change of Option: Tuesday

Please note that there is a permanent change. This will now be a chicken burger.

Lunch Menu

Please click on the following link to access the menu online: [menu](#). Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door and in Wagtails' Class window.

Yours sincerely



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