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Respect, Motivation, Cooperation, Kindness, Pride, Perseverance

## Newsletter 4 – 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to be welcoming back all our children and families after the half term break. We are looking forward to what is always the busiest term of the year, with some of the most enjoyable dates in the school calendar as we approach the Christmas period. We are looking forward to including our families in lots of these celebrations.

### Flu Immunisation

All children that have a confirmed consent form for their flu jab will receive these on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> November. This is the only opportunity of having your child immunised in school so if you haven't yet returned your form, please ensure that you do by Thursday 4<sup>th</sup>.

### Bromesberrow Tots

We are really happy to be able to welcome our Tots group back into school on a Wednesday morning (9.30am – 11am) from Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2021. Maggie Van Damme (one of our lovely parents) will be running these sessions for us. If you have a pre-school child or baby, come along, bring a friend and spread the word!

The cost per session, including refreshments is £2.

### Poppy Appeal

This year we will again be selling merchandise (details on the picture with suggested donations) on behalf of the British Legion's Poppy Appeal. The funds have helped provide lifelong support to serving & ex-serving personnel since 1921. We will be marking this by having a 2 minute silence in school on 11<sup>th</sup> November.

The school council will be selling Poppies and other merchandise. We also have traditional poppies for sale with a sticky back (no pins!) if you would like to contribute to this cause.



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## Report Cards Y1-Y6

Report cards will be coming home with the children Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November. These give a snapshot of where your child is 'working at' in the curriculum. It is important to remember that we do not all learn at the same rate and that not every child is 'working at' all of the time. At this point in the year, and after the last 18 months of Covid 19 disruption, please do focus on the attitude column. If your child has a good or excellent attitude to learning, but they are 'working below', this means they are trying their very best and are to be congratulated for this. If you have any questions regarding these, please talk to your child's teacher during Parent Consultations.

## Parent Consultations

All parents (including pre-school parents) have an opportunity to discuss their child's progress with the class teacher on either Mon 15<sup>th</sup> November or Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November for Classes 1 and 3 or on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November for Class 2.

During school hours we have very little space in school to safely have face to face meetings with parents so we are restricting these appointment times to telephone calls only. Appointments after 3.20pm can be either face to face or telephone call, whichever your preference is. A form is attached to this letter to fill in and return to the school office.

We are trying to have as few people in school at any one time. We will not be putting out your child's books to read but if you would like to have them to take home after your appointment please let us know. We would be grateful if you could only come into school at your appointment time and not earlier.

## Bromesberrow Friends Group 'Cake Café'

The BFG have organised a Cake Café for the children on the afternoon of Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November, where your children will be able to buy and enjoy a couple of cakes of their choice. A poster will follow shortly explaining how this will work on the day, but in the meantime they are asking for cake donations from parents. If you are able to bring in some cakes to donate to this event, please bring in on the morning of Friday 12<sup>th</sup>. BFG will be running a second hand uniform sale after school in the school gazebo. They will also be selling any left-over cakes. The uniform is CASH only. Each item is individually priced and will be priced under £5, so please bring coins if at all possible.

BFG have some other exciting events planned for the children, so please watch this space!



## Children in Need 2021

This year we will be inviting the children to come to school dressed in their pyjamas! The School Council are organising this event and will be putting together a letter explaining this.

## After School Clubs

We are running the following clubs in this very short half term:

Multisports  
Choir  
Eco Club

Please see the dates that the clubs are running on the attached form and for which year groups. As we have so many other things going on after school over the Christmas period we are unable to run clubs every week this term.



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## Celebration Event

There has been lots of learning happening in school after coming back from the summer break and we will be opening our doors to friends and family to be able to come in and see what the children have been up to. We are going to relaunch our Celebration Events with the first one of this term being on **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2021**. Doors will be open from **9.05am** where parents are invited to come into their child's classroom to look at the exciting things they have been learning.

Best Wishes

Laura Hankins & Leonie Mison

## Dates for your diary 2021

Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> November	Flu Immunisation
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Bromesberrow Tots (9.30am-11am)
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Poppy Appeal Merchandise available
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Autumn Report Cards to parents
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Parent consultation (2pm – 5pm) more info to follow
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	Parent consultation (3.30pm – 6pm) more info to follow
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need – Pyjama Day
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Celebration Event
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole school Christmas play (2pm)
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole school Christmas play (2pm)
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole school Christmas play (2pm)
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas lunch and Christmas jumper day
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of term

## 2022

Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> January 2022	Inset Day (staff only)
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	First day of term
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	Last Day of term
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	First day of term
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	Last day of term
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	Inset Day (staff only)
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April	First day of term
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	May Day – No School
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May	Last day of school
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	First day of term
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Last day of term
Mon/Tue 5/6 <sup>th</sup> September	Inset Days (staff only)
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> September	First day of term



**After School Clubs (Nov-Dec 21)**

Day	Club	Leader	Times	Age Group
Tuesday	Multisports	Miss Mison/Mr Delarue	3.10pm – 4pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nov/9 <sup>th</sup> Nov/23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	Children from Last Term
Wednesday	Choir	Mrs Hankins/ Mrs Smith	3.10pm – 4pm 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov – 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Yr 3 – Yr 6
Thursday	Eco Club Max 8 Children	Mrs Bracewell	3.10pm – 4pm 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov – 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Yr 3-Yr 6

Please note that the minibus service will not run to take children home after clubs.

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**After School Clubs**

Please return to the School Office asap

Name of child	Year	Clubs they would like to attend
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**Parent Consultations**

Please fill and return to the office by Wed 10<sup>th</sup> November

**Class 1 and Class 3 Only**

Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Please Tick as many as possible	Name of Child/ren	Face to Face or Telephone Call ?
2.00pm – 2.40pm			<b>TELEPHONE ONLY</b>
3.30pm – 4.30pm			
4.30pm- 5.00pm			
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> November			
3.30pm – 4.30pm			
4.30pm – 5.30pm			
5.30pm – 6.00pm			

**Class 2 Only**

Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	Please Tick as many as possible	Name of Child	Face to Face or Telephone Call?
3.30pm – 4.30pm			
4.30pm - 5.00pm			
5.00pm – 5.30pm			
5.30pm – 6.00pm			

Parent Signature .....

Date .....

Phone Number to be Contacted .....

Parent Contact Name .....

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**FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY**

**Parent Consultation**

Child's Name ..... Appointment Date..... Time .....

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