

## Friday Newsletter Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2023

### Remembrance Day Service at Miss Whalley's Field



Today our Year 6 pupils took part in a Remembrance service at Miss Whalley's field by reading aloud parts of the service and then reading out poems that they had written. The children all stood for the 2-minute silence and then laid a wreath by the stone marker. All children in school have also learnt about why we mark Remembrance Day in their classes.



#### Fantastic Behaviour awards

The children who have impressed their teachers over the last week are:

**Miss Liver** – Reme

**Mrs Walker** – Las

**Miss Stoves** – Nevaeh

**Mrs Cudby & Miss Boardman** - Yolanda

**Mr Fournier** – Amaan

**Mr Rose** – Daisy

#### Mrs Walker's readers

Learning to read is probably the most important thing we do in school, so we are always delighted when children choose to read for pleasure. These girls in Mrs Walker's class have 'been caught' reading in the book corner. This reading area is changed every week, and the children are always very excited to see the new books. This week's theme is dinosaurs and the children are able to read fiction and non-fiction books about dinosaurs. Keep up the great reading everyone!



#### Miss Liver's athletes

In PE Reception and Year One have been developing their running and jumping skills. They have been learning how to change direction when running, running at speed and running for longer periods of time. They have been practising jumping using their arms to help with momentum.

#### Regular Readers

The following children have read at home 7 times (or even more!) last week and we are so proud of them that we want to share their names with you!

**Miss Liver** – Ozzie, Alex

**Mrs Walker** – Briana, Cassidy, Lacey, Leo, Lily B, Pooya, Umjimmy

**Mrs Cudby & Miss Boardman** – Yolanda, Thaaranka, Bella

**Mr Fournier** – Amaan, Hollie

**Mr Rose** – Ashwin, Elsa, Esme, Jessica, Kai





### Superstars Certificates for outstanding work

The following children have all worked their socks off in class and have been awarded a certificate for their great attitude to learning:

**Miss Liver** – Alex & Ozzie

**Mrs Cudby & Miss Boardman** – Shashank & Abisha

**Mrs Walker** – Briana & Charlene

**Mr Fournier** – Ellie-Mae & Johnny

**Miss Stoves** – Lily & Sanie

**Mr Rose** – Raed & Harry

### Mrs Cudby's Designers

In their Design Technology lessons this week, Mrs Cudby has asked her children to taste samosas. They had to judge the samosas according to appearance, texture, taste, smell, value for money and lots of other criteria. Later in the term, the children will be designing and making their own samosas – I am looking forward to seeing (and maybe even tasting) the results of their learning!



### Parents Evening – Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November

We will be holding our first Parents Evening of this academic year on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November after school, and we would love to see as many parents and carers as possible. Please ring up for an appointment if you haven't already booked one.

### Year 6 trip to Lancaster Castle

Miss Mills and Mr Rose took the Year 6 children to Lancaster Castle as part of their history learning about 'Crime and Punishment through the ages'. They visited the dungeons, listened to facts about the living conditions. They looked at artefacts which were used to punish or humiliate wrongdoers in the past and compared these punishments with sanctions we use today for people who break the law.



### Welfare assistants

We are looking to increase our team of welfare assistants who work at lunchtime, supervising the children while they eat their lunch and play outside.

If you enjoy working with children and have approximately 1 hour a day to spare over the lunchtime period, then this could be just the job for you! If you are interested in the position, please ring the school office and

ask to speak to Mrs Taylor.



### Attendance

This week's winners of the best attendance prize are Miss Liver's class and Mrs Cudby & Miss Boardman's class. Well done everyone!



Best wishes

C. Bright