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Newsletter 17th November 2023

It has been a busy week in school this week with lots going on and the children enjoying some exciting learning.

Our new Reception teacher, Mrs Harrington, has spent the day with Miss Harper and getting to know the children. It has been lovely to welcome her to school. She will be coming again next Wednesday so give her a wave if you see her outside school when dropping off.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend,

Mrs White 😊

FRIENDLY REMINDERS



- The holiday dates for next academic year 2024/2025 have been emailed out and are on the school website.
- **Our next Bag2School collection is Wednesday 22nd November if people are starting to have a Christmas clear out at home.**
- We are taking part in Comic Relief this academic year rather than Children in Need. We alternate this on a yearly basis.
- **Next Friday 24th November is NON UNIFORM DAY in exchange for:**
EYFS and KS1 – Jarola
KS2 – Tomola prizes

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PUPILS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Alacia
Year 1	Ivie
Year 2	Eliska
Year 3	Harper
Year 4	George
Year 5	Olivia
Year 6	Georgia K



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Parking

Recently, we have had a huge push with the police, local council and LCC about our issues with parking here at WWB. This week, we were visited by PCSO Coffey who spent time with Mrs White talking about our difficulties and planning how we can encourage more safe parking and driving around school.



Please can we remind parents of the following:

- Please do not use the staff car park to turn or reverse into - this is extremely dangerous.
- Please do not park your cars in the staff car park
- Please try to park away from school and walk safely using the path from the village
- Please only use the wide part of the lay-by. If you park where it is too narrow, it blocks cars being able to pass each other and causes a jam
- Please do not do 3-point turns in front of school
- Please be polite and considerate - we understand that dropping off and picking up can be stressful but please remember that kindness costs nothing.
- Please don't park in front of people's driveways
- Please do not park on the zig zags or on the pavements - we've had incidents where children have had to walk out into the road because cars have been parked on the pavement, which is unacceptable

We know that the weather isn't kind and that getting wet through from the rain isn't ideal but we kindly ask you to think about every child's safety. This is our main priority as the children need to be able to safely enter and exit school.

Thank you so much for helping us with this and keeping our pupils safe.

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Dates for Diaries – Autumn Term 2 - 2023 – 8 weeks

Please find below some key dates for your diary for next half term. There may be more dates added but we will update this on the weekly newsletter.

Wed 22 nd Nov	Bag2School Collection
Fri 24 th Nov	***NON UNIFORM DAY*** Donations for coming in non-uniform: KS2 – Jarola prize KS1 – tombola prizes
Fri 1 st Dec	PANTO in morning Christmas Fair in PM
Thurs 7 th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day
Wed 13 th Dec	1.30pm – Choir singing at Waddington Luncheon Club
Thurs 14 th Dec	Reception Christmas Sing-a-Long in the afternoon
Mon 18 th Dec	2pm – Year 1/2 performance 6.15pm – Year 1/2 performance
Tues 19 th Dec	6pm – Carols by Candlelight
Wed 20 th Dec	Christmas Lunch Rainbow Party
Thurs 21 st Dec	Special Certificate Assembly
Fri 22 nd Dec	School closes for Christmas

Anti-Bullying Week

This week has been Anti-Bullying week and we have been doing lots of work in school to help children learn about this. On Monday, we began the week with Odd Sock Day to represent our uniqueness.



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Thank you

Last week, we were contacted by a parent who has so kindly bought x30 brand new laptops and a laptop charging trolley for school. This is so kind and generous, and hugely appreciated by everyone. It will make such an impact for our pupils and we are hugely grateful!



A Festive Forest School session for 2-5year olds at our 'sister' school, Brennand's Endowed.

BOOK VIA EARLYYEARS@BRENNANDS
OR CALL 01200 446664

**merry
CHRISTMAS**

**FOREST SCHOOL JINGLE
JANGLE JUBILEE**

CHRISTMAS THEMED IMAGINATIVE OUTDOOR PLAY, CRAFT, HOT CHOCOLATE ROUND THE CAMPFIRE, MEET SANTA AND RECIEVE A GIFT

JOIN US FOR A FUN FILLED MAGICAL MORNING IN FOREST SCHOOL BURSTING WITH CHRISTMAS THEMED ACTIVITIES AND TREATS THIS IS ONE FAMILY FUN EVENT NOT TO BE MISSED!

DECEMBER 8TH
10AM TO 12PM
£10 PER CHILD
LIMITED TO 20 PLACES
HELD AT BRENNANDS ENDOWED
BB7 3ER



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Bowland High – A Night of Good Cheer!

Bowland high school
Christmas Fair

incorporating
**NIGHT OF
GOOD CHEER**

**WED 29 NOV
4:30PM - 8:00PM**

BOTTLE WICKS
COUNTRY CREPES
HIDDEN GEN
HOTFRIT

MY PINK ANGEL
PALE BARN
THE KNITTED ROSE
TROPICS
YOSHI

STALLS | REFRESHMENTS | RAFFLE

FREE ENTRY
MULLED WINE AND MINCE PIES AVAILABLE!

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Forest School

Year 1 really enjoyed Den-Building and having a hot chocolate and a biscuit in their dens as part of Forest School this week!



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Year 4 Science

As part of their science topic about solids, liquids and gases, Year 4 carried out a fair test experiment with Miss Case about what would happen when Mentos are added to different bottles of cola.

They used scientific vocabulary to explain what happened and to make predictions. They had lots of fun and have planned a follow-up experiment using other drinks.



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Curling in PE

Year 1 enjoyed having a good at Curling in PE this week. It was lots of fun and we had some very accurate curling! Well done Year 1 😊



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PE Days

Thank you to everyone for sending the children in their PE kits on their PE days. The positive impact has been wonderful! Here is a reminder of the PE days for each class:

Reception	Tuesday
Year 1	Tuesday (PE and Forest School)
Year 2	Tuesday and Friday
Year 3	Friday
Year 4	Tuesday and Thursday
Year 5	Monday and Wednesday
Year 6	Monday and Thursday

Attendance

Week commencing 13th November 2023

We are aiming for every child/class to have at least 96% attendance

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	90.5%
Year 1	95.2%
Year 2	97.4%
Year 3	96.4%
Year 4	90.4%
Year 5	96.0%
Year 6	88.6%

Rainbow (House) Team Points

The Rainbow team that has the most points at the end of the half term gets a treat! This half term, it will be a hot chocolate around our fire pit!

Week	Winners
W/C 30 th October	VIOLET
W/C 6 th November	YELLOW
W/C 13 th November	INDIGO

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CONTACT US



Please always request to speak to your child's class teacher as first point of contact if you have a query or concern. If it cannot be resolved with the teacher, a member of the Senior Leadership Team will aim to make themselves available to you as soon as possible.

School contact details: 01200 422915 or bursar@wwb.lancs.sch.uk

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