

# Stratford-upon-Avon Primary 'News'



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**Reminders:** Y1 - Y6 Please return all consent forms for the recording and use of images as soon as possible

**Letters issued this week:** All - 135th Birthday Celebrations, Y1-Y6 Consent Forms for the recording and use of images

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
KS1 Sports Club 3.30-4.30pm Choir 3.30-4.30pm Cooking Club 3.30-4.45pm		Romeo & Juliet Live Broadcast Y5 & Y6  Textiles Club 3.30-4.30pm Mindfulness 3.30-4.30pm	Y2 & Y3 visit to Everyman Cinema "Mary & The Witch's Flower"  Rock Steady Music School Art Club KS1 3.30-4.30pm Art Club KS2 3.30-4.30pm	Y6 visit to Remembrance Service in Warwick  Rock Steady Music School

## News from the Headteacher

I was incredibly proud of the children last Friday as they demonstrated respect and an excellent understanding of the importance of Remembrance. Thank you to everyone who attended our Remembrance event. The performances were extremely poignant and everyone was certainly moved by Year 6's exhortation and the reading of the 27 names of the men who once attended our school. Our poppy trail is fantastic and many visitors continue to comment on the high quality of work by the children. I have received some wonderful emails and letters from those who attended. One of our neighbours wrote, 'I loved all the different ways with which the children made poppies – so beautiful and creative. I especially loved the illustrated letters of gratitude and appreciation to the soldiers who fought on our behalf. The little cake and packet of poppy seeds made me feel part of the remembrance. Thank you I am proud to be a neighbour of your school.' One email read, 'Thanks again for today - truly lovely and very emotional. The children and staff did you proud and the event was very thought provoking.' The Mayor of Stratford Councillor Bicknell really appreciated being invited and was impressed.

On Sunday 11th November 25 children represented our school and attended Holy Trinity Church Remembrance Service. They were extremely respectful throughout the whole event. They paraded afterwards to The Memorial Gardens and stood in front of the WW1 memorial to pay their respects and take part in the remembrance service there. Amelia and Jude in Y6 laid a wreath on behalf of the school to remember those who once attended Stratford Primary School. Many of our children also participated in the parade and service through Scouts, Guides, Brownies, Cubs and Beavers. It was lovely to see so many a part of the community. A special mention to Reuben in Y3 who carried the standard for Beavers. He looked smart and proud.

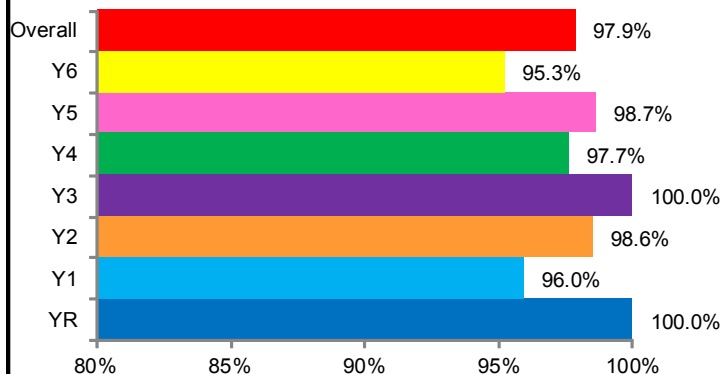
This week we have held anti-bullying week in school. The theme was CHOOSE RESPECT which as our one school rule is RESPECT was extremely appropriate. On Monday we all wore odd socks to demonstrate we are all different but unique and that is something to celebrate not criticise. The children all week have been completing tasks, activities and talking about anti-bullying, particularly cyberbullying and how to stay safe online. I asked the children 'Do we want bullying here at Stratford Primary?' The answer was a resounding NO! We are learning strategies to deal with bullies and the one clear thing the children said was 'Speak up, tell an adult or a friend and don't be alone.' Go to our website to find out more about how you can keep your child and yourself safe online.

Other things happening this week, healthy eating in Y3, Romeo and Juliet workshop in Y6, Road safety training in Rec, Y1 and Y5, singing, football, art and more. Our curriculum is diverse and wide-ranging to engage all our pupils.

Each of us deserves the freedom to pursue our own version of happiness. No one deserves to be bullied. Barack Obama

Mrs Humphriss - Headteacher

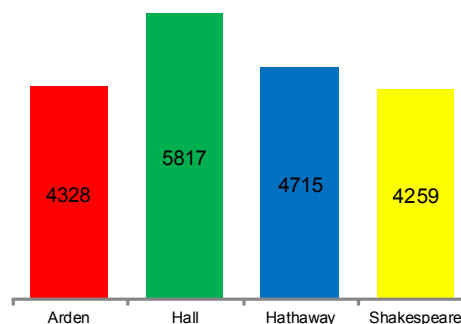
## Weekly Attendance by Class



This week's winners of a visit from Desmond the Dragon are Reception and Year 3 with 100%,

Well Done!

## House Points - Year to date



Congratulations  
**Hall**

you are this week's  
House Cup winners



## This Weeks Certificates

### Achievement Certificates

Reception - Sonny A  
Year 1 - Hattie N  
Year 2 - Lauren B  
Year 3 - Lauren H  
Year 4 - Alf S  
Year 5 - Harry H  
Year 6 - Jamie F

## Year 3 Topic



On Tuesday year 3 children were lucky enough to meet Kate who is the Healthy Eating consultant for Waitrose. She spoke to us about what an Eatwell Plate looks like and the appropriate food groups. Children were also able to discuss the food traffic light system and why it is important. They played nutrition related games and tasted various foods. A wonderful learning experience was had by all. A big Thank you to Kate for her time and also Miss Honey and Mrs Meenan for supporting the session.

Mrs Ingate - Year 3 Class Teacher

## Year 6 Visit to the Memorial Gardens



This half term, Year 6 are learning about both World War I and World War II in our 'Fallen Fields' and 'Child's War' themes. On Tuesday, as part of our learning, we visited the Garden of Remembrance. We found out more about the memorials themselves and discovered the names of the soldiers we are researching, many of whom attended our school. All the children were so respectful during this visit and a real credit to the school and their parents.

Mrs McCormack - Year 6 Class Teacher

## Remembrance Event

Friday 9th November



## Reception Class Christmas Play Tickets

Performance on Monday 3rd December 10.00am

Tickets go on sale for the Reception Class Christmas Play on Monday 19th November. Tickets cost £2.00 each and can be purchased from the School Office. Please note that tickets are limited to 4 per family.



## Safeguarding Update

### **Keeping Safe Online**

'Be curious and ask your children to talk about, or better still, show you, the services they are using and why they love them. Starting the conversation is key, both to help ensure that children know how to stay safe and respect others online, but also so they turn to you if someone or something online is making them feel uncomfortable.' - Will Gardner CEO - Childnet International.

Thinking of buying something technological for Christmas presents e.g mobile phone, tablet. Go to [internetmatters.org](http://internetmatters.org) and find out what restriction controls you can put in place. Under the tab 'controls' you will find step by step instructions to set controls on popular devices.

## Year 1 "Dough Disco"



# Bric 'a' Brac For Christmas Fair

We need donations of any new unopened toiletries, games etc for the bric 'a' brac tombola for our Christmas fair.

Please leave in box in the school office reception.

Thank you FOSP

