



Weekly Bulletin

7th December 2018

Sports Class



of the week

Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Yvaine
Blake	Nicole and Jim
Donaldson	Mae and Victoria
Dahl	Isabel and Kingston
Morpurgo	Jujhar and Georgie
Kipling	Lola and Archie
Rowling	Harley and Johnny
Rosen	Billy and Tommy

Morpurgo
27/30

Whole School Attendance,
Year so far...
96.6%

Attendance and Lates this week...

	Browne	Blake	Donaldson	Dahl	Morpurgo	Kipling	Rowling	Rosen
Attendance	99%	98%	98%	99%	96%	98%	98%	97%
Lates	3	5	4	0	7	6	2	2

Well done Dahl Class!

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have been learning all about the properties of 2D and 3D shapes in Maths. In English, they have been writing a persuasive letter to the Iron Man, trying to persuade him to help with Space Bat Angel Dragon. Now that's a sentence! They have also had their lovely voices on loan to year 4, providing back up singing for the Year 4 production.

Year 4 – have been retelling the story of Varjak Paw from a different character's (Holly's) perspective and writing it down as a narrative. They have been working hard to use descriptive language to help set the scene and describe the characters. In Maths, they have working on finding the perimeter and area of squares and rectangles. They have also been practising our times tables. They have also had the little task of putting on the Lower School Production of 'The Inn Crowd'.

Year 5 – have been hands on in many of their subject areas! In Science, they went outside and found out about chemical reactions by mixing vinegar and baking soda, and mentos and coke. In Maths, they jumped into long division and even learned a fun rap to help them remember the steps. Finally, they explored Ancient Greece through their very exciting Greek Day which was filled with art, food and fun.

Year 6 – have been undertaking their next round of assessments and we are very proud of the effort they have put in and of their positive attitude towards the tests. In English, the children have started to draft their newspaper reports based on an outbreak of varmints in the UK! They are continuing to learn about South America in Humanities and about micro-organisms in Science.

Christmas Lunch!

Our Christmas Lunch will be on Wednesday 12th December. Pupils will have already pre-ordered their lunches so if your child has opted for a packed lunch, please remember to send your child in with one on the day as they will not be able to order lunch that morning.

Please also make sure that your child's lunch account is not frozen as your child will not be able to have lunch if your account is in arrears.

Last Day Of Term

We would like to remind everybody that school finishes at 3.15pm as normal on the last day of term. There will be no Bluebells club that evening so we will need children to be picked up from their classrooms at the end of the day at 3.15pm.

Book Fair!

The Book Fair is back! The fair will be open until Monday 10th December, after school from 3.15pm and again from 4.15pm after clubs (4pm on Friday).

Come down and have a look, you might find your next book!

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
12 th Dec	Christmas Lunch
13 th Dec	Carol Concert, St Peters Church from 6pm
14 th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day
14 th Dec	FISA Disco, 6.30pm to 8pm
19 th Dec	End of Term Parties
19 th Dec	Last day of Term, 3.15pm
3 rd Jan	Back to School, 8.45am

P4C - Question of

If you could take one thing with you to a desert island, what would it be??

Ivertastics!

Well done to;

Ria B and Zinnia!

Letters/Blogs out this week:

[FISA Xmas Disco](#)
[End of Term Parties](#)
[Carol Concert](#)

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

The Inn Crowd

A huge well done to everyone in Lower School who took part in this year's production! This year, the performance was called 'The Inn Crowd' which told the story of a group of disgruntled animals in a stable watching the people of Bethlehem celebrate Census Day - Merry Census! They were up in arms and paws when they found out that their owner had let the last little square of space in the barn to a pregnant lady... This is starting to sound familiar...

Well done to the Year 4s who performed their roles beautifully and thank you to the Year 3s for helping with the singing!



Year 5 Greek Day

Year 5 celebrated their new topic with 'Greek Day' which was a huge success. They started their journey to Ancient Greece by partaking in some of the popular Greek arts. They made beautiful masks, which they then wore to present their Greek myth theatre. After that, they were hungry for a snack, so everyone tried some Greek delicacies including pita bread, tzatziki, feta cheese and yogurt. They ended the day finishing their art projects - Kipling class made Greek Pots and Morpurgo class made Greek Lyres. The year group had such a wonderful time, thank you to the wonderful Miss Ghedia and Miss Naulls for organising such a wonderful day!



We would like to remind everyone to bring water in their water bottles for the classroom, not juice!

Christmas Jumper Day

Next Friday, IVJS will be celebrating Christmas Jumper Day!

To help raise money for the *Save The Children* Charity, everyone is welcome to come to school in their own clothes and a Christmas jumper for a £1 donation.

Carol Concert

Next week is our Carol Concert! Our choir will be performing alongside some of our fantastic musicians at St Peters Church in the Iver Village High Street.

[We would love to see you all come and join us!](#)

Rights Respecting Schools!

At Iver Village Junior School we want every child to achieve their potential academically but also to grow up to be well rounded individuals and upstanding citizens. One way we try to do this is by providing lots of clubs after school to encourage our children to find their own interests and talents. We want them to be confident, self-assured, motivated and eager to learn new things.

Article 29: Your right to become the best you can be. Education must develop every child's personality, talents & abilities to the full. [Click here for full article.](#)

This Week's Staffie Award!

This week's 'Staffie' was given to the teacher of the week, Miss Rowe for all her hard work with the production and did you see those costumes!



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.

