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Message from Mr Hulme

Term 1 has flown by, with much to celebrate both in and out of the classroom. Curriculum Journals have been introduced across the school and the range of work in these and other books is impressive both in terms of content and curriculum coverage. Outside of the classroom, Forest School has been enjoyed by all and we are rapidly gaining a reputation as a school that is unique in its curriculum offering. Sport continues to grow from strength to strength and the purchase of the minibus will further open the opportunities available to us. Thank you for your continued support over the term; enjoy the half term break and we look forward to seeing you on Monday 29th October 2018.

Show and Share



Thank you to those parents and families that joined us for Show and Share on Wednesday afternoon. It was wonderful to see the classrooms full of activity and animated dialogue. Feedback from this Show and Share was fantastic with very positive comments about

the new Curriculum Journals and the opportunity for you as families to write in the books. If you weren't able to come in, please do speak to your child's teacher and take the opportunity to do so.



Year 5/6 Quicksticks

Nine children from Year 5 and 6 joined Mrs Keech for the Quicksticks tournament. Whilst the weather was damp, spirits were high and they drew the first two matches. Following that, they won 3-2 before winning the semi-finals 2-0; they finished a fantastic 5th out of 14. Thanks to Mrs



Keech for accompanying them and to parents for dropping off.

PTA Movie Night and Non-Uniform Day

Thanks to the PTA and parent helpers for the movie night after school this evening. Boss Baby was enjoyed along with popcorn, sweets and hotdogs by a number of children across the school. In addition to this, non-uniform day started off the proceedings for the Christmas Fayre. Look out for the other dates in the diary leading up to this and please do let the PTA know if you are able to help in any way.

Year 4 Residential



Well done to those children in Year 4 that travelled to Kingswood, Ashford, for the annual residential. They had the opportunity to take part in orienteering, high ropes, zip wire, lazer quest and a number of other high adrenaline activities. They were a credit to themselves and to St. Paul's; with many compliments about their behaviour.

Inter-Family Sports Tournament



Coach James hosted the termly Inter-Family Sports Tournament on Thursday afternoon. Key Stage 1 participated in running races, whilst Key Stage 2 competed in hockey matches. It was a narrow victory to Luke who won with 210 points in total, Mark came 2nd with 200, Matthew 3rd with 140 and John 4th with 100.

Headteacher Hot Chocolate



Mr Hulme will be enjoying hot chocolate with somebody who has gone above and beyond during the week. This week it went to Riley for his amazing courage and perseverance on the Kingswood Residential.

Celebration Assembly

Class	Values Champion	Writer of the Week	Maths of the Week
Birch	Hollie	William	Taylah
Oak	Jon	Harry	Robyn
Beech	Jayden	Jaime	Riley
Maple		Ksenija	Louie

Attendance

Whole School Attendance: 96.48%		
Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
Birch	100	1
Oak	96.56	8
Beech	100	13
Maple	91	5

Events

29/10/18	First Day of Term 2
1/11/18	Individual/Sibling Photographs
2/11/18	PTA Non-Uniform Day in exchange for Christmas Fayre donations
5/11/18	No Clubs this week
6/11/18	FS Open Morning at 9.30 am
6-8/11/18	Parent Consultations
9/11/18	Remembrance Service at 9.00 am
13/11/18	Years R-5 Flu Vaccinations Primary Maths Challenge
14/11/18	Table Tennis Tournament
16/11/18	PTA Movie Night

Value of the Term: Inquisitive

'Life in all its fullness' John (10:10)