



e-news @ Leigh & Bransford

Friday 17th September 2021

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Mr Bill, Thank you! – Thank you to the local 1st Leigh Brownies for donating the amazing scarecrows highlighting the 30pmh speed limit. We are very pleased to be involved in this initiative.

Mrs Beeching, Dress as an Adjective Day - *****THIS WEDNESDAY, PLEASE DE DO NOT FORGET TO DRESS YOUR CHILD UP AS THEIR FAVOURITE ADJECTIVE WITH A LABEL AS PART OF THE COSTUME INDICATING WHAT ADJECTIVE THEY ARE! ***** This will take place on Wednesday 22nd September and the children can dress up as any adjective. Some examples of ideas could be 'sleepy' where the children dress in their pyjamas, 'sparkly' where they dress with everything sparkly or 'strong' where they could dress in army clothes etc. The children will also need to attach a label to themselves indicating their chosen adjective. When the children come to school, they will share their adjective with the class and be encouraged to complete a piece of writing containing their adjective. Maybe you could share some ideas for their writing with them at home. There will be lots more writing-based activities to engage with throughout the year so watch this space for more information!

Writing Award – If your child won a writing certificate this week, please come into Reception where their piece of work is on display for you to see.

Class photos – THURSDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER - Put it in your diaries

Attendance - This year we will begin to implement our attendance policy that can be found on our website. Attendance will be monitored half-termly and letters will be sent to you to share your child's attendance record. If your child's attendance falls below the threshold set in the policy, you will be contacted by school to discuss this. In Merit Assembly on a Friday, the children will be told the class with the highest attendance and that class will receive a class certificate, a sticker and an extra 5 minutes playtime. At the end of each half term children with high attendance will be given a certificate and a sticker to bring home. Please help us to keep our attendance great.

Fundraising, Nephi Attree – *****PLEASE DONATE***** There is a fundraiser for our school conducted by Nephi who is the Dad of one of our children in Class 2. He is doing an insane 26.2 mile loaded march over the Malvern Hills with a 55lb loaded backpack on the 25th September 2021. Please donate to this amazing endurance task using the following link or the QR Code located on class doors. Good Luck Nephi!! <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/leighbransford>

Morrisons, Good to Grow – Morrisons are running a campaign called "It's good to grow"; we have registered and are awaiting our registration details. We will share these with you as soon as we have them. For each £10 a customer spends in store, they will receive one Grow Token, which they can donate to their chosen school (Leigh & Bransford please!) This applies between Monday 6th September and Sunday 24th October. Customers must have a My Morrisons Card that they collate the tokens on then proceed to go online to donate to the chosen school. From Monday 1st November, schools will then be able to order items from the list provided which include....

Garden tools, Protection, Propagation and growing, seed kits, watering and irrigation, raised beds, general equipment and compost.

Anthisan Sting/Bite cream – Currently we have to call a parent/carer when we need to administer this to a child, this wastes time especially when a child is in discomfort. Please can you contact the office and let them know if you DO NOT want this administered any time in the future, so we can act faster when administering First Aid when required.

The Friends, Celebrate reading at our Book Fair! – With over 200 hundred new children's books to choose from, and with prices starting from only £2.99. Come and join us Friday 24th September – Wednesday 29th September after school in the hall from 3:15pm – 4pm each day! Cash and card payments accepted. Don't forget, every book you buy helps to get free books for our school library!

*****Activity Dates for your Diary*****

22nd September - Dress as an adjective day

13th October – Harvest Assembly – In school

3rd November – Wellbeing Day.

10th November - Maths Day.

12th November - Children in Need – – non uniform donate a £1

6th December - Dress Rehearsal – Christmas Play

7th and 8th December Yr2/3 - PM Christmas

9th and 10th December FS/Yr1 - PM Christmas

13th December Year 4, 5, 6 Christmas Church Service 6pm (TBC)

*****Term Dates for your Diary*****

Autumn term – Monday 6th September 2021– Friday 17th December 2021

Autumn mid-term - Friday 22nd October 2021 – Monday 1st November 2021

Christmas Holiday – Friday 17th December 2021 – Wednesday 5th January 2022

Spring term – Wednesday 5th January 2022 – Friday 8th April 2022

Spring mid-term – Friday 18th February 2022 - Tuesday 1st March 2022

Easter – Friday 8th April 2022 – Monday 25th April 2022

Summer Term – Monday 25th April 2022 – Thursday 21st July 2022

Summer mid-term – Friday 27th May 2022 – Monday 6th June 2022

*****Bank Holidays*****

Good Friday - Friday 15th April 2022

Platinum Jubilee Holiday – Friday 3rd June 2022

Easter Monday – Monday 18th April 2022

Additional Bank Holiday – Friday 22nd July 2022 (Please see

Whitsun Bank Holiday – Thursday 2nd June 2022

amended Summer Term end date)

*****TED Days 2021-2022*****

Tuesday 4th January 2022

Monday 28th February 2022

Monday 27th June 2022

Celebrating our Successes and Achievements

Class 1

Sidonie - Writers Award - for neatly forming letters

Lawson - Maths Award - for super maths and number formation

Amelia - Brave Briony - for being confident with her spellings and making a super effort

Phoebe - Brave Briony - for trying hard in all of her work.

Class 2

Maisy - Beatrix Potter award - for excellent creative writing and improving her handwriting.

Dylan - Alan Turin award- for place value understanding and maths talk.

Monty - Marie Curie award- for curiosity and discussion when testing structures

Isla - Brave Briony - for putting herself forward for school council and being voted in

Class 3

Molly Smith - Writer of the week

Charlie - Mathematician of the week

Freya Davis - Rosa Parks Historian of the week.

Class 4

Teo – Writers Award - Award – For writing independently.

Henry – Maths Award – Great explanations in maths lessons.

Alanna – Brave Briony – Showing great bravery this week.

Class 5

Luca – Brave Briony - For perseverance in all areas.

Jay-Jay – Brave Briony - For a 'can do' attitude and having a growth mind set

Max W –Brave Briony - For determination in all learning

Skylar – Writer of the week

Alice – Mathematician of the week for great problem solving

George & Harry - For excellent effort in French

Class 6

Jessica - Writer of the week - Fantastic story writing

Issy – Maths Award - Brilliant problem solving

Bethany – Brave Briony - Being brave when attempting tricky questions.

Weekly Attendance Class Certificates

Every week we will do our top three classes, the children will receive a sticker and 5 minutes extra break as a reward.

This week in first place - Class 2, second place class 1 and 3rd place class 5