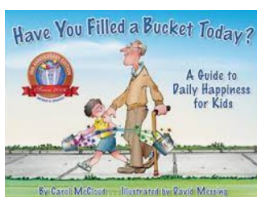


Friday 10th November 2023

INKPEN WEEKLY NEWS

Message from Miss Buck

As well as learning about Remembrance in assemblies this week, we shared a book called "Have you filled a bucket today?" in which everyone has an invisible bucket. Our bucket needs to be filled with positive, happy thoughts and can be filled by anyone—even ourselves. We talked about all of the different ways we could fill someone's bucket and how important it is that we do this. Unfortunately, any unkind words or actions can remove these happy thoughts and can empty someone's bucket. This is called "bucket dipping". The children shared ways in which people had filled their buckets this week during celebration assembly today. Whose bucket will you fill over the weekend?



Key dates coming up

- 23.11.23 SEND Coffee and Cake morning
- 23.11.23 School photographer
- 28.11.23 Pheasant Class trip to Newbury Museum
- 01.12.23 Year 6 Height and Weight check
- 01.12.23 PSA Wreath Making Event
- 06.12.23 Infant Nativity 09:30
- 07.12.23 Infant Nativity 2:00
- 12.12.23 Christmas Lunch and Christmas jumper Day
- 15.12.23 KS2 Christmas Carol Concert 2:30

In Forest School this week the children used different autumnal colours to weave onto leaf templates. They also built different dens demonstrating excellent cooperation and teamwork.



Stars of the Week 10.11.23

Red Kite: Belle

Pheasant: Jamie

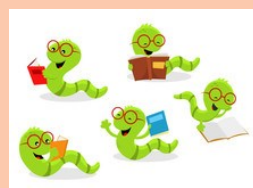
Crocus/Silver Birch: Alexander

Congratulations to our reading champions from this week:

Red Kite: Nancy

Pheasant: Daisy

Crocus: Jack



News from the classes

Red Kite:

In PSHE this week, the children were exploring ways in which we were different and, as always, impressed us with their tolerance and respect for others. Fractions has been the hot topic in maths this week and we have been adding and subtracting fractions using our understanding of common denominators.

Pheasant:

In Geography, Pheasant class have begun learning about Egypt and its different human and physical features. They used an atlas to locate important places and landmarks on their map such as The Nile and The Pyramids.

Crocus/Silver Birch:

Crocus class have started a new text this week called Dinosaur Bones and have enjoyed learning lots of interesting facts about this subject. We discussed the difference between fiction and non-fiction and decided that this new text was definitely non-fiction.

We made the Newbury
Weekly News!



Thank you to everyone who came and visited our art gallery on Thursday afternoon. I know that the children really enjoyed sharing their work with you. We hope you enjoyed looking at our final pieces and hope to invite you in again soon to look at more magnificent artwork.

