



# Weekly Bulletin

15<sup>th</sup> November 2019

## Sports Class



## of the week

### Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Rhianna and Jacob
Blake	Ifigeneia and Jack-Finn
Donaldson	Ann and Nicole
Dahl	Yvaine and Stanley
Morpurgo	Maaha and Seth
Kipling	Mae and Annabelle
Rowling	Aidan and Marwa
Rosen	Edith and Sienna

### Class Shield Winners:



[Whole School Attendance, Year so far...](#)  
95.4%

### Attendance and Lates this week...

	Browne	Blake	Donaldson	Dahl	Morpurgo	Kipling	Rowling	Rosen
Attendance	96%	94%	97%	93%	92%	94%	96%	96%
Lates	2	1	1	4	1	0	3	7

Well done Donaldson Class!

### This Week In School...

**Year 3** – have continued and completed their newspaper reports on the IVJS “intruder”. The children were amazing detectives and found lots of clues to help them discover who this mysterious “intruder” could be... You will have to ask Year 3 which famous person it could be! In Maths, they have been exploring measures.

**Year 4** – have been trying to persuade people to recycle their plastic in a leaflet for their English project. In Maths, they have been using communicative and distribution law to help us solve multiplication problems. In Humanities, they have used their research skills to find out about different African countries. In Science, they have been looking at how low and high pitch is created. In Computing, they have been discussing how we can protect our computers against malware.

**Year 5** – have been reading the story of *Odysseus and The Cyclops*, continuing the theme of ancient Greeks. In Art, they are beginning to design their own Greek pots whilst learning about the ancient Greeks in History. Phew! That’s a lot of information... I must admit, it’s all Greek to me.

**Year 6** – have been finalising and publishing their newspaper reports about Kester's escape (linked to the book, *The Last Wild*) in English. The children have also started their new Humanities topic about South America and their new RE topic, Rites of Passage. They have started Guided Reading groups where they will be looking at the techniques required in order to make them more fluent readers and to improve their comprehension skills.

### School Texts/Communication

If you have the Teacher2Parents app to receive our school notifications, please remember to keep your alerts on so you don't miss any messages from us!

Thank you.

### Parent Consultation Evenings

Thank you to everyone who attended our Parents' Evenings this week. For anyone who was unable to make it this week or who has yet to arrange an appointment, please contact either the school reception or speak to the class teacher to arrange a suitable time to meet.

**Watch Out – Nits About!**  
Please remember to check your child's hair!

Don't forget we are a NUT FREE school as we have children who have allergies!  
(let's leave them for the squirrels)



*School Pledge: 'I pledge to do all that I can, so that we can all learn and be happy at school.'*



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Iver Village Junior School

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Believe. Achieve. Succeed Together.



Date	Event
21 <sup>st</sup> Nov	British Values Day
22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov	Non-Uniform Day for FISA Donation
28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<a href="#">Kipling Class Assembly.</a> <a href="#">Parents welcome from 9am</a>
30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	FISA Xmas Fayre
3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec	Yr4 Xmas Production, from 1.30pm
4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Yr4 Xmas Production, from 6pm
10 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Yr6 Heights and Weights Day
11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Xmas Dinner Day
13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Xmas Jumper Day
13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	FISA Disco, from 6.30pm
19 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Last Day of Term, 1.45pm



## Children In Need

Today was Children in Need day!

The school took the opportunity to have a non-uniform day to raise money for Children in Need. Between pupils and staff, we raise a grand total of £148!

We have been in the spirit all week as we were incredibly lucky to have a visit on Tuesday from none other than Pudsey Bear himself! He (and his assistant) joined us in assembly to go through exactly what the charity does, who they raise money for and where our donated pennies go!



## We Need You!

We are looking for a new Parent Governor to join our Governing Board!

If you have any questions or would like to put yourself forward or nominate someone for the role, please feel free to come in and speak to Miss Digweed for more details on the role.

We will also be sending a letter out with details next week so keep your eyes peeled! Thank you.

## Football Update - IHJS vs IVJS!

On Wednesday, a mixture of the Year 5 and 6 football teams played a league fixture against Iver Heath. IVJS kept the ball well and created many promising opportunities in the opening exchanges and it took the first IVJS goal from Myles to settle the team down. IVJS continued to keep the ball well but Iver Heath looked dangerous on the counter attack, if it wasn't for some smart stops from Teddy and solid defending from Alex, Iver Heath could have found themselves level. IVJS then scored two brilliant quick fire goals and were comfortably 3-0 up at half time. In the second half IVJS dominated the ball and started to really show their quality! More goals came in the second half for IVJS and they ended up winning 7-0! The footballers who played really showed their talents and all of them really should be proud of their performance! There were some quite incredible passing movements and running with the ball! Well done to the Man of the Match; Myles, well deserved with two superb goals!

## Interhouse Benchball

On Thursday, the whole school competed in their assigned houses in a Benchball tournament. All our teachers and LSAs joined in the fun as each team fought to earn points for their house to become the Benchball Champions 2019. In Year 3, Ealing and Elstree got off to flying starts, however Shepperton caught up in Year 4. After Year 5 had their turn, it became a two horse race between Ealing (who won last year) and Elstree (who have never won an inter house event). It all came down to the final game in Year 6 between Ealing and Elstree, a real 'winner takes all game' with the teams being only one point apart. Elstree beat Ealing in the last game by one point crowning them Benchball Champions 2019! Well done to all children who competed so brilliantly throughout the day!

### P4C - Question of the Week

How many bricks is a wall?

-Year 6

Letters/Blogs out this week:

[FISA Xmas Fayre and Donation Request](#)

Copies of school letters are available

on our website

[www.ivervillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk](http://www.ivervillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk)



Don't forget to book Bluebells and Early Birds online. Go to <https://goo.gl/forms/JuZsG7Q42u7JKg1D3> or via our website.



Each Bluebell booking will cost a minimum of £2. You will be charged for any Bluebells Club your child is booked into but does not attend unless the school have been informed beforehand (or due to illness). Please also note, although we are able in most circumstances to book children in at the last minute to Bluebells, **we do require parents to inform us.** Any children left in our care after school hours will incur an extra £2 non-booking fee on top of their club fees. We will charge late fees of £5 per 15 minutes after 6pm.