



The Boreham Beacon



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A Friendship School



'Daring to aim high, scale new heights, spread our wings and fly far'

This week's newsletter is dedicated to all members of the armed forces who have lost their lives and to their families who have lost loved ones.



HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Reception: Nina
Year 1: Freddie
Year 2: Archie
Year 3: Finlay
Year 4B: Harry H
Year 4BU: Harry T
Year 5: Sunset
Year 6: Millie



CLASS ATTENDANCE AWARD

The class with the best attendance for the week commencing 2nd November was 5C with 99%.

HOUSE POINTS

House points for this week are: Ben Nevis 436; Everest 281; Kilimanjaro 435 and Olympus 463.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

On Wednesday, the whole school marked Armistice Day with a 2 minute silence at 11:00am and this was impeccably observed. The children listened to 'The Last Post' before observing the two minute silence.

During the morning each class also placed the poppies that they had made in the grass at the front of the school.





Year 5



PIC•COLLAGE



Year 3 poppy painting



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Reception remember with their poppies.



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Remembrance Day 2020



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4B's Poppies



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REMEMBRANCE DAY



A huge thank you to The Pot Shop in Boreham for their kind donation of the garden sticks to help us make the poppies.

BRING A COAT TO SCHOOL!

With the colder weather upon us, please ensure that your child comes to school with a coat. We have seen a number of children arrive at school without coats on some very cold mornings.

ONLINE SAFETY TIP OF THE WEEK

Anything posted can affect you and your family so be sure when you hit send as there is no turning back. It may seem like a good idea at that moment in time but it could affect your future! Think carefully about your wording before you post anything online. Never write anything unkind about anybody online. If you've got nothing positive to say - then don't say anything at all!



HEALTHY HEROES TIP OF THE WEEK

Agent Lifestyle says... *Get a better night's sleep* How much sleep did YOU have last night?

Did you know, having the right amount of sleep allows our bodies to repair, perform tasks better and have a better memory? With a good night's sleep you'll be able to run faster, learn new things easily, and it will help you grow, too!

Here are three tips for getting a better night's sleep this week:

- Give your parent or guardian a big **CUDDLE** before you go to bed tonight, and see if it helps you relax for a better night's sleep.
- **READ** a book to yourself, or ask someone else to read to you in bed as often as possible. Reading helps our eyes to relax, and sends us off into a gentle sleep.
- Keep yourself **COOL** - perhaps ask your parent/guardian to open the window a little, and try to keep radiators turned low. Snuggle under your duvet for warm



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CARMA THE CHAMELEON RETURNS!

After an extended summer vacation staying with Mrs Powell and her family, Carma the Chameleon returned back to school on Monday. Carma is gradually readjusting to her new setting but rejoins us as a changed lady! During her stay with the Powell family, Carma has enjoyed coming out of her cage, crawling over arms and backs as well as finding a love for music and Mrs Powell's two dogs!

Once Carma is fully settled we will be allowing classes to visit her and over time children will also be allowed to handle and feed her too.



NATIONAL ANTI-BULLYING WEEK



This year, more than ever, we've witnessed the positive power that society can have when we come together to tackle a common challenge. Anti-Bullying Week is no different. Bullying has a long lasting effect on those who experience and witness it. But by channeling our collective power, through shared efforts and shared ambitions, we can reduce bullying together. From parents and carers, to teachers and politicians, to children and young people, we all have a part to play in coming together to make a difference. We're all a piece in the puzzle, and together, we're united against bullying.

On Monday 16th November we are encouraging all children and staff once again to wear odd socks for the day! Odd Socks Day is an opportunity for children and staff to express themselves and appreciate individuality and uniqueness. All children will be expected to wear school uniform with their odd socks.

WHERE OH WHERE IS BOREHAM BEAR

This week Boreham Bear met up with some of our Year 5 class to see the poppies they had made to wear.



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HALF TERM SCIENCE INVESTIGATION

Our half termly science investigation challenges are back! We look forward to seeing your photos and videos posted on see-saw!

Can you protect a falling egg?

What you'll need:

- Eggs
- Paper towels

Build your egg protectors from resources such as:

- Plastic straws
- Tape
- Recycled paper
- Glue
- Plastic bags
- Boxes
- Used material
- Plastic containers



The aim:

- Your goal is to design and build something that will protect an egg from a 1 metre drop. Eggs that smash or crack fail the test while eggs that survive without a scratch pass! Share pictures and videos of your work on Seesaw.



IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK

As part of their topic on the Stone-age, our Year 3 class have designed some fabulous Stonehenge silhouettes.



Year 5 have been learning about rivers in Geography and have made collages to show the journey of a river.



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Thank you kindly for your £1 donations. We will let you know the grand total raised in next week's newsletter.

SPOOKY SPRINT

Thank you to all those who have bought in your sponsorship monies, we will let you know how much we have raised in next week's newsletter. If you still have money to collect please give this to your child's teacher as soon as you can.

F@BS PTA NEWS

Thank you from F@BS PTA to all those who entered the Halloween Virtual Balloon Race. Congratulations to Nina C for being first place in our fundraising group. A prize will be coming your way shortly.

In other news, at the F@BS AGM on Thursday 15th October, all the committee members were re-elected. We're all keen to find ways to fundraise for the school, even in the current climate. So keep an eye out for some fun events in December. Details about our Great Boreham Bake Off competition and the Boreham Christmas Trail will be announced soon!

Follow us on Facebook @BorehamPTA to keep up to date with F@BS news and events.

Thanks from Jasmine and all the F@BS team!

COMMUNITY SUPPORT

A reminder that Reverend Emma Wylie is happy for you to contact her and arrange to meet for a socially distanced chat or a 'walk and talk' if you ever need. Emma also joins school staff on the main gate on a Wednesday morning when she can. Emma has vast experience when supporting members of a local community which includes; coaching, basic psychodynamic counselling, supporting parents with challenging children and running special needs and breast feeding type support groups too.

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