



FRIDAY FLYER

8 November 2024

w/c 11 November

Moment of the Week:

For Chalk Hill Blues Marvellous Middle, the children created their very own Viking longship with their own Viking shields to decorate in anticipation of their Longshed trip. They even set the sail ready for an adventure along the sea! The children loved collaborating and making this together.



Celebration Assembly

Archie	Small Blues	For being resilient in his phonics learning and not giving up when he finds a word hard to blend.
Edie	Holly Blues	For showing resilience in maths and learning the 10 x tables.
Hollie	Adonis Blues	For always showing the learning powers and being a super role model.
Beau	Chalk Hill Blues	For her resilient attitude towards her writing since coming back from half term.
Hazel	Royal Blues	For always following the learning powers and being Bigger, Better, Braver!
Benjhie	Silver Studded Blues	For always showing the learning powers and being a fantastic role model.
Oakley	Kindness Award	For always collaborating and being kind. Nominated by a Year 6 child.
Ivy	Sporting Star	For showing all of the learning powers, especially resilience.
Oscar	School Ed Shed Spelling Champion	
Hiroki	School Ed Shed Maths Champion	

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	1413	1422	1151	1426

Attendance 21 - 25 October

Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Chalk Hill Blues	Royal Blues	Silver Studded Blues	Whole School
96.36%	98.97%	89.23%	92.11%	96.00%	96.67%	96.84%

Holly Blues will receive a reward for having the highest attendance before half term. Well done.

Remembrance Day - 11 November

On Monday, we are inviting children to come to school in their Beaver/Cub/Rainbow/Brownie (all organisations) uniforms as a mark of respect. We will have a morning assembly and observe a two minute silence at 11.00am.

Breakfast Club/After School Club

We are really pleased with this provision at school and the children get to do a range of fun activities. We are seeing improved numbers but if a couple more children were to attend then this would support the provision. If you would like to know more about using this service please talk to Miss Churchman.

Anti Bullying Week

The theme this year is 'Choose Respect'. Each day the children will complete an activity in class. On Monday 11 November the children are invited to wear odd socks and celebrate their uniqueness.

Children In Need - Friday 15 November

School Council have planned the event. They are inviting children to wear something spotty. This could be a top or a pair of pyjamas. We ask for a donation for the charity. These will be collected at the gate. In the afternoon the children will be off timetable and complete fun Pudsey activities. There will be a colouring competition and a prize will be awarded for each class. We hope to raise money to help children and families who really need it.

Parent Council

We are meeting for the first time this year on Thursday 21 November. This is a positive group where parents share 2 positives and one area to develop. I have also asked parent councillors to feedback what is working well with the new morning routine and what could be improved. Mrs Harper the DDOE for Cluster 6 will be attending the meeting. The reason for this is REAch2 will visit all schools to develop parent councils.

Chalk Hill Blues Wilder Schools

Chalk Hill Blues will be having a Wilder School Day on Wednesday 13 November. Children will need to wear forest school clothes on this day. Please ensure they have suitable footwear for outdoors.

Marvellous Middles

Adonis Blues created cave paintings of their everyday lives and also made Stonehenge from biscuits. They enjoyed all activities but especially eating the biscuits after! **Silver Studded Blues** learnt about the Terracotta Army and created their own versions of these figures, including warriors and a horse. They enjoyed using the clay and developed their sculpting skills in the process - a wonderful day! **Small Blues, Holly Blues** and **Royal Blues** will be completing their Marvellous Middles soon.

ECO Club

We have again registered to take part in November's 'Cut your Carbon' which is a scheme by the National Eco Schools Association. To take part, the children need to bring home a sheet, make small changes and record them. Please do not worry if you cannot complete all tasks - completing any is a positive result. The number of children taking part will give us points towards our next Green Flag application.

Gardening Club

I would also like to share the amazing news that MPA have won £1000 worth of gardening vouchers from a competition entered last minute in July. Garden Club had finished for the term so Eco Council kindly stepped in, did the design and build of an Eco Friendly Garden. I am a very proud Eco Lead! Mrs Garrod-Spall.

Menu Week 1

Anti-Bullying Week - "Choose Respect".

Monday

Odd Sock Day.
Remembrance Assembly.
Guitar Lessons.
Royal Blues PE.

Tuesday

Whole School Immunisation Programme.
Small Blues PE.
Holly Blues PE.
Library Session Week 1 - Small Blues, Holly Blues and Adonis Blues.

Wednesday

EYFS Parent Phonics Workshop 9.00-10.30am.
Small Blues Forest School.
Chalk Hill Blues Wilder School.

Adonis Blues PE.

Silver Studded Blues PE.

Thursday

Chalk Hill Blues PE.
Holly Blues Forest School.

Friday

Children in Need - "We're There for You".
Wear Something Spotty.
Chalk Hill Blues PE - Short Session.

Upcoming Dates

19 November

SEND Parent Coffee
Afternoon @ 2.30pm.

20 November

Chalk Hill Blues
Educational Visit to The Longshed.

6 December

PTFA Donation for Raffle/
Non-Uniform.