

Naphill and Walters Ash School Newsletter November 2019

Key Dates

29/11/19 – Christmas
Jumper day, bring
Tombola prize
30/11/19 – Christmas
Fayre, 11.30 – 2.30
2/12/19 – Yr R trip to
Shortenills
9/12/19 – Beauty and the
Beast panto (at school)
12/12/19 – Yr R/KS1
Nativity 2.15
13/12/19 – Yr R/Nativity
9.30

Year 6 News

Our Year 6s have been busy; they organised a Children In Need assembly for the whole school and ran the dance events on Friday with great enthusiasm.

Two pupils represented the school at the Village Remembrance Service on Sunday 10th November. Padre Chrissie, from the RAF, came in and took the school Remembrance assembly.

Our Yr 6 tag rugby team won their tournament; it was a close event they finished with the same points as Bledlow Ridge but scored more tries.

More School News

It has not just been Yr 6 that have been off competing at tournaments, Year 4 Tag Rugby took a team of 14 and everyone played at least 2 games. We won 3, drew one and drew overall, so it went to try differences. We ended up with silver medals, which we were really pleased with. The team scored lots of tries, pulled lots of tags and worked superbly as a team. We (including adults) enjoyed the team spirit, and energy and enthusiasm of our team.

Yr 3 visited the Wycombe Museum and had a good time, (learning about local history is a key part of the National Curriculum). They went on a town trail to find out more about High Wycombe. They also learnt about Bodgers and Bottomers, who made Windsor chairs and took part in role play, dressing up, looking at artefacts and a tour of the museum itself. They learnt a lot!

Yr 1 made a model village following their visit to Bekonscot and walk around our village. They displayed it in the hall just before half-term for parents to see.

Well done to everyone who learnt their poems over half term. We will be having an assembly in the next week or so to hear some of them.











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Parking

There have been a couple of incidents recently of poor parking and of people showing a lack of consideration towards other parents and children. I am no longer surprised when I get the pictures of people parking right in front of the school gates or up on the pavement just outside the Reception entrance. We work so hard with the children on being considerate and respectful, so let's, as adults, also model this behaviour.

Parking on the corner of Kilnwood and Main Road is dangerous and not in The Highway Code states: 'You must not park opposite or within 10 metres (32 feet) of a junction, except in an authorised parking space.' 10 metres is the width of most swimming pools if you aren't sure.

Staff News

After a period of absence Mrs Childs has decided to leave Naphill and Walters Ash School. Mrs Childs has worked at Naphill since September 2001 and we would like to thank her for her dedication to the school. We wish her all the best for the future.

Uniform

Coats - these are items of clothing that can keep children warm and dry. As the weather is cold and frequently wet your child will need one!

Your child may wear boots to school but they will need to change in to their normal school shoes on arrival.

NOTICE BOARD

Reception and KS1 Lunches

We will be sending out new forms for lunches towards the end of this term. We are throwing away about 20 sandwiches a day, so 100 a week! This is due to children coming in with their own lunches, having ordered a school one. We are looking to reduce this food waste.

WANSA News

Keep an eye out for updates from WANSA about the Christmas Fair. It is nearly time to find those Xmas jumpers!

WANSA have paid for the panto 'Beauty and the Beast' which we will be watching in December. They have also paid for our IT suite to have new hardware installed.