



Oakridge Community Primary School

Newsletter

September 25th 2020



Celebration assemblies

In the current climate we won't be able to continue with these in the same format. The children will still receive their certificates but at the moment we can't invite parents to share the presentation. We are looking in to alternatives where our parents can be more involved.

Certificates this week go to:-

Gold –

Bronze-

Silver –

Stars of the week- Alice Woodmass, Lilly Wilcock, Alex Jordan, Lila Danby

Special Awards- All of Seahorse Class

Headteacher Awards – Scott Ellis for a lovely piece of maths work using Roman numerals, and Bella Richardson for her art work using different types of lines.

Jeans for Genes Day

A huge thank you for supporting such a worthy cause, we raised a fantastic £33.50

Harvest Festival

Again due to the pandemic, we can't go ahead with our usual harvest plans of collecting and delivering food to our local community as we wouldn't want to put them in danger. We are still planning to collect donations of food on 19th October please, box it up and will work with the PTFA to distribute it locally on 23rd October. We will have a celebration in school on 22nd October which we will share with you.

Friday After School Sports Club

The Friday after school sports club will finish at 4.30pm, please ensure that your child is picked up promptly.

Violins

Please could you return any violins to school that you have at home. as soon as possible. Mr Bentley will be picking them up shortly.

Open Door

Oakridge will continue to have an open door policy where any one is welcome to call in and discuss any concerns or to give any suggestions. However, there might not always be the right person available so you might have to arrange a mutually convenient time this is especially important in light of the Covid – 19 situation

Drinks for Snack

Unfortunately, Mrs Bell can no longer get the Apple and Orange cup lets that were 85ml priced at 20p. She now has to order them in 150ml size, but they will have to go up to 30p. Apple will start on Tuesday at 30p, the Orange will remain at 20p until the cup lets have run out. We will inform you when this happens.

Census Day

Census day is Thursday 1st October, could we please ask all packed lunches to have a school dinner that day. The price of the school dinner is £2.60 and is payable on Monday 28th September. Reception Year 1 and Year 2 get Universal Free School Meals. Any questions please contact the school office.

Social Distancing

Can I please remind everyone that it is important for all adults to remain 2m apart when waiting to drop off or collect children. Also can I please ask that only one adult comes to collect from the playground - any additional adults are welcome to wait outside of the school gates, remembering to allow enough space for the children and adults to exit. I realise that this may cause a few issues but we are trying to keep any infection to a minimum and we all have a part to play in keeping our community healthy. Thank you for your help.

Mrs Hilary Thompson
Headteacher