



Iver Village Junior School

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Weekly Bulletin

26th January 2018

Sports Class



Morpurgo!

Brainiacs of the Week:

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| Browne | Jake and Oliver |
| Blake | Angel and Pritvi |
| Donaldson | Ronnell and Dheya |
| Dahl | Alex and Ayaan |
| Morpurgo | James and Seb |
| Kipling | Johnny |
| Rowling | Elise and Sam |
| Rosen | Jesse and Ervin |

Class Shield Winners:



Whole School Attendance, Year so far...
94.6%

Attendance and Lates this week...

| | Browne | Blake | Donaldson | Dahl | Morpurgo | Kipling | Rowling | Rosen |
|------------|--------|-------|-----------|------|----------|---------|---------|-------|
| Attendance | 97% | 96% | 99% | 96% | 96% | 92% | 98% | 96% |
| Lates | 8 | 3 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 7 |

Well done Donaldson Class!

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have finished their adventure stories and have worked really hard with fractions, finding fractions of numbers!

Year 4 – have begun to write letters to major supermarkets to persuade them to recycle plastic and to reduce their amount of waste. They are focussing on persuasive language and rhetorical questions. In Maths, they have begun learning about area of shapes.

Year 5 – have completed their informal letter based on the book 'The Song from Somewhere Else'. They have had a resilient attitude when it came to adding and subtracting fractions with different denominators. In Science, they learnt about Galileo and how air resistance can be tested. They conducted their own experiment with air resistance; which material would make the perfect parachute. In History, they are learning about ancient Greek battles that included the Athenians and Spartans.

Year 6 – have been working really hard to conclude their non-chronological report on red foxes. They have been really focused on this and are producing some interesting reports. The children were very lucky to receive a visit from our Chair of Governors, Mark Vinall, who presented an informative and enjoyable afternoon about our legal system. As a practicing solicitor and barrister, he was able to give them a great insight into the legal system and we were impressed with the questions and answers the children gave.

Jackie Marchant Comes To Iver!

On Monday, we had an incredible afternoon where we met a local author called Jackie Marchant. Jackie is the writer the fantastically hilarious series 'Dougal Daley'. Her books were so popular that she sold out! Fortunately, she ordered more which were received by the children today. Happy reading everyone!



Holiday Clubs!

We have the dates for the rest of the holiday clubs for the academic year. The dates are; Spring Half Term – Mon 12th to Wed 14th February
Easter Holidays – Mon 9th to Fri 13th April
Summer Half Term – Tues 29th to Thurs 31st May

The booking form is available online for each of the holiday clubs, head to our website to book!

<https://www.iver-village-jun.bucks.sch.uk/holiday-club.html>

Artists of the Week!

Browne – Victoria
Blake – Maximus
Donaldson – Lean and Scarlett
Rowling – Mahmoud

Please remember to keep an eye out for nits!

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 |
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| 29 th Jan | Take One Picture Week |
| 2 nd Feb | Coffee Afternoon, 2.30pm |
| 6 th Feb | Safer Internet Day |
| 6 th Feb | Safer Internet Workshop For Parents, 2pm |
| 9 th Feb | Friendship Friday! |
| 12 th to 16 th Feb February Half Term | |
| 12 th to 14 th Feb Holiday Club | |
| 19 th Feb | Yrs 5 and 6 Show Racism The Red Card Day |
| 27 th Feb | Parent Consultation Evening, from 3.30pm |
| 1 st Mar | Parent Consultation Evening, from 5pm |
| 2 nd Mar | World Book Day |

P4C - Question of the Week

If you had a different name, would you be a different person?

Ivertastics!

Well done to;

Eshan, Renaey and Millie!

Dahl Class Assembly!

Dahl class assembly performed a fantastic assembly on Thursday based on their class author, Roald Dahl.

The children selected a variety of ways to express and represent various Roald Dahl books, they read extracts from their favourites, performed dramatic plays, sang their favourite songs and even created their own rap to take us on a journey through Roald Dahl's life, full of fascinating facts. Well done Dahl Class!



New Sports Leaders

On Tuesday 23rd January, our new Year 5 sports leaders were trained by a professional leader trainer from Real Leaders. This was an incredible afternoon where the leaders learnt the characteristics of a good leader as well as fun playground games to teach to the younger pupils at IVJS. The leaders had a great afternoon and are now raring to get started on the playground!



ECO Schools Reminder!

Don't forget, we can recycle old ink cartridges, used stamps and dead batteries at the school!

Earwiggers

As part of a peer support scheme, six children have been selected from Year 5 to undergo training to help children on the playground. They began learning about active listening and paraphrasing this week.

Parents' Evenings!

Our Spring Term Parent Consultation Evenings will be after the February half term on Tuesday 28th February from 3.30pm and on Thursday 1st March from 5pm.

We will be using our regular online booking system. If you have any issues logging on, please do not hesitate to contact reception.

Click parent-booking.co.uk/ivervillage to book.

The Dudley Diaries

As many of you know, we have recently recruited another member of staff, one whose sole purpose is to help build the confidence of our pupils when reading (oh, and maybe make us all smile...).

His name is Dudley and he is our Pets as Therapy dog!

He comes in on a Wednesday with his wonderful mum and helps listen to the children read without judgement or interruption.

This week, he also helped Miss Lainsbury out in reception. Now that is a lovely face to see when you walk into the school!

Children do need permission to read with him, to view the permission letter;

[Click Here](#)



This Week's Staffie Award!

This week's 'Staffie' was given to the teacher of the week, Miss Goodman for her amazing efforts with the Reading Gladiators, teaching PE and being Head of Food!



Letters out this week:

Yr6 Trip to Denham Country Park

Reading Newsletter

Copies of school letters are available on our website

www.ivervillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk



You can 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 on top of their club fees. We will charge late fees of £5 per 15 minutes after 6pm.

