

Dear parents and carers,

Friday 19 November 2021, forthcoming events for the week commencing Monday 22 November 2021			
Monday	22.11.21	8am-9am 3.30pm-6pm After school	Breakfast club After school club After school football club with Brackley Town
Tuesday	23.11.21	8am-9am 9am – 10am 10:45am 3.30pm-6pm 7.30pm	Breakfast club Guitar and Ukulele music lessons Brass music lessons After school club FOSS Meeting
Wednesday	24.11.21	8am-9am 3.30pm-6pm	Breakfast club After school club
Thursday	25.11.21	8am-9am 3.30pm-6pm	Breakfast club After school club
Friday	26.11.21	8am-9am Lunchtime Afternoon After school 3.30pm-6pm	Breakfast club Hotshots basketball – year 3, 4, 5 and 6 Individual and group string lessons After school football club with Brackley Town After school club

### A message from Miss Onion and Ms Williams about reading books

We have now launched our new reading scheme, Read Write Inc. This means that those children who are being supported in their early reading by this scheme will be bringing home reading books from the scheme. These reading books are to be brought back to school every day. In order that the children make the progress they need to make and become confident readers as quickly as possible they should be practising every day and returning their books to school the following day. Each child who takes a book home has a small zip up plastic packet with their book and other resources in it. We will be hosting a parent information evening about new scheme shortly, so please keep a look out for details.

### FOSS – we *still* need you help!

FOSS have a number of events coming up soon and they need your help! Without volunteers to support the running of the events the committee organises, we won't be able to host any. FOSS are delighted that Christmas Santa collections are running again this year; but they need your help! Please see the FOSS section of the newsletter on the following page for details about you can help. Separately, FOSS need some volunteers for the Christmas book fair in the final week of Novembers. Details are below:-

*The FOSS winter book fair is planned from Tuesday 30th November to Thursday 2nd December 2021. We intend to hold the book fair in the school hall. We are looking for 2 helpers for the slots below:*

*Tuesday 30th: 2x helpers from 15:00 until 16:15 Refreshments or General Assistance*

*Weds 1st Dec: 2x helpers from 15:00 until 16:15 Refreshments or General Assistance*

*Thurs 2nd Dec: 2x helpers from 15:00 until 16:15 Refreshments or General Assistance*

*The fair will be run by Jo who is experienced at running the fairs so you won't be thrown in the deep end.*

### Final Pantomime Arrangements

Final details of both trips to panto will be sent out next week; please keep a look out for them.

Upcoming diary dates	Thought for the day...
<p><b>WC6.12.21</b> – Assessment week  <b>7.12.21</b> – reception and KS1 panto trip to Chipping Norton  <b>15.12.21</b> – KS2 panto trip to Milton Keynes  <b>16.12.21</b> – Term 2 finishes  <b>17.12.21</b> – INSET day  <b>4.1.22</b> – Term 3 begins</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">WINSTON S. CHURCHILL</p>

### FOSS Updates

We are delighted that the Brackley Round Table Musical Santa collections are happening again this festive period. The FOSS date for the collection is **Sat 4th Dec 21 from 18:00 to 20:30**. Our route is Brackley - Humphries South, Banbury Rd, Churchill Way. The meeting point is at the bottom of Humphries Way near the Zip Wire Park. We need 15 adults so please mention it to other parents in the playground and spread the word. Children are welcome at an adult to child ratio of 1:1. Please let me know if you would like to take part on your own or with your family. It's a fun event, with lots of Christmas cheer and the chance to get your Santa hats out early!

### SPS Achievements this week

#### Ready Respectful Safe – going above and beyond our high expectations

**Pre-School – Edward** showed great kindness this week. He shared his super hero car with Viyon and commented on Olivia's model, telling her that it was beautiful. Well done, Edward.

**Reception** – In Reception week **Wade** has done an amazing job at putting more effort into being ready to learn in our phonics sessions. He is even beginning to blend by himself and told us he has been practising at home. Keep it up, Wade!

**Year 1 and 2 – Skyla** - for always being ready to learn and for working incredibly hard this week in every lesson

**Year 3 – Fayola and Cromisha** – in gymnastics this week both Fayola and Cromisha performed some brilliant work on 2 pieces of equipment that they have been worried about using in the past. Girls, your gymnastics was brilliant, well done!

**Year 4 – Orlah** has worked really hard this week and been very focussed particularly when writing her newspaper report. Well done, Orlah!

**Year 5 – Tom** – for his brilliant focus and application all week!

**Year 6 – Lilly** – for her amazing contribution in Maths this week! Well done, Lilly.

**Special Head Teacher mention – the 6 girls in year 5** who have been working with me this week to try and resolve some differences they have had. The girls have approached the work we've done with a real maturity and understanding of how their differences can impact each other. Girls, well done, I am looking forward to continuing our work next week.

With best wishes,  
Matt Green  
Head Teacher