



Autumn Term - Newsletter 2



How quickly time flies:
where did Term 1 go?

Some wonderful news during the holiday. Mrs. MacLennan has had a (not so) little boy - Eric Toby 8lbs 12. Mum and baby are home and doing well.

Thank you so much to all of you for your generosity last term in supporting our charity work, with Send a Cow, Macmillan and Storehouse. We hope that you will feel able to support our annual Shoebox Appeal by filling a shoebox with gifts. Thank you to all the parents who have already taken a shoebox from

school: the deadline for returning them is Monday November 14th.

Finally, for all our current Year 6 children, it's that time of year when you need to have completed your application for a secondary school place. The deadline for this was today Monday, October 31st. If you have a sibling who will be joining us next September you still have time to get your application in. The deadline for this is a couple of months away. Don't miss it: January 15th 2017!

Mrs. Harnden

SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

Congratulations to our new set of School Council members who are beginning to plan for the year ahead.

Year 6: Chair: Lily Greenhough

Secretary: Dolly Kombate

Year 5: Ella King

Seb Gaunt

Year 4: Isaac Jones

Olivia Abbott

Year 3: Grace Wornham

Harry Dunn

Year 2: Eve Rickard

Seth Brown

Year 1: Ruby Wickes

Zach Mason

BIKE IT CREW

Our Bike it Crew, consisting of Ava, Lucy, Toby and Max will be leading our work with Sustrans this year. Watch out for Bike it events that we will be planning over the forthcoming months!

SPORTS AMBASSADORS

Lizzie and Toby H have been elected as our Sports Leaders and they will be representing our school across the Collaborative.

YOUTH PARLIAMENT

Polly and William have been elected as our Year 6 Youth Parliament representatives. Exciting things are being planned for our children to be involved in across Trowbridge this year so watch this space for details!

GET SET SPORTING NEWS

The sporting year has started well with four victories, one draw and one defeat in the football league. As a result we finish 2nd in the league (only on goal difference) to Holbrook. We had some strong running performances in the Trowbridge schools cross country and in the West Wilts cross country event at Stonar. A special mention for Bella on her 2nd place and a top 3 finish for our Year 3/4 girls' team. Well done too to our Year 5/6 Girls team who finished as runners up in their recent indoor cricket tournament.

Coming up next term:

Ash Class complete their swimming programme.

CHARITY NEWS

Thank you for your wonderful donations to Storehouse (as part of our Harvest appeal), which have been gratefully received by the Trowbridge foodbank. Through donations, we also raised a fantastic £130 for Send a Cow, which our school council is busy organising the spending of. Our final Macmillan charity fundraising total was over £500, so thank you! We are hoping this year to make our shoebox appeal the best ever (with a target of 50) and as ever we will be supporting the British Legion with their poppy appeal on our return to school.

Term 2: Monday October 31st - Friday December 16th

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - TERM 2

November 2nd	Ash Class Swimming - Session 7 Maple Class: Forest Schools Session 1	8:25 am 9:15 am
November 7th	Art Leaders Workshop: Holt/Southwick children making felt poppies	
November 9th	Ash Class Swimming - Session 8 Maple Class: Forest Schools Session 2	8:25 am 9:15 am
November 11th	Beech Class Cake Sale	2:30 pm
November 14th	NSPCC Assembly: KS1 and KS2	9:05 am
November 16th	Ash Class Swimming - Session 9 Maple Class: Forest Schools Session 3	8:30 am 9:15 am
November 17th	Maple and Ash Class trip: Corinium Museum	9-3:15 pm
November 18th	Switch Off day in school (details to follow)	
November 21st	NSPCC workshop Year 5 and 6	9-12 am
November 23rd	Ash Class Swimming - Session 9 Maple Class: Forest Schools Session 4	8:30 am 9:15 am
November 24th	Holburne Museum: Silver Workshop for KS2 group	9-12 am
November 25th	Auction of Promises in the Village Hall	7 pm
December 1st	KS1 Extended Assembly @ St. Katharine's Mr. B's Bookshop Lock-in (Bath)	9:30 am
November 30th	Maple Class: Forest School Session 5	9:15 am
December 2nd	HSA Christmas Fair (details to follow)	
December 7th	Maple Class: Forest Schools Session 6	9:15 am
December 8th	KS2 Extended Assembly @ St. Katharine's	9:30 am
December 12th	Christmas Performance - Dress Rehearsal	9:15 am
December 13th	Christmas Performance 1- KS1/KS2 @ 1:15 pm Christmas Performance 2 - KS2 only @ 6:30 pm	December 13th
December 14th	Christmas Performance 3 - KS1 @ 6 pm KS2 @ 6:30 pm	December 14th
December 15th	Carol Service @ St Katharine's Church Christmas Dinner Lunch followed by party games	9:30 am 12 - 3 pm