

**ONE KIND WORD**

Anti-bullying Week 2021

MPS News

FRIDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2021

We started the week in odd socks to raise awareness about anti-bullying. We've been so proud of how grown up the pupils have been when discussing bullying and what our school Anti-Bullying policy should include in it. We've then ended the week raising money for Children in Need by enjoying a non-uniform day and purchasing Pudsey biscuits! Special thanks to Mrs Foster for making the biscuits for us. We've managed to raise £70 for this worthy cause. Well done everyone!

Show and Tell

Cobie, Jayden and Olivia C brought in their pet dog, Bella for Show and Tell today. It was so lovely to hear all about her. Many thanks to Mrs Cross for bringing her in for us all to see.



On Tuesday, we had our PSHE morning where pupils across school took part in virtual workshops focussed on supporting their well-being and personal development. We use SCARF for our PSHE curriculum and believe that well-being and pupils' personal development is a crucial part of our school ethos and values.

The Burrow Class took part in a workshop called 'Happy Healthy Me!' The focus was for children to: identify and name a range of feelings; recognise how others might be feeling by reading body language/facial expressions; learn and practise calming, relaxation techniques.

The Hive Class took part in a workshop called 'What makes me Me!' The focus was for children to: identify personal strengths, skills, achievements and interests; how these contribute to a sense of self-worth; think about and understand personal identity; what contributes to who we are (e.g. ethnicity, family, gender, faith, culture, hobbies, likes/dislikes); develop problem-solving strategies for dealing with emotions, challenges and change, including the transition to a new school; consider and understand reasons for following and complying with regulations and restrictions (including age restrictions); how these promote personal safety and wellbeing in relation to social media, television programmes, films, games and online gaming. All the pupils were fully engaged and a credit to our school.

Monday 22 November

Just another day!

Tuesday 23 November

PE for Class 2 The Hive

Full Governing Body Meeting (3.30pm)

Wednesday 24 November

Mattersey Munchkins Playgroup (2pm)

Generation Pound After School Club (3.15-4.15pm)

Thursday 25 November

Lunchtime Football Club with Kixx

Whole school Kixx/PE in the afternoon

Friday 26 November

PE for Class 1 The Burrow

Class 2 The Hive— Orienteering Course

Future Dates:

Wednesday 8 December: Nativity Performance PM

Monday 13 December: Whole School Panto Trip 'Aladdin'

Tuesday 14 December: Christmas Jumper and Lunch Day

Wednesday 15 December: singing at Lound Hall Nursing Home

Thursday 16 December: Christmas Church Service

Friday 17 December: Break up for Christmas holiday—*please note school will close at 1pm today*

Tuesday 4 January: Start of the Spring term

Friday 11 February: Break up for the February half term

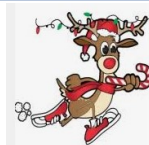
Monday 21 February: Inset Day

Friday 1 April: Break up for the Easter holiday

Don't forget to regularly check Class Dojo and our website calendar for updates and more detail of



Jingle Jog



Y3/4 had a fabulous time at Sherwood Pines this week with Miss Cheyette, Mrs Hunter and Mrs Tasker. Well done to Holly, Cobie, Jayden, Jacob, Zach, Freddie and Leelan for completing the 3k course.



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