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Friday Flier



School photographs

All the children who were in school on Friday 14 October had their photograph taken. These were sent out on Tuesday. If you wish to order copies, this can be done **online only**. Information is stated on the proof card. The closing date for ordering online is **Tuesday 15 November**. **Late orders will incur a charge by the photographic company.**

Reminder: Poppy Remembrance Day

Poppies and other items will be available for children to buy each day in school. The poppies and other items will be taken to each class and children should keep their money in their book bags. Please provide envelopes so money is not lost!

These will not be available to purchase through the office.



The zip pulls are priced at 50p, the reflectors are 50p, the wrist bands are £1.00 and the snap bands are £1.50. Please note that we will only have a limited number of some of the items so these will be available on a first come, first served basis.

Year 2: Bear and the Piano

As part of our English learning about the Bear and the Piano, the Year 2 children are going to experience a music concert on Monday 07 November. Oaklands School band are going to perform for the children during the school day. We want to make this as realistic as possible for the children and would like them to dress up in smart clothes as though attending a concert in a world-famous concert venue! We look forward to seeing them in their finery (although please ensure they will be warm and have shoes suitable for the playground). If you have any queries, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Breakfast and Beehive Invoices

Invoices were sent out on Monday. Please check your child's book bag. Prompt payment is much appreciated as the club is totally self-funded and does not receive any government funding.

Year 2 Transfer to Junior School: September 2023

On Monday 31 October we sent out a letter, via ParentMail, providing you with information on how to apply for a Year 3 place.

Mufty Day Friday 11 November

Next Friday marks the start of our preparations for our PTFA Christmas Fayre. The children can come to school wearing non-uniform on this day in exchange for sweets, alcohol or craft items. Please ensure that they are wearing clothes and shoes suitable for outside play. As this day is also Armistice Day, to mark this occasion, we are inviting all children who are part of the Scouting Movement for example, Rainbows, Brownies, Beavers and Cubs to wear their uniforms to school on this day if they would like to.

Christmas Cards

These have been sent home today. Please check your child's book bag. If you ordered a mug, these were sent home yesterday. Thank you for supporting this fundraising project.

Christmas Tree

We would like to purchase a "real" Christmas tree for all the children to enjoy. If anyone works at a nursery where they would be able to get a discount for the school, this would be much appreciated. Please leave details with the school office.

Busy Bees

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

Year R: Ezmae Cousins, Isla Ferguson, Poppy Fisher, Freddie Foster, Jazmin Harrold, Emma Hurdley, Aurelia Lowe, Reuben McNiff, Jensen Morley, Raven Murphy-Lambe, Jaxon Ness, Albie Pearce, James Radice-Gomm and Dylan Sowden. **Year 1:** Errol Atkins, Ivy Bartholomew, Henley Corrigan, Jude Cross, Jet Emery, Nancy Jones, Amelia Parvin, Georgia Quance, Teddy Redman and Noah Strange. **Year 2:** Roman Bell, Harry James, Teddy Lloyd and Amara Mapungwana.

Ethan Bell finished his busy bee certificate and has received a Busy Bee Motif which can be sewed onto his jumper.

Class Reading Challenge: Raffle Winners

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

- Kingfisher's Class
- Woodpeckers' Class
- Eagles' and Owls' Class (joint winners)

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 was sent out half last term. 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](#).

Lunch Menu

Next week's menu will be: Week 2. 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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