



Bishop William Ward C of E Primary School Newsletter

Happy, respectful, lifelong learners

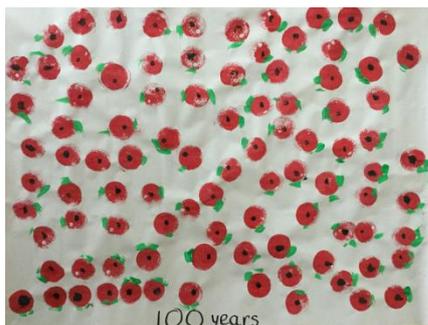
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Dear Parents/Carers

It was great to see many of you this week at the support plan and Parent/Teacher meetings. I hope that you have a clearer picture of the expectations for your child over the next few months. One of the things we did at the evening meetings, was to update our contact details. If you were unable to attend your meeting or had a daytime meeting instead, please call in at the office to check that we have the correct contact details for you.

We had an act of remembrance today, including a time of silence bookended by the traditional playing of The Last Post and Reveille on trumpet. Year 6 shared some of the learning from their War and Peace topic. Thank you for your donations to the Poppy Appeal throughout the last few weeks.



Year 5 had a fantastic time extending their historical knowledge and skills as they took part in 'Greek Day' on Thursday. Here's what they got up to:



Calendar Corner

Look out for the email today!

November

13th Y1 trip to Holly Trees Museum
14th Choir Rotary Competition Final, Essex University, 7pm
15th School tour for new starters 2019*
16th Crazy Hair for Children in Need
20th Fun For Families, 5pm
22nd School tour for new starters 2019*
23rd Friends of BWW Quiz Night
30th School tour for new starters 2019*

December

1st Friends of BWW Christmas Fair
5th Great Fire of London day, Y2
5th School tour for new starters 2019*
10th School tour for new starters 2019*
11th KS1 Nativity, 2pm
12th KS1 Nativity, 2pm/6pm
13th School Christmas Dinner
17th KS2 Carol Service, 2pm/6pm
18th Christmas Activity Day
19th Last Day of Term

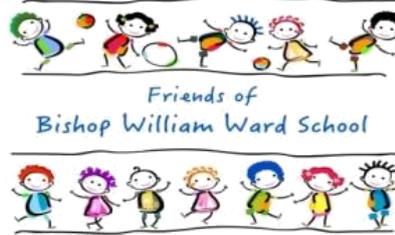
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January

3rd/4th Non-pupil Days
7th Back to School

Well Done Choir!

Congratulations to our school choir – they have been chosen to go through to the final of the Rotary Junior School Choir competition! The event takes place on 14th November at Essex University.



Remember to get a team together for the Friends of BWW Quiz Night on 23rd November. Let the Office know your team and food order as soon as possible.



If you aren't signed up to **Class Dojo** yet, then you are missing out! Speak to your class teacher for more details. Also, please remember that teachers do not use the messaging function as a communication tool – catch us after school or make an appointment if you need to speak to us. Thank you!



Congratulations to Millie P-T and Poppy – winners of the Achievement Cups for October.

Storytime Service

A story, song and prayer for 0-7 year olds and their families

Followed by hot chocolate and marshmallows
CHILDREN PLEASE WEAR YOUR DRESSING GOWN & PYJAMAS AND BRING A CUDDLY TOY

Sunday 11th November, 6.00pm
At the new Village Hall

All Saints' with St John's Churches, Great Horkesley

We had a visit from our Diocesan Advisor on Monday. She is new to the role, so we spent a lot of time looking around the school. Here are some of the lovely things that she wrote about us in her report:

Happy and engaged learners in all classes

*Good relationships between staff and children clearly seen and impacting on learning
Class bases are well cared for and meet the needs of the children*

An outdoor area has incorporated forest school learning which is impacting on the children's experiences throughout the school

Mr Bull