



Weekly Bulletin

23rd November 2018

Sports Class



of the week

Brainiacs of the Week:

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| Browne | Harvey and Willow |
| Blake | Kobi-Jack and MacKenzie |
| Donaldson | Tyler and Asma |
| Dahl | Annabelle and Elliott |
| Morpurgo | Lacey H and Daniel |
| Kipling | Lilly and John H |
| Rowling | Mysha and Leon |
| Rosen | Jake and Isabella |

Donaldson
26.5/30

Whole School Attendance,
Year so far...
96.7%

Attendance and Lates this week...

| | Browne | Blake | Donaldson | Dahl | Morpurgo | Kipling | Rowling | Rosen |
|------------|--------|-------|-----------|------|----------|---------|---------|-------|
| Attendance | 96% | 95% | 97% | 95% | 92% | 95% | 98% | 99% |
| Lates | 2 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 2 |

Well done Rosen Class!

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have been very busy today cooking! There are some amazing smells coming from the lower school kitchen... They have also been writing diary entries as Hogarth (one of the characters from The Iron Man) in English and been continuing to practise the formal method of division in Maths, now that is a busy week!

Year 4 – have been working on a script in order to produce a News programme based around their text this term, 'Varjak Paw'. In Maths, they have been working on short division and will be using their scaling skills to help them with the correct amount of ingredients for when they bake their healthy carrot muffins for the Family Maths Games Night.

Year 5 – have explored soluble and insoluble materials by doing an experiment to see how they could separate various materials from water. They also jumped headfirst into multiplication and continued to take their journey through Ancient Greece! They took a little trip to Italy, as they used their garden tomatoes to make mini pizzas.

Year 6 – have been learning about the features of and writing play scripts. In Maths, they have continued learning about fractions and in Science, the children have been looking at micro-organisms. They also enjoyed baking broccoli and cauliflower bites as part of our Healthy Eating project this year.

IVJS Nominated For The Sports Primary School of the Year 2018!

Last night, Mr Hawkes and our Senior Leadership Team were invited to a Sports Awards Evening as IVJS were nominated for The Sports Primary School of the Year 2018!

There were 120 nominations from Buckinghamshire and Milton Keynes and we were ranked in the top 3! Although we didn't win first place, being nominated for such a prestigious accolade is an incredible achievement so we would like to thank Mr Hawkes for all his hard work throughout the school year, every year making us not only one of the best schools in terms of sports, but also one of the most fun to be in!



Family Maths Games Night!

We can't wait to see everyone this evening for our Family Maths Games Night! The children have been busy cooking some fantastic treats to snack on with the games!

[RSVP via our school website or click here!](#)

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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| Date | Event |
|----------------------|---|
| 23 rd Nov | Family Maths Games Night, from 6pm |
| 26 th Nov | Years 3, 4 and 5 Flu Vaccinations |
| 29 th Nov | Morpurgo Class Assembly, 9am |
| 1 st Dec | FISA Christmas Fair at IVJS, 12-3pm |
| 4 th Dec | Years 3 and 4 Christmas Production, from 1.30pm |
| 5 th Dec | Years 3 and 4 Christmas Production, from 6.30pm |
| 12 th Dec | Christmas Lunch |
| 13 th Dec | Carol Concert, from 6pm |
| 14 th Dec | Christmas Jumper Day |

Christmas Lunches

Don't forget to order you child's Christmas lunch for 12th December!

[Don't worry if you haven't got the letter, you can still order until Friday 30th November by clicking here!](#)

Please complete the form even if your child is bringing a packed lunch that day so we can make sure every child is accounted for.

Interhouse Benchball!

This week, all IVJS students took part in Interhouse Benchball! After a full on day in which each class participated for 30 minutes, contributing to an overall total. In the end, it was a draw between Shepperton and Ealing for third place and Elstree and Pinewood for first place! What a tight contest! Year 6 will be competing again today to see if we can get an overall winner! Well done to all who participated!



Lower School Production Tickets

We have sent out the link for Lower School Production tickets. We are offering 1 ticket for the Year 3 parents and 3 tickets for Year 4 parents for each performance.

This is due to the capacity of our hall and we would like to make sure that each year, the children acting are able to bring as many family members as possible. This will be the same next year when our current Year 3s are the stars!

[Click here for the details.](#)

School Crossing Patroller

This week, our wonderful crossing patroller has been away so we hope everyone has been extra safe, taking even more care than normal when crossing the roads!

The council has asked us if any of you lovely people would like the role of Relief Crossing Patroller to provide cover holidays.

If you are interesting in the role or would like more information, please email Georgina Longley at Bucks County Council on glongley@buckscc.gov.uk

Parking Safety

Please remember to keep safe when parking at the front of the school for both pick up and drop offs. We understand the parking is limited at the front of the school and in the rec ground however our staff car park WILL be locked after school but the gates will still be in use so please keep the gates clear to prevent accidents or damage to vehicles.

Goodbye Standby!

This week, as part of Switch Off Month, the Eco-Council presented an assembly to encourage us to save energy and money!

Apart from reminding us to save energy by switching off lights, the focus was on *Goodbye Standby*, making sure we all remember that leaving TVs and games consoles on standby uses energy and is a waste of money, it all adds up!

Join us, save, switch off and say goodbye to standby!

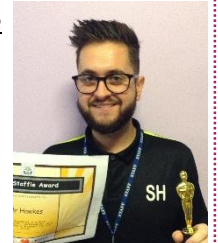
Lunchboxes and Lost Property

We would like to remind everyone that there is a box outside the school reception for left lunchboxes and lost property.

Please remember lunchboxes at the end of the day!

This Week's Staffie Award!

This week's 'Staffie' was given to the teacher of the week, Mr Hawkes for everything!



Ivertastics!

Well done to; Isabella and Teegan!

P4C - Question of What is friendship?

Letters/Blogs out this week:

[Maths Games Night](#)
[Lower School Production Tickets](#)

Copies of school letters are available on our website 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 has 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.

