



Dear Parents,

This week has yet again been a huge sporting success for Budbrooke, a huge thank you to all the parents who supported these events, including giving up your time on a Saturday to support the cross country at Priors Field. A very special thank you goes out to Mr. Brereton for arranging and supporting such a wide range of sporting events that enable pupils to flourish and demonstrate the five core values in all that they do, I'm sure that I speak on behalf of everyone when I say that we really do appreciate it.

We have taken the opportunity this week to look through books, drop into lessons and talk to the pupils about their learning and it is clearly evident that they are enjoying their new termly curriculum projects, the depth of understanding and the work that has been created has been amazing, this was particularly evident during the Chestnut production of 'Invasion'.

Time seems to be going so quickly as we hurtle towards December - don't forget that Friday 1st December will be non-uniform day in exchange for a donation for the chocolate tombola. Chocolate will be collected on each playground in the morning before school so please leave your donations with the adult that is there (we promise we won't eat any!)

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Hopkins
Deputy Headteacher

SCHOOL VALUES REWARDS WINNERS

Consideration: Alfie- Beech

Challenge: Josh- Holly

Collaboration: Arthur- Cherry

Confidence: Teddy- Holly



GOLDEN BOOK

Pine- Isla

Elm- Rosie

Beech- Violet

Holly- Dougie

Chestnut- Alen

Redwood- Thomas

Cherry- Verity



MATHEMATICIAN OF THE WEEK

Pine- Aubrey

Elm- Henry

Beech- Sia

Holly- Harvey

Chestnut - Florence

Redwood- Rosie

Cherry- Henry



Chestnut Class Assembly



This week Chestnut class performed their class assembly about Invasion. They taught the audience lots of facts about what it was like in Britain when the Romans left, how the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings invaded and how life changed. They showed art work based on the Sutton Hoo findings, read poems based on Beowulf and showed off their descriptions of Dragons from How to Train Your Dragon. They also debated Whow as the best Saxon king as well as singing some catchy songs about Vikings and Saxons.



CLASS MESSAGES: Any class messages or updates will now feature here on the newsletter each week. This is to support any important communications from the teachers being missed in additional emails.

All	We have a number of tree saplings (including dogroses, hawthorn, hazel and crab apple) left from the trees that the Eco Committee planted last week. We are offering these out to our families on a first come, first serve basis. If you are interested, please email the school office to express your interest by Tuesday 28th November . We will then be in touch with families who are successful.

KEEP UP TO DATE Scan the QR Code to follow us on FACEBOOK to see our This Week in Pictures video and regular updates!





A gentle reminder...

Scooters and cycles are not to be ridden on school grounds.

Please dismount before entering School grounds and push or carry until you are off the premises.

Thank you.



School Calendar

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

28th November – Football League

29th November – Reception Class NHS Vision Screening

1st December – Non School Uniform Day for Chocolate Tombola donations

8th December – PTA Christmas Fair

12th December – Reception Class Nativity

14th December – Year 5 and 6 Church Carol Service

15th December – PTA Pantomime – Cinderella

19th December – Year 3 History Workshop

21st December – Christmas Festivities Day

21st December – Christmas Jumper Day

21st December – Christmas Lunch

22nd December – Break Up for Christmas



8th January – INSET Day

9th January – Return to School

Pupil Voice –

What makes you feel safe and happy at Budbrooke?

- The adults
- We learn about our network and how to stay safe
- I can always ask someone to help me
- I feel happy when I get stars and tokens
- My friends and members of my class
- Everyone makes me feel safe because they are so kind and considerate
- Budbrooke Buddies makes me feel safe and happy



Everybody has the right to feel safe at all times!

Kids Club Payments – A gentle reminder

Please use your Childs name and/or surname only as reference when making Kids Club Payments. Please do not use dates in this reference, as payments will automatically be deducted from the oldest debt on the account.

Please allow up to 1 week for payments to reflect on your account. Thank you

Example Reference:

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Roast Turkey,
Cocktail Sausage, Stuffing Ball with Gravy
or
(vg) Roast Quorn Fillet,
Stuffing Ball with Gravy

Served with Crispy Roast Potatoes,
Garden Peas and Sliced Carrots

(vg) Christmas Shortbread or
(v) Christmas Cup Cake

Signpost: NORTH POLE, SANTA'S WORKSHOP, Reindeer Crossing, Elf Village, MRS. CLASS KITCHEN, SLEIGH RIDES

Thursday 21st

December

Christmas Festivities Day, Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch!

A gentle reminder

to please book Christmas Lunch via Parent Pay by Friday 8th December, thank you.



The trees that Eco Committee won through the Woodland Trust were delivered last week. Our Eco Committee was very excited to help plant them on the bottom field in our school. We dug some holes and planted two new trees; dogwood and crab apple. We will ensure that they are looked after on weekly basis. Well done, Eco team!



Class Spotlight- Holly

This week in Holly class we have enjoyed starting our new topic in maths. We have been arranging arrays to make equal groups and have challenged ourselves questioning what is the same and what is different about the groups.

We have also been writing an adventure story based on "Stig of the Dump" and we have used lots of adjectives, subordinating conjunctions and expanded noun phrases in our writing to make it more interesting!

