



WORSLEY BRIDGE

PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

26-01-18

This morning started with a wonderful assembly from 1W. The children retold some very famous fairy tales and made us think about whether the big bad wolf was really bad or just a little misunderstood! The whole occasion was made even better because we were joined by so many family members! Future assembly dates are listed below and we hope that you will be able to join us for the next one!



I would like to thank Mrs Annoh (Austin's mum) for her recent support and patience! A group of staff members decided to enter a charity netball match, but many of the team hadn't played since they had been at school. Mrs Annoh worked the team hard and provided some top tips to get us ready for the tournament. Sadly we didn't win, but as we say to the children "it's the taking part that counts". We all had a thoroughly good time and are hopeful that with a bit more practice we will be more successful in the future!

On Monday the school council undertook one of their first

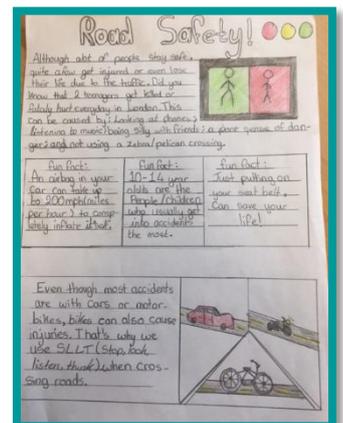
official duties by welcoming children from Manor Oak Primary so they could see what we get up to during our lunch time. Our visitors were made to feel very welcome and they thoroughly enjoyed all the different activities on offer on the playground and in the Rainbow Room. They even stayed for lunch with us. We are planning to visit Manor Oak to find out how they run their library and are looking forward to meeting up with their children again!



Year 6 met with the road safety team this week to discuss how to remain safe when we are out and about-especially as this is the age where children are given more independence to get to and from school on their own. Elif produced a fantastic report about the talks and you can clearly see how much the children took on board from this visit.



I would like to say a very big well done to the year 2 cricket team who participated in our first ever Key Stage 1 cricket tournament. Mr Smith was incredibly proud of their behaviour, determination and resilience! It was wonderful to hear how Luke was selected to receive the 'Players Player' award. Well done year 2-we are



very proud of you all!
Wishing you all a very enjoyable weekend!

Mrs Williams



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DATES FOR THE DIARY

30-01-18	Hockey Tournament	09-03-18	Spring Concert
06-02-18	E-Safety Day	12-03-18	EYFS visit to Discovery Centre
09-02-18	RW Class Assembly 9am	12-03-18	STEM week
01-03-18	Ahoy Sailing Day 1	13-03-18	Year 4 Natural History Museum
02-03-18	Ahoy Sailing Day 2	16-03-18	4B Class Assembly 9am
02-03-18	5W Class Assembly 9am	20-03-18	School Journey
06-03-18	Parent's Evening 4-6pm	26-03-18	HeyDay Film Screening
08-03-18	Parent's Evening 4-7.30pm	29-03-18	Last day of Spring Term

COMMUNITY

LOCAL ELECTION

This is an advanced warning that the school will be used as a Polling Station and therefore we will be closed on **03-05-18**. We are highly aware of the inconvenience this causes and have requested that the council consider other venues, our requests have been turned down. We have also considered trying to keep the school open but it would be too difficult to keep the children safe and we would not have access to the hall and therefore not be able to serve meals.

ROAD SAFETY MEETING

I have recently been in contact with members of the local community who are standing for council. We have discussed at length the issues we face regarding traffic around school and I would like to share the following with you:

We are launching a road safety campaign in Beckenham.

We believe that the huge increase in traffic in Beckenham in recent years has not been matched by appropriate strategic road traffic management by Bromley Council - our roads are not as safe as they should be for pedestrians, cyclists and drivers.

Despite local efforts, including our own, to improve road safety in the Copers Cope area (near Worsley Bridge School, Clare House School and St Mary's School), very little has been done.

We would like to invite you to a meeting to discuss road safety issues in our area, to hear your experiences, and make a plan of action.

Time: 7pm

Date: 29 January 2018

Venue: Worsley Bridge School (go to main entrance), Brackley Road, Beckenham BR3 1RF

You can also join the meeting's Facebook Event page by following this link: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1767709553538951/>.

If you are not able to make it, please email us your comments at hello@mybeckenham.uk.



Best wishes

Alison, Chloe-Jane and Rich

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CELEBRATING SUCCESS



RW Oakley and Micah

1W Ece and Sophie

2W Aaliyah and Jayden

3W Zakary and Khaleb

4W Robert and Taysia

5W Eva and Oumou

6W Scarlett and Lucca

KS1 Science: Huxley

RB Sienna-Blue and Milot

1B Milan and Romai

2B Stanley and Abigail

3B Callum and Argita

4B Khyro and Tolu

5B Lydia and Riley

6B Nuzhat and Lucy

KS2 Science: Chayce

SAFETY AND WELL BEING

Attendance

5W have the highest attendance at 98.9% this week and will earn 3 extra ping pong balls for their Golden Jar! Whole school attendance has stayed above the national requirements and is currently 96.3% let's keep it this way Worsley Bridge as being in school really makes all the difference to learning standards!

RW ↓ 93.2%

1W ↓ 96.7%

2W ↓ 95.2%

3W - 97.5%

4W ↑ 97.5%

5W ↑ 98.9%

6W ↓ 96.4%



RB ↑ 97.5%

1B ↓ 96.3%

2B ↓ 96.7%

3B ↑ 98.7%

4B ↓ 94.3%

5B ↓ 96.5%

6B ↓ 94.8%

CURRICULUM

Australia Day



Miss Crow has been celebrating Australia Day with her class today by sharing her nation's favourite snack- Vegemite on toast!!

Australia day is the official national day of Australia. Celebrated annually on 26 January, it marks the anniversary of the 1788 arrival of the First Fleet of British ships at Port Jackson, New South Wales and the raising of the Flag of Great Britain at Sydney Cove by Governor Arthur Phillip. In present-day Australia, celebrations reflect

the diverse society and landscape of the nation and are marked by community and family events, reflections on Australian history, official community awards and citizenship ceremonies welcoming new members of the Australian community.