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Collective Worship

We will be focussing our Collective Worship on the school values of Wisdom, Hope, Community and Dignity this term. We have started with Wisdom and have looked at how wise people use knowledge and previous experience to make wise decisions. I was incredibly pleased when Cedd was sent to see me for showing great wisdom on the playground. Collective Worship is being conducted as a whole school event in the hall and we are very lucky to have regular visits from Father Huw and Rev Sarah to deliver worship.

Nasal Flu Forms

If you haven't already done so, please return the form if you want your child to have the flu vaccination. The nurses will only be able to administer to pupils who have a fully completed form in school.

Individual Photos

The photographer is in school next Wednesday for individual photos. Therefore, could all children wear school uniform to school even if it is your child's PE day. Thank you!

Homework

As previously mentioned, homework will start next week. We have taken the decision to make the timing of homework consistent across the whole school. Homework in every year group will be set on a Friday and will be due in the following Thursday. The first date that homework will be set is Friday 17th September.

Trips, Visits and Enrichment

Class teachers are reviewing our current provision of class trips, visits and enrichment. They will be planning some new opportunities this year. We are aware that these trips do place additional cost on to parents. If you ever need support with this, please do get in contact. We always want every child to experience these important enrichment activities.

Meet the Teacher

A reminder of the upcoming 'Meet the Teacher' dates. They will take place at 9.15 on the following days:

Year 6 – Friday 17th September

Year 5 – Friday 24th September

Year 4 – Friday 1st October

Please avoid bringing younger siblings to these meetings if at all possible. Thank you.

Sporting Success

We are very pleased that Luca D-S in Year 6 has been chosen to be part of the Dacorum District Football Squad for 2021-22 following a series of trials throughout the summer. Luca is only the 3rd Bishop Wood pupil to achieve this in the last 20+ years! He will now play for Dacorum against other district teams within Herts and beyond. Congratulations and good luck, Luca!

Celebration

This week we celebrated the following pupils in school:

3R – Fin M and Layla-Mai T

3F – Francesca R and Liam R

4H – Charlie C and Anya R

5DR – Jasper Y and Luke S

5C – Oscar E and Erin W

6M – Gene M and Jasmine B

6I – Tom M and Francesca L

Outside Honours

Luca DS, Ben V, Theo K, Sam M, Charlie C, Lucas K and Harry M – Tring Tornadoes



Evie T and Olivia C – Sapphire Gymnastics
 Poppy D and Amelia W – Tring Park CC
 Isabella DM - Sports Fever Dance
 Ella H and Lottie TS – Tring Tornadoes Netball Club
 Quinn P – IOW Gem Digging
 Sam C – Cycling around Silverstone
 Olivia AC – Acting Grade 3 – Distinction
 Sophie C – Acting Grade 1 - Distinction

Around School

Year 3 have started a unit of work on the Stone Age and have enjoyed learning about hunter gatherers. Year 4 have been studying the book 'Zeraffa Giraffa' and have been completing various English activities including letter writing. Year 5 have started their first Zones of Regulations lesson which is a scheme designed to support self-regulation and emotional wellbeing. Year 6 have enjoyed learning about the circulatory system.

Diary Dates

Please find below a list of key dates for the Autumn Term. We will add to this as we progress through the school year.

Friday 17 th September at 9.15	Year 6 Meet the Teacher
Friday 24 th September at 9.15	Year 5 Meet the Teacher
Saturday 25 th September	Buddies Event
Friday 1 st October at 9.15	Year 4 Meet the Teacher
Thursday 14 th October	Nasal Flu Vaccinations
Friday October 15 th at 2pm	Harvest Festival at St Peter and St Paul
Week Beginning 18 th October	Fun Fit and Fruity Week
Friday 22 nd October	Finish for Half Term at 3.30
Week Beginning 15 th November	Parents' Consultation Meetings (TBC)
Wednesday 24 th November at 2pm	Music Celebration
Friday 26 th November	School closed – Occasional Day
Monday 29 th November	School closed – INSET Day
Wednesday 8 th December	Whole School trip to the Panto!
Wednesday 15 th December	Pupil Christmas Lunch
Tuesday 21 st December at 9.30	Whole school Collective Worship at St Peter and St Paul
Tuesday 21 st December	School closes at 1.30pm

Thank you and best wishes

Mr Stanley