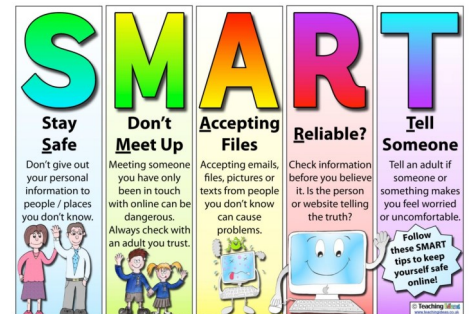
Last Friday was a particularly exciting day for Holly class. The children took part in a cooking activity to support their learning for our current DT topic 'Cook Well, Eat Well!'. We discussed hygiene rules associated with food preparation, including washing hands, washing vegetables and maintaining a clean workspace. We learnt different techniques for chopping, slicing and dicing. We also evaluated our work at the end of the day and were very pleased with our beef and chicken tacos! We discussed the different flavours and how the fillings contribute to a healthy, balanced diet.



An online safety message from Digital Leaders

This week the Digital leaders have discussed and decided that our Online Safety focus this week will be Reliability.

Every time you use the internet you must ask yourself 'is this website that I'm using reliable?'. This can often be a hard question because even websites like Wikipedia, that can be used by many, does not always provide the true information. So what websites are reliable? Well, the Digital Leaders recommend the BBC website as it is always a useful and we know that it is telling the truth. So when you are next on the computer ask yourself: is the website that I'm using reliable?



Is my child too ill for school?

There are government guidelines for schools and nurseries about managing specific infectious diseases at GOV.UK. These say when children should be kept off school and when they shouldn't. If you do keep your child at home, it's important to phone the school every day. If your child is well enough to go to school but has an infection that could be passed on, let their teacher know.

Follow this advice for illnesses:

Coughs and colds- It's fine to send your child to school with a cough or cold. But if they have a fever, keep them off school until the fever goes. Encourage your child to throw away used tissues and to wash their hands regularly.

High temperature- If your child has a high temperature, keep them off school until it goes away.

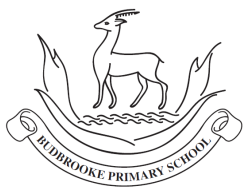
Chickenpox - If your child has chickenpox, keep them off school until all the spots have crusted over.

Head lice and nits- There's no need to keep your child off school if they have head lice. You can treat head lice at home.

Sore throat- You can send your child to school if they have a sore throat. But if they also have a high temperature, they should stay at home until it goes away. A sore throat and a high temperature can be symptoms of tonsillitis.

Vomiting and diarrhoea- Children with diarrhoea or vomiting should stay away from school until they have not been sick or had diarrhoea for at least 2 days (48 hours).

Further information on more illnesses is available online at <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>



Budbrooke Cross Country - Priors Field

Budbrooke runners had a very muddy experience at the first cross country race of the season.

The Primary Schools cross country league event, which was organised by Leamington Athletics Academy, took place at Priors Field school and included teams from 25 schools.

Heavy rainfall the night before had made the course muddy and presented potential tricky cross country conditions for all the runners, especially with the brook being waist deep for some. Running shoes needed to be tied tightly or risked being lost in the mud!

The 1.6km route took the runners around the school fields, along a road, around farmers fields before leading through a stream into the home straight to the finish line.

The Year 5 girls raced first and they supported each other to get around the course with a particularly strong finish from Lola who found some energy to sprint home in 55th place. Hattie ran at a constant pace to finish 56th.

Then the boys had to attack the course which had been made muddier and slipperier by the girls. In what a very fast paced race, Jack and Sonny showed great determination and commitment to overcome the muddy obstacles and powered to fabulous 26th and 14th place finishes in their first cross country race.

The Year 6 girls can be very proud of their efforts as they both finished in the top 50. Ella (44th) had the stamina to overtake other runners in the home straight and Amelie (48th) showed character and resilience to ensure she finished strongly when legs were aching.

The last race of the event was the Year 6 boys' race. It was a very fast start and the pace kept up around the first field. The course by now was a mud bath and Henry and Robbie did immensely well to not slip round the first bend with other runners falling. Henry looked determined as he emerged confidently from the brook. He picked up the pace before crossing the line in an impressive 10th place. Robbie found energy as he came to close to the finish line overtaking others to finish in 82nd place.

Mr Brereton said: "Well done to all the runners to overcome the very muddy conditions. It was fantastic to see the commitment of Team Budbrooke, some had played in football matches before running the race or went to play football matches after the race. Others had arrived early and supported all the runners. This shows their enthusiasm for running and representing the school and they created a great team spirit. They all supported each other and cheered each other on. They persevered despite difficult slippery conditions and can all be proud of their efforts. It was great to see them run through the brook completing the race. Thank you to all the parents for their support and to Leamington Athletics Academy for organising the event."

The next cross country league race is at Myton Fields, Warwick on Saturday, 27th January 2024..





Hockey Festival

Budbrooke showed great resilience and team spirit as they competed in a hockey festival at St Nicholas' Park.

