

Newsletter: 30th September 2022

Key things to remember for next week

- Tuesday 4th October: Year 2 Stonehurst Farm trip. Parents if you haven't already done so, please can you log onto Parent Pay and arrange payment
- Tuesday 4th October: Parents evening
- Wednesday 5th October: **deadline for ordering school photographs**
- Thursday 6th October: Parents evening
- Please make sure you have selected the **Goose Fair special lunch** through <https://www.myevolvehub.com/login> if you haven't already
- Remember to order school milk though <https://www.coolmilk.com/>
- Please see the bottom of the newsletter for more upcoming dates

What's been happening in school?



Reception

Reception classes have been listening to the story of 'Leaf Man- A Stroll through the Seasons'. In circle time they have been playing memory games. In English they have been drawing objects beginning with the letter 'l' and they have also started to write the letter out for themselves. They will also have received their first reading books in their book bags this week.

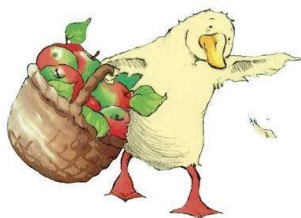
Year 1

Our year one children have been reading the story of Supertato and doing lots of interesting activities to support their learning journey, including labelling a picture of Supertato using phonemes they have already learnt to spell out the words. In maths they have been practising counting backwards from a given number and they have also been listening to music from around the world, such as Brazilian carnival music and Bhangra.



Year 2

Continuing with the theme of Farmer Duck, the children have been watching a video, making puppets and putting on a drama performance around the story. They have also been learning about different types of farms, for example dairy, poultry and crop farms. In maths they have also been counting forwards in 2s, 5s and 10s.



Parents' evenings

You should have received a slip in your child's book today or in previous days showing the date and time of your appointment. Teams links will be sent to your emails before the appointment.



Working together to ensure our children are safe, happy and healthy. Ready to learn, ready for life, ready to shine.



Harvest Festival

Thank you for your amazingly generous donations of food for the Friary. We are truly overwhelmed with the amount that you have sent in. This week we had our first whole school assembly of the term, where the children sang all of their autumn songs that they have been practicing so well over the last few weeks.

Parent & carer reading volunteers information meeting

This meeting has been arranged for Friday 7th October at 9.30am we will be sending a link out early next week. We look forward to seeing you.

What happens in the morning when it rains?

As the weather begins to turn and we have some more wet mornings, we wanted to remind you of the drop off process for children when it is raining. Enter the playground via the normal front gate from 08:50 onwards and then we will direct the children straight inside via the front and back doors. Parents and carers will need via the back gate as normal.

Emotional health and wellbeing workshop

Thanks to everyone who attended this online event, if you require any further information please log on to our website where we have a wealth of support information saved <https://www.westbridgfordinfants.co.uk/emotional-health-wellbeing/>

New parent information evening

Thanks to all of the new parents who came along this Wednesday. We will be uploading a copy of the presentation onto the website for all of those that couldn't make it or would like a recap.

Avon Gardens

We are having quite a few near misses on Avon Gardens with pedestrians walking in the road. Please be aware that this is not a pedestrianised area and so we need to follow the usual safety rules such as ensuring we all stick to the pavement and look out for vehicles.

Key dates

We have set as many dates as possible for the year ahead. As far as possible, we will try to honour these dates. All dates in **purple** are PTA events. Please be aware that dates may have to be changed due to circumstances outside our control. More detailed information about individual events will be shared over the coming weeks.

2022-23	<p>Wednesday 5th October Friday 7th October Wednesday 12th October Monday 17th – Friday 28th October Monday 31st October Tuesday 1st November Thursday 3rd November Thursday 15th & Friday 16th December Monday 19th December Wednesday 21st December</p>	<p>PTA meeting Portello Lounge at 19:30 Cake sale at 15:30 Parents Evening October Half Term INSET Day – school closed to children First day back ☺ Ladies Evening- Stick and Ribbon at 19:30 Year 1 & 2 school nativity at St Giles am Reception Christmas sing along at WBIS Last Day of term – school finishes for Christmas break</p>
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