



# Weekly Bulletin

22<sup>nd</sup> November 2019

## Sports Class



## of the week

### Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Jamie and Emma
Blake	Albie and Cameron
Donaldson	Ryley and Christian
Dahl	Holly and Reece
Morpurgo	Mason and Maryam
Kipling	Liam and Anielia
Rowling	Lacey E and Mokshau
Rosen	Pavleen and Joules

### 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	92%	94%	99%	91%	94%	98%	96%	95%
Lates	8	3	6	5	2	6	9	5

*Well done Donaldson Class!*

### This Week In School...

**Year 3** – have begun to look at how to find the perimeter of both regular and irregular shapes in Maths and have started writing diary entries from the perspective of the Iron Man in English. They have also had a lovely morning yesterday for British Values Day learning all about the law in relation to wildlife.

**Year 4** – have been very bossy, they've been learning all about imperative verbs in preparation for writing instructions. In Maths, they have been putting their times tables to the test by solving multiplication calculations using both the expanded and compact method. For British Values morning, they focused on the Protection of Badgers Act 1992. Did you know they live in setts which they pass on to generation after generation?

**Year 5** – have been retelling a chapter in the story of Odysseus in English and have been looking at dividing by 10, 100 and 1000 in different contexts in Maths. PSHE has taught them a lot about road safety and they have also been finding out all about hedgehog habitats for British Values Day!

**Year 6** – have started working on their new Power of reading book, Varmints in English. Following their recent newspaper report writing, the children have identified aspects of the features and success criteria that they did not achieve and are now aiming to achieve these in a new newspaper report, this time linked to the new book. In Maths, they have been learning how to add and subtract fractions and mixed numbers; and in PSHE the children have been finding out about basic first aid and what they can do in an emergency.

### Parent Coffee Afternoon!

Thank you to everyone who joined us last week for our Parent Coffee Afternoon! Led by Miss Short, we had a lovely chat with some of our parents discussing their feedback on the pupil reports that are sent out by teachers throughout the year. The feedback we received was genuinely helpful and very productive and we can't wait to start going through all your ideas, developing our current processes and feeding back to you all, the changes we will be implementing thanks to your suggestions.

**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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## Well Done JRSOs (and all of IVJS really...)

Congratulations to our Junior Road Safety Officers who collected two awards this month!

Our school was invited to the Buckinghamshire County Council (BCC) Offices in Aylesbury to collect the Modeshift Stars Gold Award. This is a national School Travel Award, supported by the Department of Transport. Our school has been working towards moving up from Bronze to Silver however, due to all our amazing initiatives including: using Travel Tracker daily, our Walk to School fun day and Clean Air Activities, our school was awarded Gold Level!

While the JRSO's were at the County Offices, they gave a presentation to BCC Officials and other schools to encourage them and pass on ideas as to how to complete their journey to Modeshift Stars Gold Level.

Buckinghamshire County Council were so impressed with our Gold submission that they entered our school into the Buckinghamshire Star Awards and IVJS won Primary School of the Year!



Date	Event
28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<a href="#">Kipling Class Assembly, Parents welcome from 9am</a>
30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	FISA Xmas Fayre – 12.30pm to 3.30pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec	<a href="#">Yr4 Xmas Production, from 1.30pm</a>
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

## Sports Leaders, Assemble!

Next week, the new Sports Leaders will start their jobs and their training. This year, IVJS want to use the leaders to run their own Interhouse tournament for school, referee and umpire the Table Tennis Tournament which IVJS host (and hold a personal best in by the way) for the Year 2 children who are coming to IVJS in September! Well done to Victoria, Amelia, Sonia, Thomas, Mason, Alby, Jake, Oliver and Ritvik who have been appointed Sports Leaders for 2019 - 2020.

## Football Update – IVJS vs St Nicolas

On Thursday, IVJS played a home match in the league against St Nicolas, Taplow. This was IVJS's fourth game in the League with IVJS boasting a record of two wins and a draw going into the game.

IVJS started brightly, with multiple shots on goal but struggled to find the break through. St Nicolas weathered the early storm by IVJS and by the end of the first half, had their own moments threatening to score. At half time the score was 0-0. The second half started with St Nicolas scoring an early goal against the run of play. IVJS responded almost instantly from a free kick, crossed in beautifully by Connor, which ended up in the bottom corner. IVJS then conceded a penalty which was brilliantly dispatched by St Nicholas. IVJS found themselves 2-1 down with six minutes to play. IVJS then set up camp in St Nicolas' half and eventually Connor sliced the ball home to make it 2-2. With limited time left IVJS, continued to push for a winner and eventually, with a minute left on the clock, Ronnie slotted the ball smartly into the bottom corner giving IVJS a deserved but dramatic, 3-2 victory. Well done to all players but especially to man of the match, Connor!

### Ivertastics!

Well done to;  
Lola and Miles

### P4C - Question of the Week

Can you touch a rainbow?  
-Year 4

Letters/Blogs out this week:

[Parent Governor Election](#)

[Year 4 Production Ticket Info](#)

Copies of school letters are available on our website

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.