Teams from 4 local primary schools took part in warm up activities organised by the young sports leaders from Kingsley.

In the first game, Budbrooke came up against a well organised Ferncombe team. Impressive defending from Alex and Nicole deflected shots onto the post. Budbrooke were defending resolutely but a break away attack saw Ferncombe score their winning goal.

Next up was a match against Shrubland Street. This time, Budbrooke showed plenty of attacking spirit with good dribbling from Robbie and Rupert. They attacked well with good skill from James, and Caitlyn creating chances but Budbrooke just could not get the ball over the line. Then with the final whistle approaching Shrubland Street scored despite the best efforts of Romy who tried to clear the ball off the line.

In the third game against Bishops Tachbrook, Budbrooke lost 2-0 but they then saved the best for the final match, a replay against Shrubland Street. Lois made some confident tackles and passes, Ella won the ball back well and James was full of running. James picked the ball up on the right hand side by the half way line and then proceeded to dribble the ball confidently into the area before scoring with a well placed shot into the corner. Nicole and Caitlyn came close to adding a second for Budbrooke but the ball was saved well. Towards the end of the match, Shrubland Street made a break away and equalised despite an amazing effort from Alex and Rupert to tackle and clear the ball off the line. The score finished 1-1

Budbrooke: Caitlyn, Ella, Nicole, Elissa, Lois, Rupert, James, Alex, Robbie.

Mr Brereton said: "Budbrooke played brilliantly. They worked hard together, showed great resilience and played well as a team despite many being new to the game. It was a pleasure to watch them play with great spirit and determination and to see their confidence grow. Many thanks to all the parents who helped with transport on the day."



Budbrooke (3)6 All Saints Leek Wootton (0)0

Budbrooke produced a fine performance full of quality attacking play in a thrilling victory over local rivals.

With the sun going down quickly, Budbrooke started brightly and good link up play on the wings between Finley and Jack created plenty of chances. Henry was definitely wearing his shooting boots as he scored a hat-trick early on with a selection of well placed shots into the corner.

All Saints grew into the game and played some attractive passes on a bobbly pitch. They created chances and it took some strong tackles and excellent defending from Eli and Edward to stop their attacks. When the defence was beaten, Teddy produced some great saves, tipping shots wide, and then Jack and Eli made some outstanding blocks and clearances off the line to stop the away side scoring.

Cameron was covering all the pitch to win the ball back, Finley's passes were setting up chances for Lucas but the goalkeeper kept making super saves to stop Budbrooke scoring. Arthur then nearly scored with a volley off his knee in what would have been the goal of the match!

In the second half, Tom was putting in a dogged display. Jack and Eli were working the ball around nicely to get passed the defence on the right hand side. Eli used his football intelligence to spot space and threaded the ball through nicely to set up chances for Arthur and Lucas. With Budbrooke in search of more goals, Arthur was whipping in some quality crosses that Jack headed on goal only to be denied by the goal keeper's super saves. Then Arthur weaved his way through the defence and scored via a deflection to score a special goal.

Lucas worked hard to win the ball back and after a great save from the goalkeeper, the ball fell kindly for Henry to finish off from close range and top off what was a fantastic team performance.

Budbrooke FC: Teddy, Eli, Edward, Cameron, Finley, Jack, Henry, Tom, Arthur, Lucas.

Mr Brereton said: "What a fantastic performance. Well done to all the players. The whole team showed great determination and produced a great performance they can all be proud of. On a difficult pitch and with darkness setting in, the players wanted to play an attractive brand of football. I was so impressed with the passing accuracy, the powerful tackles and the expert finishing. Budbrooke showed they can play football and I am looking forward to the next fixture. Thank you to all the people who came to cheer the team on."






Budbrooke School Christmas Fayre

DECEMBER 8
15:30-17:30

- Santa's Grotto
- Xmas Crafts
- Chocolate Tombola
- Lucky Dip
- Refreshments
- Uniform sale
- Xmas Jumper sale
- Xmas Games

Optional £4 per gift from Santa, payable on parent pay




Father Christmas


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Are you coming to meet Santa at the Christmas Fayre?

Book a Gift from Santa for just £4 per child on 'Parent Pay'

Book by Monday 4th December



BUDBROOKE SCHOOL PTA Christmas Checklist

- BRING ANY CHRISTMAS CLOTHING DONATIONS TO SCHOOL RECEPTION ON FRI 1ST DECEMBER
- BRING A CHOCOLATE DONATION FOR THE TOMBOLA IN EXCHANGE FOR NON-SCHOOL UNIFORM ON FRI 1ST DECEMBER
- ORDER A SANTA GIFT BY MON 4TH DECEMBER
- COME TO THE CHRISTMAS FAIR AND VISIT SANTA ON FRI 8TH DEC

Wishing you and your family a very Happy Christmas from Budbrooke School PTA




Christmas Jumpers & clothing wanted

Please help us

Donate any preloved: ADULT & CHILD

- ★ Jumpers
- ★ Dresses
- ★ Shirts
- ★ Leggings

Where to leave donations
In the School office by Friday 1st December

All clothing must be in excellent & clean condition.

THANK YOU!