

The Coppice Primary School Newsletter

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Star of the week

RD- Mason
RG- Lawson
RT- Ava- Louise
1H- Susanna
1P- Ben
1W- Blake
2A- Isobel
2CA- Layla
2J- Alice
3HK- Amelia
3K- Amy
3P- Jamie
4S- Hamzah
4W- Alfie
5G- Oliver
5K- Jasmeet
5LG- Olivia E
6C- Chloe
6G- Lewis

Assembly theme

The theme for next week will be St Andrews Day.

Team Points

Week ending 22.11.19

First- 98 Falcons
Second- 95 Eagles
Third- 77 Hawks
Fourth - 75 Owls

Head Teacher's News

Last Friday was a fun filled day where we celebrated Children In Need Day in style. Thanks to your £1 coins we raised over £700 for the appeal, we had a very memorable talent show and we saw the whole school dressed up and looking remarkably spotty. Also Levi and Reuben C had previously held their own cake sale at their house and raised a magnificent £93.20 which was added to our collection. Thanks boys!

The winner of our talent show was Lewis W-T from Year 6 who treated the audience to a Freddie Mercury tribute in which he strutted confidently around the stage and expertly involved the crowd in clapping along to Radio Gaga.

Our runners up were Dhruv, who showed us his drumming skills to a song from The Greatest Showman and Ryley who read out a poem about his little sister.

There were lots of other acts who gave great performances and you can see some of them in the photo collage below.

Faye won the best dressed child award and Mr Hutt won the best dressed teacher award and even Rufus dressed up and entered into the spirit of things.

Thanks to the children who were our judges, we think they made very good decisions.



Attendance and Punctuality

% attendance 1.9.19 – 15.11.19					
RD	92.6	RT	95.8	RG	94.4
1H	96.0	1P	95.1	1W	95.5
2CA	96.8	2A	96.4	2J	95.9
3P	97.1	3K	98.8	3HK	95.9
4M	98.0	4W	93.2	4S	95.4
5G	97.3	5K	97.5	5LG	95.4
6L	96.8	6G	94.9	6C	96.3
Whole school 96.0%					

Highest Weekly Attendance w/b 11.11.19

Congratulations to RT & 3K for having the highest attendance in KS1 and KS2 respectively. Both classes achieved a brilliant 100%!

Punctuality Award: KS1: RD KS2: 3K

Mr Edward's match report- Year 6 district champions!

On Wednesday 20th November the Year 6 boys' football team took part in the district championship at Woodfield Academy in Redditch. Eight teams from the Redditch area were invited and Coppice were drawn in a group with Meadow Green, Walkwood and Birchensale schools.

Our first game was against our local rivals Meadow Green. Coppice dominated the play and were in control for large parts of the match. Three goals from Harry and one each for Fin and Joe made the final score 5-0 to Coppice.

Walkwood were our next opponents, a very quick and skilful team. The Coppice boys had to work exceptionally hard for the duration of the game. A well worked goal for Fin gave us the edge in the 1-0 victory.

Finally, in the group stage we played Birchensale. We had already qualified for the semi-final but the boys didn't take a rest, they played some lovely football to take the game 3-1, goals scored by Billy, Fin and Harry.

Following a short break it was time for the semi-final. We were against a well-coached team from Astwood Bank. It was a frustrating game to watch as we had the majority of possession but couldn't seem to score. Just before the final whistle, to the delight of the crowd, Harry scored to see us through to the final.

Having already played Walkwood in the group stage we knew that the final game would be a tight affair. It was a close match again with both teams having chances.

Late on in the game Fin had a shot that squirmed under the Walkwood goalkeeper which led to Coppice being crowned the Year 6 District Champions.

A massive well done to the boys: Harry, Fin, Billy, James, Joe, Leo, Max, Han and Charlie G. A huge thanks to all the people who came to support the boys in the freezing conditions.

Thanks to Miss Gatfield for coming with us- don't forget your gloves next time!

Thank you

The Aldi sticker promotion has now finished and our posters have been completed and sent to Aldi. The spare stickers we had went to two smaller schools who, due to the stickers we sent, have been able to complete their posters too. One of the schools only had 30 pupils and so were very grateful for the 55 stickers we sent. Thank you.

If you would still like to support the school please consider doing some of your shopping at Becketts Farm where we are one of the causes that you can support with tokens handed out at the checkout.

Year 6 parents would like to thank you for your support at their recent cake sale. They were raising funds for the end of year leavers' party. Your contributions raised just under £225. Thank you.

Community heroes



Brothers Marley and Dylan showed their fantastic community spirit this week by doing a litter pick on their walk to school. They had noticed that there was a lot of rubbish on their route and wanted to do something about it.

They managed to collect almost a full carrier bag of rubbish and they will definitely be doing it again.

Well done boys, it's great that you could see the problem and that you used your initiative and did something about it. We are really proud of you!

Community News



Christingle Service at St Mary's

St Mary's invites you to a Christingle Service at the start of Advent! It's on Sunday 1st December at 10.30am in St Mary's Church and will be a short, fun service, suitable for all ages. All are welcome; come and make your own Christingle to take home!



Train to be a teacher with your local school

Come and join us at our School Direct Information Morning

When: Friday 29th November

Venue: Woodrush Community Hub
10.15am—11.30am

We have School Direct places available in Primary and a variety of Secondary subjects. This is our 6th year of recruiting with 100% of our trainees gaining qualified teacher status in 2019.

This school direct open evening will include: how to apply, tips on making a successful application and information about the interview process. Individual advice will be available and opportunities to talk to current trainees.

Discover
their
potential!

Degree
Essential!



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To attend this event you must book a place at:
teachingschool@woodrush.org

Absence reporting reminder

If your child is absent from school, please let us know by phoning 01564 826709, texting 07624 881327 or emailing office@coppice.worcs.sch.uk before 8.30am on the day (please avoid sending in letters except when supplying evidence of medical appointments). It is important you give us the reason for the absence so that we can monitor any potential outbreak of illness and also so that we are able to record it accurately on the register. All unexplained absences will be marked as unauthorised. Thank you in anticipation of your co-operation.

Whilst we strongly discourage taking holidays during term-time, if you do wish to do this, please complete a 'leave of absence form' (available from the office).

Coming up...



MERRY CHRISTMAS

The Coppice Primary School PTA present the
Christmas Fair
Friday 6th December 2019
5pm - 7.30pm

Santa's Grotto ■ Full bar ■ BBQ
■ Refreshments ■ External Stall ■ Raffle ■ Games Galore ■ Secret Wrap Room ■
■ Tombolas and much more!

£1.00 per adult, under 12's free

Book your grotto tickets £3.00 in advance
www.pta-events.co.uk/coppice

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The Scholastic Book Fair is returning to The Coppice on Monday 2nd December until Thursday 5th December. It will be held in the Infant hall each day between 3.15 and 3.45pm. PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS IS CASH ONLY! Maybe you could pick up some Christmas presents?!

Our Website Links

School website- <http://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/>

Newsletter- <http://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/about-us/main-school-newsletter-and-nursery-newsletter/>

PTA- <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/coppice/#.Wv1BYDQvyp0>

Calendar- <http://www.coppice.worcs.sch.uk/about-us/calendar/>

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