



Dear Parents,

Welcome back, we hope that you have had a restful week off and have enjoyed lots of family time. It is lovely to have everyone back in school enthused and ready to go!

Phonics Meeting

Mrs Curtis will be holding a phonics meeting on Tuesday 1st November at 2:30. This is an opportunity to find out about Phonics Bug, how it is taught at school and how you can support your child further at home.

PTA AGM

PTA are holding their AGM on Friday 4th November at 3:10pm this will take place in Polar Bears classroom. Parents of the PTA can use BBase for their children while they meet together.

Staffing



This week will be the last week in school for Mrs Milne, lunchtime supervisor, she has been working in school since 2016 and we would like to thank her for her hard work during the time she has been with our school. We have employed Mrs Catney who is starting with us today to ensure continuity as she gets to know the children. Mrs Catney has worked in schools before and we are really excited to have her join the team. Mrs Bidniak is also going to join the lunchtime team on Mondays when Miss Coates is not in school.

We are still looking for another lunchtime supervisor to join the team at school. If you are interested in applying please email enquiries as soon as possible.

Remembrance Day

School has a box of Poppy-Related items to sell with proceeds going to the British Legion. We will begin selling these from tomorrow, with children asked to purchase one item only for the first few days until everyone has had a chance to buy something. After this, they will be able to buy any items remaining. There are metal poppy pin badges for £1; poppy keyring reflectors for 50p; silicon and elastic wristbands for £1.00 and snapbands for £1.50. If children can bring the correct change, this is really helpful as money goes into a sealed container. Many thanks for your support of this worthwhile charity.

Stone Painting

There will be an opportunity for your child to paint a poppy onto a stone in readiness for Remembrance Day. If your child would like to bring in a stone from home to paint they are more than welcome to do so, this needs to be in school by Friday 4th November. If not, they will be able to find and use one from around the school grounds. We will then be placing our Poppy stones in the new Visions Garden on Friday 11th November.

Dates:

November

1st- Phonics Meeting (2:30)

4th- PTA AGM

7th- NQ Media photos

11th- X Cross country

14th - Odd socks to support anti-bullying week

18th- KS1 Netball and Year 5/6 Netball qualifiers

25th- Year 5/6 tag rugby event

December

5th- KS1 nativity

6th- Pantomime

7th - Online Safety Q&A

8th- Christmas Dinner (Good Looking Cooking)

9th- PTA Christmas biscuits

12th- PTA Christmas crafts

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BRANT BROUGHTON CE METHODIST PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEK BEGINNING: 31ST OCTOBER 2022



Flu Spray Mop up

If your child missed the flu spray and you would like them to have it, there will be a mop up clinic on Monday 28th November. If you would like the link to register your child for this please email Enquiries.

A Date with Dan: Free TEAMS Online Safety Q and A for Parents and Guardians, 7th December 6-7pm. Sign up required

Over two thirds of students surveyed in the LSCP 2021 Keeping Safe Online Survey indicated that their parents didn't know everything about their online activities. The survey also showed when parents talked openly to their children about their activity online, those students were less likely to experience cyberbullying and more likely to access support. We want to give you the information and tools to help you feel confident enough to protect your children and young people from online harm. Dan Hawbrook our resident Online Guru will chat you through different apps, online trends, parental controls and any other burning questions you may have! Sign up is required. A Date with Dan Tickets, Wed 7 Dec 2022 at 18:00 | Eventbrite

Girls' football Sports Report

On Friday 14th October seven girls from Pandas attended Sleaford Football Club to take part in the Girls Football Tournament. It was such a good experience to play with and against lots of other girls. We were great at working as a team and using the skills we were taught in our lessons with Mr Price. We came fourth overall and scored at least five goals over a course of the games. We would like to say thank you to Mrs Jackson and the other adults for supporting and transporting us to the event.



Anti-Bullying Week

The week beginning 14th November is anti-bullying week. If your child would like, they can wear odd socks to school on Monday 14th November to celebrate everyone's differences.

Class Learning

The Polar Bears this week have continued to work on their Brant Broughton village. Year One have been looking closely at photos of well-known landmarks to match colours and ensure we have the right number of doors and windows. Reception have been using their creativity to construct their ideas of what a house would look like. Leopards have been chocolate tasting, they tasted four different types of chocolate and described the taste, they then scored them out of five.

White Tigers conducted a fantastic ice-cream experiment as they explored states of matter. They used milk, cream and Ice to create the tasty treat. All of the children enjoyed the taste test with a wafer and sprinkles at the end!

Pandas have been creating their final game of the term on Scratch, each child managed to make and share with others a chase game. This incorporated all of the skills they



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have been taught over the last seven weeks. Things like: multiple moving sprites, scores and 'You Win' text at the end of the game. They really enjoyed playing each other's and sharing our highlights.

Celebration Worship



Learning

Polar Bears shared their models of houses from the village. Harry shared a model of the school and Zack shared a model of the village hall. Harry told us the skills he needed to use in order to make the models were cutting, sticking and painting. Zack explained the texture to his building was made out painted masking tape; this made it look like bricks. White Tigers share their ice cream experiment. Sophia and Charlotte talked about how they predicted what would happen when they added or took away salt from the ice. They thought things like: it may bubble, turn to a solid or even stay as a liquid. The thing the girls were most excited about was eating it with a wafer and sprinkles. Finally, Pandas sang 'Streets of Lincoln' for one final time from their Harvest performance.

Awards

Sean Boy and Princess received their awards for fitting into Pandas' class so effortlessly and for trying to really get to grips with the way our school works. Dexter received his award for his work ethic, focus and sense of humour. Also, for his bravery in playing the tambourine in church and being able to keep the beat for his peers.

Values awards

25 Values points: Chloe, Ava J and Molly

Reading Quiz Awards

10 Quizzes passed: Isaac B and Ebony

Out of school awards

Sophia: 200 meters and
Scarlett H: 5 meters swimming award.

Future weeks will be as follows for Celebration Worship:

Week:	Showing work:	Awards:
4/11/22	Pandas and Leopards	Polar Bears and White Tigers
11/11/22	Polar Bears and White Tigers	Pandas and Leopards
18/11/22	Pandas and Leopards	Polar Bears and White Tigers
25/11/22	Polar Bears and White Tigers	Pandas and Leopards
2/12/22	Pandas and Leopards	Polar Bears and White Tigers
9/12/22	Polar Bears and White Tigers	Pandas and Leopards