



FRIDAY FLYER

18th October 2019

MPA Moment of the week:

The children had a fantastic time at Thorpe Woodlands, pushing themselves out of their comfort zone and completing two of the '11 Before 11' activities: sleeping under the stars and messing about on the water (as seen in the picture!).



What's happening the week after Half Term:

28th October

Children return to school.

w/b 28th October

Marvellous Middle Small Blue – Visit from Firefighter/Paramedic

31st October

Individual School Photos. There will be an opportunity for pre-school siblings to have photos before school 8.30 – 9.10am.

No Street Dance on 31st October 2019.

1st November

Girls Wildcat Football 2.00 – 3.00pm. Children must have shin pads.

PTA Halloween Disco - All year groups. Tickets on sale in playground after school each day.

Messages from staff:

Small Blue Phonic Workshop

Thank you to all the parents of Small Blues who attended the phonics workshop this morning. Phonics is a really important part of developing confident reader and writers and we hope we have deepened your understanding of how we deliver it at Martlesham.

Scatterball Tournament

'That was fun and I'm proud to be here' - these were Jasmine T.'s thoughts after the Scatterball Tournament on Wednesday at Sprites Primary Academy in Ipswich. Teams of 10 children from Holly Blues and Adonis Blues played short matches against teams from 5 other REAch2 schools, earning points for throwing, kicking and hitting balls as far as they could then running around a square pitch. All children were presented with certificates for taking part and the Adonis Blues team were thrilled to be given medals for coming 3rd in the KS2 tournament.

School Flu Immunisation Programme

The Flu Immunisation Team will be returning on Monday 4th November to administer flu vaccinations. If your child did not receive their immunisation yesterday and you would like them to, please consent on line using the following link

<https://tinyurl.com/y4lxtw9q> This portal will close on 28th OCTOBER 2019.

Reading at Home

We encourage parents to read at home a minimum of three times a week. Please write a short comment in the reading diary. After Half Term there will be new home readers. This is thanks to the PTA and their fundraising.

Parent Consultation

You will be able to book an appointment to see your child's class teacher after the Half Term break.

Dance Workshop Friday 8th November

Letters have been given to children in Years 1-6 regarding the Dance Workshop. Please return your reply slips to Miss Hudson if your child is interested in taking part.

UPCOMING DATES

4th November

Flu Immunisation Programme

6th November

Parent/Teacher Consultation 3.30 - 7.00pm

7th November

Holly Blues Educational Visit to Colchester Zoo

8th November

Dance Workshop

11th November

Anti-Bullying Week

12th November

Parent/Teacher Consultation 3.30 - 5.00pm

15th November

Children in Need and House Penny Challenge Spotty Clothes £1 donation.

20th November

West Stow Anglo-Saxon Educational Trip – Adonis Blues.

4th December

Home Learning Due Date for Years 1-6

5th December

Holly Blues visit from Blue Cross

5th December

Martlesham Community Carol Concert

6th December

Parent/Child Christmas Decoration Afternoon @ 1.45pm. All parents welcome.

SPORTS FIXTURES

31st October

Football away match v Britannia (leaving school at 3.15pm)

Parents required to organize transport of children. Thank you.