

# Iver Village Junior School Believe. Achieve. Succeed Together.

# Weekly Bulletin

27<sup>th</sup> January 2017

# **Sports Class**



## of the week

## Brainiacs of the Week:

Daisy	Lacey and Layla		
Buttercup	Elliese and Holly		
Rose	George and Julia		
Primrose	Suehellen and Ocean		
Daffodil	Calum and Harry		
Snowdrop	Rhiannon and Jake		
Foxglove	Holly and Kerryanne		
Sunflower	Sean and Elijah		

## **Class Shield** Winners:



Whole School Attendance, Year so far... 94.5%

#### Attendance and Lates this week...

	Daisy	Buttercup	Rose	Primrose	Daffodil	Snowdrop	Foxglove	Sunflower
Attendance	90%	94%	92%	94%	88%	91%	93%	<mark>95%</mark>
Lates	7	7	5	4	3	2	0	6

Well Done Sunflower!

### This week in school...

Year 3 – have been writing some excellent descriptions about Icarus. Everyone has grown their brains and really enjoyed Maths time while learning about perimeters. They are excelling in Cracking Maths too!

Year 4 – have been learning about time in maths this week. They have been learning to reading analogue and digital time. In English, they have started writing first person narratives about landing on an alien planet, making it full of suspense!

Year 5 – have been writing recounts of their egg-citing Science Day! They have really focused on adverbial phrases and modal verbs. In Maths, they have continued their learning about fractions, recognising how to add and subtract them.

**Year 6** – have been making wonderful progress in all areas. In Maths, they have been working hard to get better and better in Cracking Maths, the levels are shooting up! In English, they have written a diary detailing a ghost story, spooky!

#### **IVJS February Half Term Holiday Club**

We are still taking bookings for our holiday club!

Please let us know as soon as possible for any bookings, you can call the school reception or book online here;

http://www.ivervillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk/holiday-clubs.html

or click through from our website home page!

We can offer places to the siblings of children within the school however they must be no younger than Infants School age.

We will also require additional details for these children including medical and dietary requirements.

#### **Science Museum Trip**

Year 5 will be heading off to the Science Museum after the half term. For anyone who has yet to return their permission slips and money, please do so by Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January. Thank you.

# Artists of the Week!



#### NSPCC Visit

We are very lucky to have been visited this week again by the lovely ladies at the NSPCC. Years 5 and 6 were treated to a full presentation on childrens' rights as part of their Speak Out, Stay Safe campaign. We have had some great feedback from the pupils and can't wait to get them back for more!

#### FISA Quiz Night

We have re-arranged the FISA Quiz night! Due to the freezing temperatures, FISA are postponing the Quiz Night till after the half term.

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

school.'



Date	Event				
13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb					
Half Term					
20 <sup>th</sup>	Children Back To				
Feb	School				
<b>21</b> <sup>st</sup>	Year 5 Science				
Feb	Museum Trip				
22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	Start of the				
	Scholastic Book				
	Fair				
24 <sup>th</sup>	Internet Safety				
	Workshop For				
Feb	Parents, from				
	1.30pm				
28 <sup>th</sup>	Bag2School				
Feb	Collection				
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Buttercup's Class				
Mar	Assembly, from				
iviar	9am				
	Maths Workshop				
14 <sup>th</sup> Mar	For Parents				
	(multiplication				
	and division with				
	word problems)				
30 <sup>th</sup>	Snowdrop's Class				
Mar	Assembly, from				
iviar	9am				



### Letters out this week:

Terrific Scientific Experiment (Yr 6)

<u>Copies of school letters are</u> <u>available on our website</u> <u>www.ivervillage-jun.bucks.sch</u>.uk

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#### **Primrose Class Assembly**

We got the chance to see a fantastic class assembly this week performed by Primrose Class all about the Ancient Egyptians!

We heard some fascinating facts about who they were and how they lived. For example, Ancient Egyptians believed in God called Happy who lived in the River Nile. When the Nile flooded, they all thanked Happy for bringing fertility to their lands!

We were even treated to a special rendition of *Walk Like An Egyptian* with an amazingly choreographed dance!

Well done Primrose class, we loved the performance and loved learning about the Ancient Egyptians even more!



#### Road Safety - We Need Your Help!

Last Friday we had a coffee morning to discuss the issues of traffic congestion in Iver and the safety of our children outside IVJS. During the next few weeks we are going to be sending home information on how you can help to make our community safer.

To begin with you can help us by:

- Keeping our school gates clear of parked cars
- Park and stride. Park further away from the school so that it is safer outside our school
- Use the Zebra crossing instead of dodging the traffic!
  - Park safely avoid parking up on the kerbs Slow down and drive at 20mph past the Iver schools

You can find out more information and sign the 'Make Iver Safer' petition (run by our parent governor, Miss Nicki Nash here:

https://www.change.org/p/martin-tettmake-iver-safer-outside-the-schoolgates?recruiter=341948511&utm source= share petition&utm medium=copylink





#### **This Week's Staffie Award!**

This week's 'Staffie'
was given to the
teacher of the week,
Mrs Herring for
supporting all of the
teachers and being
incredibly flexible in
hectic times!



#### **School Parking**

Please remember to keep the school gates clear **at all times**, even when the gates are locked.

We have school vans and taxi's use these entrances and exits during drop off and pick up times and we also need a clear path into the school grounds for any emergency vehicles.

Thank you.

#### **Bag2School Is Back**

FISA have arranged another Bag2School collection for Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February.
Bags will be sent out to parents before the half term so everyone will be fully stocked for recycling bags should the need for any half term clear-outs crop up!



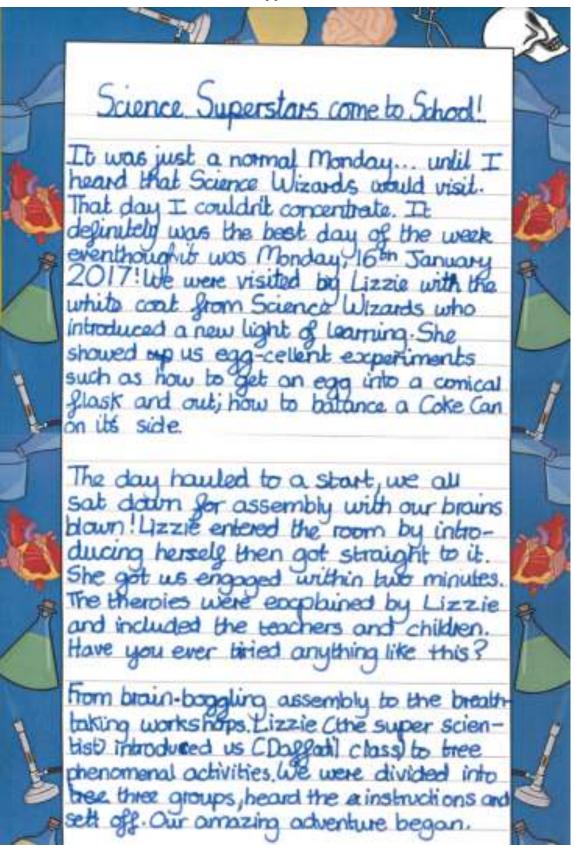
Don't forget we are running our Early Birds Breakfast Club from 7.15am and our Bluebell After School Club till 6pm every school day. We are filling up so don't forget to book soon!



# **Wow Work!**

Each week we will showcase some fantastic work focusing on a particular class. This week, the spotlight is on...

# Daffodíl!



Excerpt from written piece by Ilyana, Year 6