



NEWBOTTLE & CHARLTON CEVA PRIMARY SCHOOL

Every person matters, every moment counts "I can do all this through him who gives me strength"

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*WISDOM*COMMUNITY*DIGNITY*HOPE

Last Friday many children attended the PTFA School Disco. The children all had a really super time, lots of great dancing took place and the atmosphere was lovely. Thank you to all the staff and PTFA volunteers who made this a such success. On Monday we joined the village in a Remembrance Service at the memorial. The weather luckily worked in our favour and the children read and sung as well as showing respect and standing for the silence. This week we have had Anti-Bullying week and the Ethos committee started this off by leading Collective Worship on Tuesday. This year's theme is **Change Starts With Us** and is more focused on how small things and working together can make a better community for everyone. All children voted on how they feel the school environment is here with a large majority believing as a school we do well. There was a very small group who perhaps had different views and we shall explore with them further why they are feeling this way and what we can do to improve this. In team's children came up with pledges on little things we can do to make school even better and happier - these are now displayed! In addition to ABW it has also been **Maths week**. All classes have had a little problem to solve as well as Birch class taking part in a live Maths lesson from NRICH which was all about estimating. I joined the class for this and we all got our brains working hard with some quite tricky estimating problems. Whilst Year 6 were at Yardley Chase Young Citizens Day yesterday Year 5 continued with a Maths day too! Year 6's had a fabulous day exploring ways to be a helpful citizen, learning signs and dangers to spot and how to deal with situations they may witness. Also this week Birch visited Evenley Wood where they planted snow drops, took a walk, identified different trees and saw other snowdrop varieties. They also got to get to know children from Syresham. It was great that Mrs Fox could join us too. In what feels like the busiest week ever we also enjoyed the fabulous Children Singing for Children concert at St Marys Church. Once again the choir sang amazingly and joined in with the mass choir songs confidently too. Thank you to everyone this week who has assisted in transport or supporting events.

Today for **Children in Need** PJ's and onesies have been worn to support this charity. Work was carried out in Peer to Peer on what this charity is about and at break time a number of games have taken place led by Pupil Parliament.

Have a lovely weekend,

Kind regards,

Sarah Smith, Head Teacher

Diary Wk Beg: 18.11.19

Road Safety Week

Mon	Homework 5 out
Tues	Individual/ Sibling Photos
Wed	Cooked Breakfast available Birch Class Sportshall Athletic Comp @ MCS 4-6pm
Thurs	Birch Class Mini Medics 2.45 Ash Class Assembly KS2 Kurling Comp - MCS
Fri	PTFA Mufti Day for Fayre Birch Swimming 2.40 Achievers Assembly Homework Club
Sat	PTFA Community Christmas Fayre 1-4pm

This week's Attendance

96.06%

Authorised: 43

Unauthorised: 0

This week's letters/ attachments

Elm - Brass Tuition and Concert

Share

PTFA Mufti Flyer; Staff Changes letter; Limes Farm Enchanted Christmas Flyer

BIRCH CLASS Sportshall Athletics Competition

This is taking place on Wednesday 20th November and we still require **girls** in the team in order to take part. Please let the office know on Monday if you are available.

Y6 Helpers at PTFA Community Christmas Fayre

We currently only have 6 volunteers out of the 15 Year 6! Any amount of time they could offer would be an amazing help to run the games at the fayre.



Wednesday Wake Up

Cooked Breakfast

This is running until the end of the term - details have already been sent home.

Please could orders be returned to the school office on Monday 18th November in order for Polly to cater for this on 20th November.

Thank you.

Photos with non-school siblings

These are taking place in school on Tuesday 19th November. Non-school siblings are welcome in at 8.30 a.m. to have family photos taken in the library. First come first served - no appointment necessary. Siblings in school will be done as a matter of course throughout the morning.

HAIR The school does not permit children to have 'extreme' haircuts that could serve as a distraction. Coloured hair is also not permitted. Hair accessories are to be kept to a minimum and plain in design.

PTFA Mufti

On Friday 22nd November children can come to school in Mufti and bring in items for the Christmas Community Fayre.

A flyer has been sent home today.

PTFA Christmas Community Fayre This has been organized slightly differently this year and will take place on 23rd November from 1 - 4 p.m. we hope you can all attend. Also spread the word for others to come along! We have sent out letters to the Year 6 children to ask for their help running stalls. We have also invited all KS1 children and the KS2 choir to sing at this event. Raffle Tickets have gone home for this!

Achievers:

OAK Toby T, Sienna, Adelaide, Jack D

ASH Aurelia, Aela, Roni

ELM Olivia, Edward, Tor, Willow

BIRCH Maddie, Freddie K, Alfie, Caelyn

Head Teacher Award: None this week

Debt - Please could we ask that you check your school money account regularly and pay off any outstanding debts. Individual reminders have been sent this week.

Current owed amount for this academic year £4300.50

Current owed amount for last academic year £2348.05

Please can parents use School Money not send in cash, the office will help you if you can't access it. Thank you.

Team Points:

AIR 117

FIRE 116

EARTH 109

WATER 120

Shin Pads

If you have any spare shin pads that are no longer required or are too small we would love them in school to use as spares.

Fresh Start have now removed all meal choices for 19 December for our party day. They have refunded all those that had paid for this day.

Girls Football Team BTFC are holding taster sessions for girls in KS1 and KS2 on Thursday lunchtimes. We are hoping to start a lunchtime club in January 2020.

ALDI Kit for Schools -We have completed our Aldi Sticker chart - an amazing accomplishment for a small school! We have sent this off to get our Sports Kit and be in for a chance of winning £20,000. Thank you so much for everyone's help.

In the most recent charity collections we have raised the following:

Poppy Appeal raised: £67.42 **Children in Need** raised: £225.16

Thank you for all your support!

The Ride to Bring Harry Home- Sunday 17th November 2019 - In honour of Harry Dunn, and to raise funds for #Justice4Harry, there will be a cavalcade of motorcycles leaving Brackley on Sunday 17th November around 11:45, following Harry's last journey and coming to Charlton, where the bikes will stop for a short period of silence to pay our respects. They should arrive in the village between 12.30 and 1pm with up to 1000 bikes, coming from every corner of England and Wales. If able, come support these bikers, it will be a fantastic spectacle, and a fitting tribute. Please don't park along the Farthinghoe Rd as that's where they will stop! Look forward to seeing you there! **Jayne Mitchell**