



# Weekly Bulletin

13<sup>th</sup> December 2019

## Sports Class



## of the week

Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Alicia and Aoife
Blake	Jake and Andrew
Donaldson	Lennon and Jack
Dahl	Sophie and Boland
Morpurgo	Grace and Mason
Kipling	Isabel and Zac
Rowling	Alex and Myles
Rosen	Scarlett and Finlay

Class Shield Winners:



[Whole School Attendance, Year so far...](#)  
94.7%

### Attendance and Lates this week...

	Browne	Blake	Donaldson	Dahl	Morpurgo	Kipling	Rowling	Rosen
Attendance	84%	92%	78%	77%	90%	87%	93%	87%
Lates	5	2	5	4	1	2	3	11

Well done Rowling Class!

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

### This Week In School...

**Year 3** – have busy writing an informal letter to the Iron Man asking for his help to protect our school. In Maths, they have worked hard solving word problems involving capacity. They have also completed end of term assessments to show all their learning this term. Well done to all year 3s for an excellent first term with IVJS!

**Year 4** – have been busy writing an adventure narrative about the journey of a plastic bag around the world. In Maths, they've looked at factor pairs and integer scaling. They even made cereal boxes in DT for their packaging project.

**Year 5** – have been starting to write a newspaper article on Odysseus' arrival home after his long journey. They have also been writing leaflets on all the information they have learnt about materials over the term! Their Greek clay pots are looking amazing and just need the finishing touches now!

**Year 6** – have been working hard doing mock SATs in Grammar, Spelling, Reading and Maths to show us their fantastic learning so far. In English they have been writing a diary entry from the perspective of a varmint, linked to their book 'Varmints' and in Science they have been exploring the characteristics of micro-organisms.

### Last Day Of Term Reminder!

Due to the Infant School finishing early on the last day of the Autumn term – **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December** – we will now be **finishing at 1.45pm** to allow parents with younger children an easier pick up for the day.

We start back on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January at 8.45am. Merry Christmas!

### Call For Mad Scientists!

The fantastic Mad Science group are hosting their Mad Science Club here after the half term! To find out more or to book your place in the club, [click here!](#)

### Carol Concert

Our Year 3s, along with the school choir, performed at the Carol Concert on Wednesday night this week at the beautiful St Peter's Church in the Village. Year 3 retold the story of the Nativity wonderfully and all the staff are very proud of everyone involved. Thank you to the choir for loaning their beautiful voices to the performance and we hope everyone enjoyed this year's concert.

Merry Christmas!

*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
13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	FISA Disco, from 6.30pm
19 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Last Day of Term, 1.45pm finish.
7 <sup>th</sup> Jan	First Day of Term
17 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Dahl Swimming Starts

## Christmas Jumper Day!

Thank you to everyone who donated to Save The Children for today's Christmas Jumper Day! So far, we have raised a total of £140.50 so far and had a very festive feeling day while we were at it!

## IVJS School Choir On Tour!

Our Lower School Choir travelled to the corporate offices at Heathrow Airport on Tuesday this week to spread some Christmas cheer to the hard workers at the airport. All our choir then joined the Year 3s at the Carol Concert on Wednesday evening and then the Upper School Choir visited the Pinewood Hotel on Thursday to perform for the Rotary Club's Annual Lunch and then to Sunnyside Nursing Home on Friday Morning to entertain the lovely residents there. What a busy week! Thank you to all our fantastic singers for reminding so many people of the joy of the festive season, all in one week!



### Ivertastics!

Well done to;

Paul, Ronnie F and Daisy O

### P4C - Question of the Week

If you only didn't do naughty things so that Santa gave you presents, are you really nice?

-Year 6

Letters/Blogs out this week:

Girls Football

Copies of school letters are available

on our website

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

## Girls Football Is Back!

Our friends over at POW will be back after Christmas with their Girls Football Club. Starting on 15<sup>th</sup> January and running on Wednesdays from 3.15pm to 4.15pm, For full details; [Click here!](#)

## This Week's Staffie Award!

This week's 'Staffie' was given to the teacher of the week, Mr Matthams for stepping in to do PE and covering PPA – Life Saver!



## Table Tennis Tournament

This week, IVJS hosted their annual Table Tennis tournament! IVJS fielded their own team and were joined by teams from Stoke Poges and St Mary's. The tournament was run throughout the school day which meant that IVJS used their new Sports Leaders to referee and score the competition! IVJS played well, winning every game that they played in, winning the tournament with Stoke Poges coming in second and St Mary's in third. Well done to all children who took part in the tournament and a huge well done to the Sports Leaders who did a great job under pressure! Well done to Isha who also went home with the Respect award!



Don't forget to book Bluebells and Early Birds online. Go to <https://goo.gl/forms/IuZsG7Q42u7JKg1D3> 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.