St Philip Westbrook News

Together we aim high and with God's love we can fly.

Friday 23rd November 2018

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School closes on Friday 21st December & we return on Monday 7th January 2019.

Please ensure that all school uniform has your child's name in it, by doing this we can get the items back to them.



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Star of the Week

The following children have been awarded Star of the Week for showing our Christian value of:

'TRUST'

RecD - Aria

RecP - Aarush

RecV/B - Trayaa

Y1L- Beatrice

Y1K - Grace

Y1Mc- Olivia

Y2K - Harry

Y2R - Frankie

Y2B - Noah

Y3E - Jake

Y3H - Saim

Y3W - Olivia

Y4D - Risheka

Y4L - Oliwier

Y4B - Nayen

Y5C - Callum

Y5B- Finlay

Y6H - Brian

Y6C - Matilda

"When I am afraid, I put my trust in You." PSALM 56:3

Dates for Forthcoming Events

November

28th - Eucharist Service for KS2 pupils. Friends and families are welcome to join us.

28th - Rec and Y6, Heights and Weights.

30th - Lighting up Tree.

December

3rd - 5.30pm Open evening for new starters.

3rd - Y5 Manchester Museum Trip.

4th - Christmas Lunch

5th - 9.30am Reception Nativity.

6th - 2.15pm Reception Nativity.

7th - 9.30am Y3 Christmas Play.

10th - 2.15pm Y3 Christmas Play.

14th - Christian Aid Christmas Jumper Day.

Science Workshop

This week, Y4 became electrical engineers for the day! As part of our science topic 'Electricity', we welcomed Mrs Carroll from Bright Sparks to deliver a workshop where we were able to create circuits to light up bulbs, buzzers and motors. We learnt how to make a series circuit and some of us even managed to make a parallel circuit.

The children really enjoyed the day and were able to explore the many uses of electricity.

We will be collecting Advent Calendars for disadvantaged children next week. Please support this cause by handing them into the class teachers. Thank you.

Westbrook Orchard Visits

This week, Y4 visited Westbrook Orchard where our school council planted fruit trees last year. We took part in activities at the Orchard's outdoor classroom where we learnt more about classification to enable us to use these skills later in the year to identify different plants and animals that live in our environment. Although it was a chilly day, the children had a lot of fun.

Y5 also visited the Orchard this week, they looked at life cycles within the session and learned about lifecycles of different animals and plants, exploring the local orchard to search for animals and plants at various stages of their life cycles. The children thoroughly enjoyed their morning out. Cameron really enjoyed looking for insects and flowering plants.



Christmas Jumper Day

This year we will be supporting Christian Aid with their Christmas Jumper Day Appeal on Friday 14th December. For a donation children can wear their

Christmas Jumpers or T shirts. Please do not buy anything new if you do not already have a jumper, the children can wear what they have and dress it up with Christmas



decorations.



Just a reminder that the age restriction for Whats App is 16. We are aware of a number of occasions where this app is creating friendship issues especially in Y5/Y6 as pupils are not mature enough to use this app the way it is intended to be used.



KS2 Athletics School Games Festival.

On Wednesday, 20 Y5/6 pupils took part in the Level 2 Sports Hall Athletics School Games Festival held at Great Sankey hub. The children had to do a range of athletic activities such as javelin, speed bounce, standing long jump, triple jump and many relay events. They all tried exceptionally hard and represented our school brilliantly. Well done to all of the children who took part.



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Student Recognition

On Saturday a Y5 pupil received her trophies/medals for her achievements in swimming. She swims for Warrington swimming club and in the club championships, she came 1st in breaststroke, freestyle, backstroke,

individual medley and 2nd in butterfly.

As well as 1st club for girls champion for age 9/10, she also won the most improved swimmer award for the club.



Student Recognition

Last Friday night BT volunteers manned the phones for Children In Need taking thousands of pounds in donations until late into the night.

A Y2 and a Y5 pupil volunteered to go into the office and worked tirelessly from 6pm until 11pm selling raffle tickets to make more money for the cause. As well as keeping all the volunteers topped up with food and drink throughout the night.

They spent hours walking round with drinks trolleys, food and even helped with the clearing up at the end!

Well done girls!



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