



# Newsletter

Issue 5 Autumn Term

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2019

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**  
School will be **CLOSED** on  
**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December**  
due to the General Election.



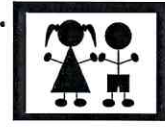
**WE REMEMBER**



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back and I hope that you all enjoyed your Diwali, Halloween and Bonfire Night celebrations. Today our Year 4 children held their own Ceremony of Remembrance, where we were joined by the Reverend Leach and the Head Boy and Girl from Walkwood Middle School. All of the children conducted themselves with such maturity and respect and some spoke about members of their own families before the poppies being placed around the tree by our new Reception classroom (please take a look on the Y4 page of our school website). On Monday our Year 4 will be at the Cenotaph on Plymouth Road to mark our respects, take a moment out of our busy day and ensure that we never forget! We have our 'Stop & Shine' Anti-bullying focus in school next week. You have already received the information regarding this along with a copy of our child friendly anti-bullying policy. Remember 'odd sock day' is Tuesday!

Huge thanks go to Mr Daniel Hopkins, who has redesigned our school garden and is volunteering both his time and skills to transform it ready for the new planting season. Mr Donnelly has been busy constructing and replacing the wooden frames for the new beds and we can't wait until we can get busy planting. Our thanks also go to our PTA who have contributed funding towards the resources, following requests from our School Council at the end of last term.



### RECEPTION PLACES FOR SEPTEMBER 2020

Our final prospective parent visit will be held on:

*Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November 9:30 – 10:30am*

*The closing date for both first and middle school places is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020*

### Payment Reminders

Y3 Roman Visit experience £5.28 due 18<sup>th</sup> November.

Y4 Cinema Trip £6.00 due 4<sup>th</sup> November.

Young Voices ticket and T-shirt orders due by the 8<sup>th</sup> November.

**All payments to be made through ParentPay.**



### Year 3 & 4 Parents Timestables Check

Multiplication Math's Evening on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 6.00 pm

Please note that this workshop is for parents only **NOT** children.

To book your place you must complete the form under my students on the MyEd App.



### KS2 INTRA HOUSE COMPETITIONS Autumn – First Half Term

The children showed great team spirit, and the school games values of passion and respect throughout the events.

The gymnastics competition saw 4KJ take the winners spot in Year 4 and 3CO in Year 3.

The football competition winners were 4ST after countless matches a semi-final and final.

In dodgeball, 3JW were victorious.

Points look like this:

Year 3 – Earth 25 points, Fire 25 points and Water 10 points

Year 4 – Earth 45 points, Fire 45 points and Water 30 points.

Kind Regards,

**Mrs. Sallyanne Dunstan**  
Headteacher

### EARLY INTERVENTION CONTACT NUMBERS:

Louise Young 07507 497613

Alyson Rushworth 07931 519739



Are here to help with a variety of issues such as bedtime & morning routines, behaviour, signposting to other agencies and other general issues regarding your children. **Louise is on site on Thursday mornings from 8.30am until 9.15am if you want to drop in.**

### Class Assemblies

starting at 9am:

1CF Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November

1CC Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November



All welcome