

Headteacher's Bulletin

Dear Parents,

I hope you had a restful half term break and are refreshed for the second half of autumn.

As you are aware, we use our social media feeds to promote the work we do with the children and as an additional way for you to keep in touch with what your children are learning. Could I politely request that parents do not use the pictures that we upload on their own social media feeds as we have gained specific permission from families for their school use only.

Thank you for your support.

Matt Hickey

Headteacher



Autumn Diary Dates



YR 5 Parent Meeting for PGL 2020

Thurs 14th November 3.20 - 3.45pm

Maths Workshops 3.30-4.30pm

Years 1 & 2 – Tues 19th November

Years 3 & 4 – Tues 26th November

Years 5 & 6 – Wed 27th November

F2 – Thursday 28th November

FOH Winter Fair

Saturday 7th December

Nativities

Wednesday 11th December

FS 9.15-9.45am, KS1 9.45-10.30am

Thursday 12th December

FS 1.45-2.15pm, KS1 2.15-3.00pm

Friday 13th December

FS 9.15-9.45am, KS1 9.45-10.30am

Last day of Autumn term

Friday 20th December at 1.30pm –

no After School Club on this day

Inset Day – School closed

Monday 6th January 2020

First day of Spring term

Tuesday 7th January 2020

Year 3 STONE AGE Day

Year 3A visited Reading Blue Coat School this week for some great outdoor learning. We built fires to keep warm, and shelters from natural materials to



protect us from the elements. Everyone had a fantastic time while we learned how a prehistoric person would have survived in the wild. Class 3W are looking forward to their turn next week!

Pudsey is coming to Highwood!



Children in Need's Pudsey Bear will be visiting us on Wednesday! We are now selling Pudsey products to help raise funds for this important cause, or, if you wish, you can make a donation on Wednesday. All the money we raise from donations and products sold will be given to the Children in Need charity.

SPLAT! dates

We look forward to seeing you at our SPLAT sessions on the following dates:

F1 – Wed 20th Nov

F2 – Wed 20th Nov

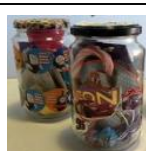
KS1 – Tues 19th Nov

Lower KS2 – Tues 26th Nov

Upper KS2 – Wed 27th Nov



Preparations are well underway for the Winter Fair, which will be on Saturday 7th December. The winner of the poster competition will soon be announced, and the Jolly Jam Jar competition has begun!



Please fill an empty jam jar with small toys, sweets, stationery or bubbles and bring it into class by **27th November**. The class that donates the most jars will win a prize! There will also be non-uniform days on Fridays 15th and 29th November in exchange for donations. The Winter Fair is a great event, and it would not be possible without the hard work of the FOH. If you are able to help in any way please contact them.

Email: foh@highwood.wokingham.sch.uk Follow us at @HighwoodFOH.

Book Fair!

Thank you to everyone who visited the Book Fair. We raised a record amount this year, and have earned enough rewards to buy £845 worth of books for the school! Fantastic!



Bag2School

Don't forget to bring in any Bag2School donations by 9.00am on Wednesday 27th November.

Thank you!

Christmas Lunch date

The school Christmas lunch will be on Wednesday 4th December and you will soon be receiving your order and payment envelopes. Please remember that children from Reception to Year 2 do not need to pay.

