

Friday 26th November 2021 Autumn Term Issue II

NEWSLETTER

St John's Highbury Vale C. of E. Primary School

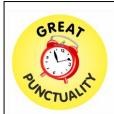
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The class with the best attendance at 98.0 % was





The class with the best punctuality last week and with I children late all week was



Football League Match



On Tuesday, footballers from Year 5 & 6 travelled to Whittington park for another league match against Tufnell Park Primary School. The Boys started slowly but quickly took control and finished the game with a 3-I win. Two goals from Floyd and one from Ed. The girls lost their game against a strong Tufnell Park side but we take home lots of positives and their determination and resilience has been outstanding!



After school childcare is from 3:30pm until 6pm

Kidz Club costs £9 per day. (3.30 pm onwards)

There is no KidzClub on 16th and 17th December.

St John's prayer group meeting Next Friday 3rd December

At 2.40-3.15pm in Maberley hall All welcome! For more details please contact Kirsty Hannah or Anna Sharp



Together we raised £204.04 for Children in Need

We are finishing at 1.30 pm on Friday 17th December.







This is an appeal for the following for our Christmas Fair:

- 1) Prizes for the tombola (beauty gifts, wine, kids' toys etc)
- 2) Donate kids' Christmas Jumpers (helping to get you ready for Xmas jumper day on 10th Dec!)

3) Shop bought mince pies

Please bring what you can & drop in the box in the playground (under the shelter in bad weather)

We look forward to seeing you at the Christmas Fair Saturday 4 Dec 1-3pm a fun community event with kids' activities, raffle, refreshments & lots more.

Reception

Reception class have been making 6. We counted out 6 multilink from a basket and arranged them into different shapes. We then spoke about what numbers we could see in each model, referring back to how many we had altogether. Once we had shared ideas, we tried to group the models, talking about ones that looked similar, focusing on the shapes.



Year 1

Last Friday, Year I had a great time in a workshop exploring old toys. This was an introduction to their learning in history lessons. They looked at different types of toys, what they were made from and how they worked.

Year I also en joyed focusing on 'One Kind Word' which was the theme for Ant bullying Week. They made a large banner with words and pictures about how we can be kind to each other.



Year 2

In Year 2, we have been learning about Remembrance. We made our own poppy wreaths and had our own service to commemorate those that fought in the many wars throughout history.



Year 3

Last Friday, Year 3 made some lovely American food with Judy. We made biscuits, pumpkin pie and cornbread muffins. We then tried all of the different foods and decided if we liked them or not. We did this because we have been learning about contrasting localities and comparing America with the UK. This week we also had our class assembly to show what we have been learning about in Year 3 this term. We did an amazing job of letting the school know all about our English, PSHE, French, RE and geography learning.



Year 4

Last Friday, we had the pleasure of being coached by some of the Middlesex Cricket players. We learnt how to bat, bowl and field. It was so much fun!





Year 5

This week, we have been using our artistic skills in collaboration with our geography lessons. The children have been learning about the features of a river (upper course, middle course and lower course). They have sculpted and drawn masterpieces with their bare hands. Great job Year 5!

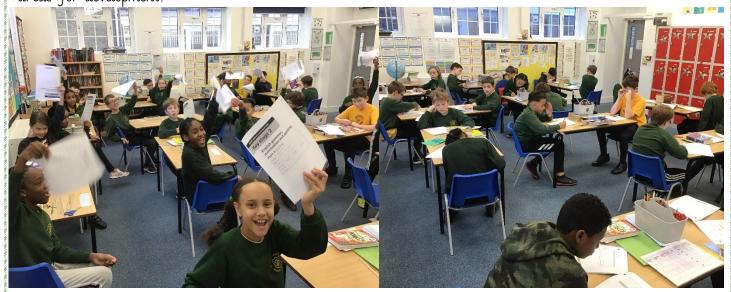






Year 6

As this was our assessment, we had the opportunity to show how far we've come with our learning. We had English (Writing, Reading and SPAG) and Maths (Arithmetic and Reasoning) tests to show how much we have learnt and what we need to do to improve. We already went over some of the questions and identified areas for development.





The school nurse is going to be running a coffee morning and drop in clinic.

On Tuesday 14th December in Mayberly Hall. 8:45 - 9:30 for the coffee morning 9:30 -12: open appointments if needed

We will have a presentation on sleep followed by parent's questions.

Parents can also have the opportunity to refer themselves to the service, if further support is required.



The Metropolitan Police Christmas Tree Appeal 2021

This year is the 10th anniversary of the Metropolitan Police Christmas Tree Appeal.

We have nearly 17,000 children (aged from birth to 17 years old) to provide a gift for. These children come from many different backgrounds and many are living in poverty.

In the last 10 years, we have provided, with the generosity of

Londoners, over 116,000 presents to children living in care, living in refuges or who are child carers.

Please donate a gift this year to a child who may otherwise not receive a gift https://givergy.uk/christmastreeappeal2021/?controller=home

Help a child have a better Christmas