



Papillon House School Newsletter

Autumn Term 2
Friday 17th November 2023



Dear Parents/Guardians,

Throughout this week, all the children, young people and staff at Papillon have been raising awareness of Children in Need through carrying out their "Bearpees" challenges in class. It was definitely a physical challenge for us all but everybody has done extremely well, especially Peacock Class who were already on over 600 Bearpees by this morning! Well done Peacock Class! It was lovely to see so many pupils in their Mufti clothes today, dressed for the occasion in their gym clothes or "comfies" as Mila called them! At the last count we had raised over £40. Well done Papillon! If you would like to continue to send in any further donations, we will be sending our donations to Children in Need by the end of next week. Thank you.

Primary Department News

Woodland Class have had a busy week learning about Remembrance Day. The children were very engaged in a Remembrance Day attention circle and showed their respects by being very quiet while the adult poured flour through a sieve over a cross and a soldier stencil. The children then took turns to drop tissue poppies over this, and enjoyed watching them fall slowly over the stencils. All children in Woodland enjoyed swimming on Tuesday and a trip to Morrisons café on Thursday for a sweet treat!

Meadow Class have been taking part in some lovely Remembrance Day activities this week including cooking biscuits and making mobiles. Meadow also went swimming and enjoyed a trip to ASDA Burgh Heath. It's been a great week in Meadow!

Peacock Class have been continuing with lots of "Jack and the Beanstalk" activities including beanstalk attention circles, cooking and making sessions. Some went horse riding and we visited Langley Vale Remembrance Park. The class have also been taking part in lots of "Bearpee" exercises for Children in Need today! Well done Peacock Class.

Reminders and Requests

A reminder to all parents who would like to order school photos to place orders by next Friday 24th November. Proofs were sent home before half term with instructions for ordering. For more information please visit <https://flashlight-photography.co.uk/>

WE NEED YOUR HELP! If you are interested in being part of a pilot group to trial the Evisence app please email naomi.hills@papillonhouseschool.co.uk. Evisence captures evidence of pupils learning and moderates progress and levels. The app has a function to enable parents to view photos digitally and in 'real' time. Please let Naomi know if you have any questions or would like more information.

Photo Gallery



Woodland enjoying swimming



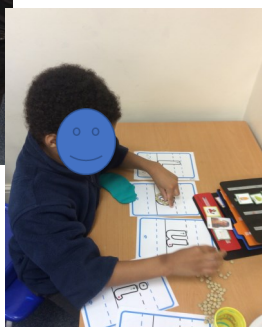
Remembrance Attention Circle



Michael helping in Meadow

Papillon Shout-Out!

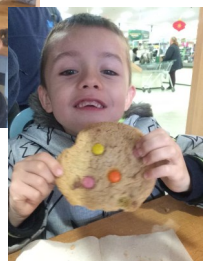
Aiden has been amazing helping his sisters in Woodland Class this week and Michael has been so helpful in Meadow Class on Tuesdays during their cooking and making sessions. Well done to them both!



Learning our alphabet



Woodland visiting Morrisons café for cookies!



Secondary Department News

Swallowtail Class have had a busy week! We continued with our scientific interest projects whilst some of us explored a range of electrical items and their functions. We went to Langley Vale Memorial Park on Tuesday to see the memorial sculptures and soldier statues and the children loved making bread rolls on Wednesday, moulding them into hedgehog shapes. In P.E, we practiced our dribbling and evasion skills where the children had to avoid the cones and control the ball as they navigated through the course. In our phonics session this week, they worked really hard in developing their phonics and reading skills. In our maths sessions we developed our understanding of comparing data by creating/reading a range of tables and graphs.

Monarch Class had another fantastic week. Both Kaleidoscope pupils and Monarch pupils took a trip to Tesco Gatwick, purchasing preferred fruits, equipment for furniture restoration and had a snack in the café. This week we have taken an in depth look at Diwali, creating our own Diya Lamps, Rangoli patterns, and learning how Diwali is celebrated around the world. Most importantly this week we have been celebrating Archie's birthday, enjoying all things PRIME! Happy Birthday Archie!

Admiral Class have enjoyed reading Fantastic Mr Fox and discussing the story. We went to ASDA to buy our cooking ingredients, and to look at the roles that different people have in ASDA. This week in Science, Admiral Class explored the force of balance and enjoyed the challenge using different objects to balance on wood, not letting them fall off! In cooking we made hotdogs and popcorn - they were delicious!! We have also been working in the garden preparing and tidying for the winter. The class were amazing today participating in daily star jumps to support Children in Need.

