



Orchard Weekly Bulletin 30th April 2018

Welcome to the team!

We would like to give a very warm welcome to Mr. Howbrook our new site manager and Mrs. Stevenson our new school cook who have both recently joined the Orchard team. Mr. Howbrook has already made a fabulous start working on improving our school garden areas alongside Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Bailey and the Year 5 children.

Mrs. Stevenson has been around to each class to meet the children and get their ideas about the school dinner menu. We look forward to some exciting lunch time events in the future.

If you see either of them around school be sure to say 'hello!' ☺

Mr Cook returns to school this week on a phased return.

He is very much looking forward to seeing the Orchard pupils, families, staff and governors.



Attendance Challenge

Position	Class	Attendance
1 st	Miss Gullett	98.4
2 nd	Mrs Colley	98.2
3 rd	Mrs Jenkinson	97.4

Whole school attendance

95.3

100% Attendance weekly award

(RC) Louie Johnson (RMB) Ellis Gainford (1M) Caitlin Harris-Ascroft (1/2G) Mazie Pearce (2J) Isabelle Thomson (3H) Daisy Brocklehurst (3/4W) Bronwyn Morgan (5R) Thomas Williams (5/6J) Emily Hayes (6C) Vaughan Heng



Poppy Seed Planting - To commemorate the end of WW1

As you know 2018 is a very important anniversary - both happy and sad. In November it will be 100 years since the end of the First World War. To begin our commemorations the whole school joined together to plant poppy seeds to create a small field of poppies in remembrance of those who died and to celebrate the outbreak of peace. We will be watching for the tiny shoots to appear very soon.



Sporting News



Year 5 and 6 girls football

Action from our girl's team this week, with year 4, 5 and 6 representing. The girls played very well, securing the highest top 3 position. We won the quarter finals and the semis but were beaten in the final. The girls showed resilience and teamwork throughout and made new friends too.



Year 5 and 6 boys football

Thursday afternoon at Kin gsway: the rain stayed away for our final league match of the season. Whoever won would be league champions. Orchard took the game to them and won 3-1 against a quality side. Great examples of resilience, teamwork and determination. League winners!



Fine Dining This week's dinner menu: Week 3

This week we held a Foundation Stage and Key Stage One themed fine dining in the hall. The following children got to have their lunch on the 'Top Table' with Mrs Chambers:

Rocco Burgin (R) Lorelai Sharp (R)
Heidi Clarke (1M)
Vinnie Pickering (1M)
Sophie Watson (1/2G)
Archie Unwin (1/2G)
Finley Burton (2JT)
Summer Wright (2JT)



School INSET/ May Day Bank Holiday

Please be reminded that school will be closed on Friday 4th May 2018 for an INSET Day. School will also be closed on Monday 7th May 2018 for the May Day Bank holiday.

Please note that the school gate opens at 8.35am for children to arrive on the playground before the bell at 8.45am. We are not permitted to supervise the children before this time.

House Points

This week's house point target:

Creativity: To join in with the Orchard

Song.



