



Britannia Community Primary School

5th November – Autumn

STARS OF THE WEEK

Reception - Teddy C

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Year 3 - Fin B

Year 4 - Oli B-H

Year 5 - Kai M

Year 6 - James H

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Dear Parents/Guardians

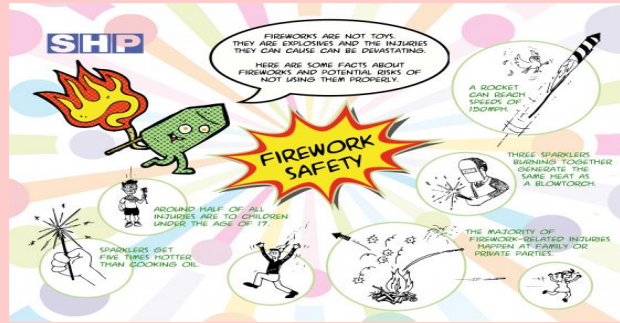
I do hope you all had a lovely holiday and that those of you who were brave enough to face the weather on Halloween enjoyed yourselves. This week, the temperature has dropped and there has been a chill in the air at playtimes. If you are like me, then your heating will have gone on now at home as well! Please ensure that children are dressed appropriately for the weather as we do try to ensure that children do get access to the outdoors as often as they can. This week in school, the children have been busy learning about Diwali and Bonfire night amongst other things. Ask your child to tell you about what they have been doing in class - they might even teach you something that you didn't know! In my assembly on Tuesday, many children knew about Bonfire Night but many of them did not remember the reason behind it and I told them all about my own childhood making a Guy Fawkes for the Bonfire. Those of you on the KS2 yard in a morning will have seen me quizzing the children about new learning to help it to stick in their memories. Talking about learning is the best way to help children remember.

Many children are going to bonfire events this weekend and we have talked about how they can keep themselves and others safe by making sure they stay with their adults and away from danger. Children have also told me about how we should also look after our pets on this night as they can become very frightened as well. If you are attending a bonfire, I hope you have a safe and enjoyable time and I look forward to the children sharing their experiences next week.

Have a lovely weekend. Stay safe!

Mrs Longstaff

BONFIRE SAFETY



The children have been learning about keeping safe at bonfire events this weekend. We hope you all have a lovely time and that everyone returns to school safe and sound on Monday.

Remembrance Day



We are once again supporting the Royal British Legion with their Poppy Appeal. Poppies are available for a donation and Year 6 children will be selling them from Monday 8th November 2021

Once again other items are available for children to purchase.

Zip Pull – 50p

Reflector- 50p

Wristbands- £1

Snap Band- £1.50

Children will be able to wear their poppies in school and take the additional items home once they have been purchased. The Year 4 children will be leading a Remembrance assembly for the school on the 12th November and the children will all be learning about different aspects of remembrance throughout the day on the 11th. This work will then be displayed on our whole school display board.

Coming Up Soon:

ROSSENDALE HOSPICE PENNY PINCHING BOXES

Thank you to all those who donated to the Rossendale Hospice. It has been gratefully received.

FUN WITH MATHS – RECEPTION & YEAR 1

Thank you to all the parents who attended the fun with maths workshops. We hope it gave you some ideas to support your child's learning further at home.

CHILDREN IN NEED

On **Friday 12th November**, children may come into school wearing their own clothes for a cash donation.

YEAR 4 CLASS ASSEMBLY

Year 4 will be leading an assembly for the whole school on **Friday 12th November** at 9 a.m. Parents of the Year 4 children may attend and doors will open for parents at 8.55 a.m.

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK (15th – 19th November 2021)

The theme this year is '**One Kind Word**'. Children will take part in a range of activities throughout the week and some classes will take part in an exciting virtual reality workshop on **Tuesday 16th November**. To celebrate the end of this week, children will be able to come into school in wacky clothes on the **19th November** for a cost of £1.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The school photographer will be in school on **Wednesday 17th November** to take individual and sibling photographs. Any orders received will be ready for Christmas.

YEAR 6 BIKEABILITY

Please ensure that your letters are all returned regarding Bikeability. The children will need their bikes and helmets in school from **22nd - 24th November**. Children will need to ensure that they are dressed appropriately for the weather.

Extra-Curricular Clubs Autumn 2

MONDAY – Year 3 & 4 Running Club Year 3 (3.25pm-4.10pm), Year 5 & 6 Table Tennis (3.30pm-4.30pm)

TUESDAY – Year 5 and 6 Lego Club (3.30-4.15pm)

WEDNESDAY- Year 3 & 4 Reading Club (12.15-12.45pm)

WEDNESDAY- Year 5 & 6 Football Club (3.25pm-4.25pm), Year 5 & 6 Running Club (3.25pm-4.10pm), Year 5 & 6 Badminton (3.30pm-4.30pm), Lego club Year 3 and 4 (3.30-4.15pm)

THURSDAY – Junior choir (12.15-12.45pm), Newspaper Club (3.25pm-4.25pm), Year 1 & 2 Running Club (3.25pm-4.00pm), KS1 art club (3.30-4.15pm)



You will have been notified if your child has been selected for a club above after school.