Emperor Class practised their letter writing this week, spending time looking through the photographs taken last week at Centenary Wood and writing sentences describing their thoughts and feelings. Cooking is going very well, the highlight being Yara's strawberry macaroons which tasted amazing! They sold out in the café! Yara has been researching chocolate mochi (which originate from Japan) and has written the recipe and steps to make them using her ICT skills. Emperor class also went shopping for the café which has been very busy. Thanks to Cass for preparing the side salad. Cass also enjoyed a spaghetti bolognese for the first time! Today Emperor completed a Disney Trail around all 25 shops in Tadworth, finding a letter in each shop window to spell out a secret phrase. Perhaps they'll tell you what the phrase is...

Star of the Week

Our "Stars" this week are:

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| Woodland | Nicholas for <i>"being independent in completing morning work."</i> |
| Meadow | Mia for <i>"great participation and learning in all lessons"</i> |
| Peacock | Zachary for <i>"amazing making on Wednesday, making a golden harp for "Jack and the Beanstalk."</i> |



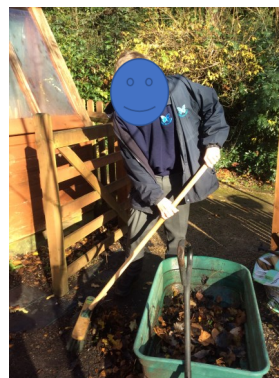
Photo Gallery



Ball control
in PE



Reflecting at Langley Vale Memorial Park



Admiral tidying
for the winter



Shopping in ASDA

Birthdays

Alex L (Business Manager) celebrated her birthday this week and received some chocolates, flowers, alcoholic beverages and a Pot Noodle!



Therapy

Well done to Peacock Class who worked really hard in their first gross and fine motor skills group of the year. They participated well, working on core and shoulder strength as well as fine motor coordination and letter formation. *Claire Messom, Occupational Therapist and Tabitha Garnett, Occupational Therapy Assistant Practitioner.*

Well done to Stuart in Emperor class for great engagement in his Art Therapy session this week, discussing emotions and creating stories. *Keith Waterman, Art Therapist.*

Head Teacher Award-

This week's Head Teacher's Award is awarded to Aiden for fantastic horse riding this term. Aiden has been steering his horse using the reins. Well done!



Important Dates

Diary Dates

Below is a list of events taking place over the Autumn Term. Further information will be sent nearer the time. The theme for assembly next week is 'Children in Need'.

DAY	DATE	TIME	EVENT
Tuesday	28th November	All day	Pantomime in school
Wednesday	6 th December	am	Primary visit to Bocketts Farm (Woodland, Meadow and Peacock)
Wednesday	13 th December	1.30pm	Christmas Show
Monday	18th December		Children's Christmas Lunch
Tuesday	19th December	2pm	Last day of term. School finishes at 2pm.

Papillon 'Quote of the Week'

"You haven't read that 'Dear Zoo' book then!" after Alex asked Zachary what his favourite zoo animal is, and Zachary replied "a dog!"

Zachary—Peacock Class

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Epsom RDA & All Saints, West Ewell
invite you to

Carols at the stables



A seasonal celebration of carols, food and
festive cheer, featuring;

Nativity on horseback
Mulled wine | Mince pies
The Nag's Head Bar
The Sizzle Food Truck

**FREE
ENTRY**


Sunday 10th December from 5pm
Epsom RDA | St Ebba's Farm | Hook Road
KT19 8QW




Christmas SEN Disco!
Saturday 2nd December 2023
6pm to 8pm




Ticket price: £5 per child/young person attending. Carers go free.

 **Location:** Frames Coulsdon, 202 Brighton Rd, Coulsdon CR5 2NF


 This is a SEN friendly disco for children and young adults with SEN and their families.


It is Alcohol free.

 **Parking:** There is parking on Lion Green Road Car Park. Lion Green Road car park


100 spaces, 2 disabled spaces - Open 24 hours - Motorcycles: free

Charges apply Monday to Saturday, 7am to 6pm

 **Music:** Please let us know what music you would like to hear and we will do our best to play at least one of each attendee's favourite tunes.

 **We would also like to make you aware that strobe and other lights are used and music is played at a volume that provides a club experience.**

We also have a quieter area for those who need it.

 All young people must be accompanied by a parent/carers. Please note the SEN disco will close at 8pm.

 You can get your tickets here: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/focus-surrey-saturday-club/t-noyqkmo>