

FRIDAY FLYER

4 November 2022

Moment of the Week:

For their Marvellous Middle Silver Studded Blues experienced being a poor Tudor. They cooked pottage, a mixture of oats, vegetables, stock and herbs. They tried it with bread and most children thoroughly enjoyed it, even asking for seconds! Thank you to Mrs Nicholls and Mrs Swale for supporting the class.



Messages from Staff:

Ed Shed Champions This Week

	Spelling	Maths	
School Champion	Esther	Jack GS	
SSB Champion	Ava B	Fabio	
CHB Champion	Esther	Jack GS	
ADB Champion	Jeremiah	Jeremiah	
Years 1 & 2 Champion	Oscar	Orlagh	

House Points

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	802	865	786	796

Small Blues Morning Routine

From next week the EYFS team will meet the children in the classroom. The children are all settled now and know the morning routine. Of course, if your child is having a wobble then we will radio for a member of Small Blues staff to come and meet them.

Poppies

We are asking the children to decorate a poppy to bring into school on Wednesday 10 November. The poppies will be used to make a war memorial for Remembrance Day in the hall. We are asking for the children to decorate / colour their poppy at home. We will share images on our school Twitter page.

Marvellous Middles

Holly Blues enjoyed creating their very own toy museum. They created their own optical illusion toys and wrote interesting facts about their toys. They then enjoyed sharing their museum with Silver Studded Blues, and solving the riddles set by Holly Blues.

Adonis Blues have started by designing and creating their own Stone Age weapons using papier-mâché. We will share the final creations next week.

 $\textbf{Chalk Hill Blues} \ \text{learnt about Boudicca, the Queen of the Iceni Tribe.} \ \text{We made our own}$

weapons and shields, from cardboard, based on real Iceni and Roman designs. We then recreated the battle.

Small Blues have their Marvellous Middle planned for Monday 7 November.

Library

Holly Blues and Silver Studded Blues had a successful library session this week and all children now have a book to read for pleasure. A reminder Small Blues, Adonis Blues and Chalk Hill Blues need to return their books on Tuesday.

House Challenges

The House and Vice House Captains have been busy deciding the house challenges. Next week there will be an obstacle race, with a harder course being set for KS2. Week commencing 12 November we will running challenges linked to Children in Need and will share these on next week's Friday Flyer.

Eco Club Lunch

This week Eco Club welcomed DJ Spall Recycling Limited into school for lunch to thank them for all their hard work and support in getting the community garden established. They proudly displayed their badges the children made for them. We are now busy getting ready for the Grand Opening on Thursday 17 November, when Cathie Paine, REAch2 Chief Executive will be visiting us.

Parents Evening

It was great to see so many parents visit the school to meet with teachers and discuss how the children have settled and the progress they are making. Across the school 89% of parents attended the consultations. We would like this to be 100% but understand evenings can be difficult for families.

Home Learning

As you know we set one piece of dedicated home learning each half term. The quality of home learning this time was very high. It was also great to hear how much families enjoyed the mini projects. Across the school 89% of the children completed their home learning task. We look forward to seeing what the children complete in December.

Next Week

All Week

Menu Week 3 Monday Silver Studded Blues PE. Years 3, 4 and 5 Guitar. **Tuesday** Holly Blues PE. Library Session - Week 1. Wednesday Adonis Blues PE. Thursday Chalk Hill Blues PE. Small Blues Outdoor Learnina. Friday Small Blues PE. Gardening Club.

Upcoming Dates

Week commencing 14
November
Anti-Bullying Week
14 November
Odd Sock Day
15 November
EYFS Parent Phonics
Workshop @ 9.00am
18 November
Children in Need - Non
Uniform. The them is
Spotacular.

Sporting Fixtures

16 November
Football @ Home vs St
Mary's
16 November
Football @ Pipers Vale
23 November
Football @ St John's