



Children First Learning Partnership



Inspiring Excellence Together

# The Reginald Mitchell News

*"work together...learn together...reach for the sky"*

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18th October 2019



We have had another busy week of learning in school. Year 3 have been creating some wonderful Stone Age jewellery, tonight Year 4 are staying at school until 8pm as part of their topic "Hocus, Pocus" and Year 6 have blown us away with their amazing story writing!

We would like to invite you to our Harvest Festival on Friday 25th October at 9.15am. Any donations of tinned/dry food would be greatly appreciated, thank you!

Congratulations to the Green (Crocodile) team who between them managed to collect a magnificent 1,716 team points. The Blue (Whale) team collected 1,427 team points, the Yellow (Lion) team collected 863 team points and the Red (Parrots) team collected 791 team points.

Do you have a SPARE HOUR in your day? If so we NEED YOU! We would love to have a team of volunteers to help out in school. You could help with admin tasks such as photocopying, cutting and laminating, hearing readers and going on class visits! If you would like to volunteer then please come and see me and thank you! (Mrs Bassett)

There will be a new school lunch menu after half term! Parents, you are all invited to a taster session after school on Wednesday 6th November from 3.15pm, come along and see and taste what is on offer!

Our new attendance policy is on our website. If you would like a paper copy then please contact the office.

FINALLY, we can't wait to see all your amazing homework, please remember to bring in your homework books and anything you have made on Monday!!

It is that time of year again when we ask for your kind donations to help fill our Operation Christmas Child boxes!

Christmas might seem like a long time away, but we need to have the boxes filled and ready to go by November so that they can be sent to the children who really need them in time for Christmas.

Last year, with your help, we were able to fill an amazing 18 boxes! This year we would love to be able to match this number again or even beat it!

Can you help us?? Attached is a list of the things you can send in to help.

You can also fill your own box if you would like to! Thank you for your support and generosity! Mrs Smith (Nursery)



## SCHOOL PHOTOS

Please have your photo orders back in school for the 22nd October

**GOVERNOR REQUIRED-** Are you a parent at our school?

Would you like to part of our Local Advisory Board and help the senior leaders to maintain and further develop our wonderful school?

Do you have skills linked to safeguarding ?

If so you could be just what we are looking for! Please call in at the school office for an application form and further details or give us a call on 01782 973835. Closing date Friday 25th October 2019.

## Flu Vaccination



Don't forget to sign your fluenz consent forms and send them back into school as soon as possible. Thank you.

Please could you check your Parentpay accounts and make sure any outstanding amounts are cleared as soon as possible for dinners / Spitfires Club and /or Wraparound sessions . Thank you

**Our school value this week is - care for each other**



**ATTENDANCE**

**Winners for this week —  
Year 6 Fantastic!**

**Class attendance for this week**

Reception	99.6%
Y1	98.3%
Y2	99.7%
Y3	97.1%
Y4	94%
Y5	95.4%
Y6	100%

**Whole school 97.7%**

**School target 96.5%**

**Stars of the Week 14/10/2019**

- Reception: Miller Deck / Brocke Dritchard**
- Year 1: All of Year 1**
- Year 2: Robbie Carter / Alfie Donnelly**
- Year 3: Finley Edge / Maisy Wilkes**
- Year 4: Teegan Chetwynd / Elijah Smith**
- Year 5: Reuben Grocott / Tiffney Wallace**
- Year 6: Joel Bailey / Gemma Price**

**Writer of the Week**

- Reception: Emily Burrows**
- Year 1: Max Irving**
- Year 2: Oliver Moss**
- Year 3: Poppy Bennett**
- Year 4: Jasmin Harris**
- Year 5: Leo Dickthorne / Maisie Saunders**
- Year 6: Samia El Samadi Gilbert**

	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
<b>Option 1</b>	Pizza	Chicken & potato bake	Roast dinner	All day breakfast	Fish fingers
<b>Option 2</b>	Chinese style Noodles	Veggie pasta bolognese	Sweet potato & chickpea roast	All day breakfast	Vegetarian hotdog
<b>Option 3</b>	Jacket potato with various fillings				

Dates for your diary.



- 24th October**—Halloween Disco
- 25th October**—Harvest Festival
- 28th October—1st November**—Half term
- 4th November**—Return to school
- 14th November**—Year 1 to Stafford Castle
- 15th November**—Children in need—Wear something spotty
- 18th November**—Year 6 Maritime Museum