



# Weekly Bulletin

7<sup>th</sup> June 2019

## Sports Class



All Year 5!

## of the week

### Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Ciara and Cameron
Blake	Alessandra and Eleanor
Donaldson	Victoria and Sasha
Dahl	Tara and Aniela
Morpurgo	Mokshau and Ruhan
Kipling	Holly and Ronnell
Rowling	Tia and Simran
Rosen	Thomas and Thejazi

### Attendance and Lates this week...

	Browne	Blake	Donaldson	Dahl	Morpurgo	Kipling	Rowling	Rosen
Attendance	94%	95%	92%	98%	95%	92%	97%	97%
Lates	2	2	1	1	0	3	0	2

Well done Dahl Class!

### This Week In School...

**Year 3** – have been finishing off their information texts about how the Earth was formed using the knowledge they have picked up in their Science lessons. In Maths, they have been revising statistics and data collection and using the data to create tally charts, bar charts and pictograms. They also spent a lovely day on Thursday at Collings Hanger Farm, learning about farming,

**Year 4** – have been exploring non chronological reports and planning their own report on their chosen animal. In Maths, they have been investigating how to tell time using both the 12 and 24 hour digital clocks and converting these to analogue. In Science, they have begun to explore how to classify organisms into different groups using Venn and Carroll diagrams. In Humanities, they have been learning about the life of a Roman soldier.

**Year 5** – have re-capped their knowledge on multiples and factors and are ready to move on to measurements. In English, they have begun their new book: The Princess' Blankets and are writing a new ending to their fantasy themed story.

**Year 6** – have again been working hard on their writing and have been finishing and publishing their Dragon Slayer stories. The children have continued learning about the Mayan Civilization in Humanities by researching everyday life within the Mayan community. They also had a great day on Thursday when they had a DT Day linked to their new topic, Global Food.

## Please Help - Your School Needs You!

We would like to "Spring Clean" our school grounds on **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June, 10am to 1pm**



We need your help with:

Cutting back, Painting planters, Weeding, Sweeping and clearing, Rubbish removal to the Tip!

Children are welcome but must be accompanied by an adult. Refreshments including bacon rolls will be provided! So let us know at Reception if you can come along, even for a short time, to help improve your child's learning environment.

**Remember many hands make light work!**

Please bring gloves and gardening tools if you have them as we only have a limited supply, thank you.

Class Shield  
Winners:



Whole School  
Attendance,  
Year so far...  
95.7%

**Please remember to check your children's hair 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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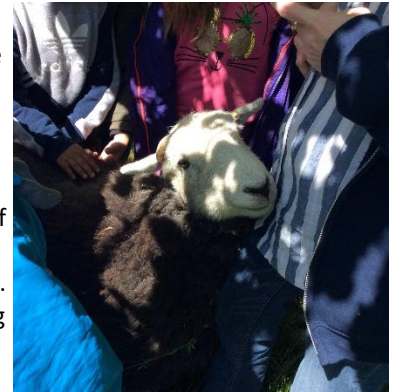
## Year 3 Trip to Collings Hanger Farm

On Thursday, our Year 3 classes set off for the lovely Collings Hanger Farm in Prestwood. They spent the day learning about farming and why it is important to keep the animals well treated. Year 3 got to meet some very cute pigs, saw some fantastic cows and met the friendliest sheep anyone had ever met, Timmy! We are all convinced Timmy thought he was a puppy instead of a sheep himself!

The children also got to learn out the types of crops the farm grow and took a walking tour through the herb garden via the grape vines!

The children also got to learn about how wheat is milled into flour (and just how hard it is to turn a manual mill!) which led them to a fantastic use for all that flour, Pizza!

Year 3 got to push out their own dough, topping their pizzas of with their own toppings which made a great addition to their lunches, especially after running up all those hills all morning... The day finished up with the children making bookmarks using the flowers they found in the fields, we had some very beautiful creations!



Date	Event
8 <sup>th</sup> Jun	<a href="#">TLC Day, 10am to 1pm</a>
11 <sup>th</sup> Jun	<a href="#">11+ Meeting for Y5 Parents, 6.30pm</a>
14 <sup>th</sup> Jun	<a href="#">Food Roadshow!</a>
19 <sup>th</sup> Jun	Sports Day!
21 <sup>st</sup> Jun	Summer Fair at Iver Village Infants, from 3pm
26 <sup>th</sup> Jun	<a href="#">SRE Meeting for Yr6 parents, 6pm</a>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Jul	School Transition Day
4 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Year 3 Assembly

### Battery Recycling!

We have had our first battery collection this week and cannot believe that have recycled 52.5kg of batteries! That's a lot of batteries that will not be clogging up landfill sites! Well done to everyone who has helped so far but remember, we have to keep going!

### Hats Hats Hats!

Don't forget to send your child in with a hat for break and lunch time when the sun finally decides to shine again!

### Ivertastics!

Well done to; Victoria, Emily H, Elliott, Alby and Thejazi!

### P4C - Question of the Week

Is it ever possible to learn everything?

### LS Tennis Tournament

On Wednesday, seven lower school children competed in a Tennis tournament held at Burnham Tennis Club. IVJS competed against six other schools from around Bucks and did so with tremendous determination and teamwork.

IVJS played against Gerrards Cross, St Mary's of Beaconsfield and Butlers Court to name just a few of the schools. There were some stand out performances with Willow winning three of her four games!

In the end IVJS finished joint fourth, with Elliot picking up the Determination Award! Well done to all the tennis players, what a fun afternoon!



### Year 6 DT Day

On Thursday, children in Year 6 spent the day focusing on DT as part of this half term's DT topic: Global Food. During the day they took part in activities which allowed them to discuss and find out about ingredients from different parts of the world; learn about what makes a healthy and balanced diet and the nutritional values of food; and learning about rice as a staple food, including how to cook rice. There was even an opportunity for some maths to take place when the children did an activity linked to portion sizes, plus reading and understanding labels giving nutritional values on foods. As well as these activities, the children all had the opportunity to learn and apply a range of cooking skills and techniques as they made three Mexican dishes: Salsa, Guacamole and Quesadillas which they were then able to eat and evaluate at the end of the day. Later on this term we hope to focus on a different country as part of the topic.

Letters/Blogs out this week:

[Y6 DT Letter](#)

[Food Roadshow Letter](#)

*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.