

NEWSLETTER 18th November 2020 **Talbot First School**



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Newsletter

We will be publishing the newsletter every two weeks on a Wednesday and will be emailing this out to the email address we currently have on file. If you do not receive one and would like to, or wish to opt out please let us know.

The newsletter will also be posted on the school website: www.talbot.staffs.sch.uk.

Governor Vacancy

The Woodlands Federation Governors work closely with the School and Staff on the strategy and School governance, and are looking for additional members to join them. If you would be interested in joining the Governors and making a difference and supporting your school please feel free to get in touch via the email below to find out more information: governors@woodlandsfederation.staffs.s ch.uk Thankyou.



Children in Need Thank you for your help in raising £43 for the charity.

Film Night Friday 20th November 3.30 to 5.30pm

We are running our film night Friday 20th November. Please return your consent by email to:office.talbot@woodlandsfederatio n.staffs.sch.uk and please send in your contribution of £3 in an envelope marked with your child's name. We will be providing a drink and snack for the children.

Before and After School Club

We attach the details of our wraparound care club which is available for you from 7.30am to 6pm Monday to Friday.

Next week's activities will be origami and cross stich.



School lunch news

24th November All Day Breakfast 9th December Christmas lunch 17th December Christmas Party lunch

Chip Friday—50p for a portion of chips with your home packed lunch

Christmas Jumper Day Friday 11th December

We will be raising funds for Save the Children by wearing Christmas tops/ jumpers.

Headlice

We want to remind parents of the importance of regularly checking for these unwelcome visitors. Please follow the link below for information of how to deal with themhttps://www.nhs.uk/conditions/headlice-and-nits/

School Uniform

We are asking parents to order uniform online by using www.brigade.uk.com and selecting Talbot First School from the drop down menu. We do have a few uniform items re-

maining in school if you want to check with Mrs Everill first before placing an order.

TSA News

<u>TSA AGM</u>

The TSA AGM meeting will take place in January, the date is yet to be agreed but everyone is very welcome to come along.

The TSA are looking for new committee members and would really appreciate support from parents. If you would like to know more, please speak to Karen Edwards.

Richard Greenwood Photography date change

Due to lockdown the date has been provisionally moved to Friday 4th December. Time slots will be available to be booked from 16th November.

Bag2School

Many thanks for everyone who donated for the last collection. Another one is scheduled for Feb/March next year.

<u>Christmas Raffle</u> Please could the raffle envelopes please be back as soon as possible either into school or handed to me. Just in case we have another full lockdown we will still draw it towards the end of term.

Amazon Smile Fundraising If shopping on Amazon a percentage can be donated to a charity—please search for Talbot School Association when asked to choose the charity.

The Christmas card orders were distributed this week, please let us know if you haven't received yours.

Thank you to everyone for supporting the TSA.

MAPLE CLASS NEWSLETTER 18th November 2020 Talbot First School



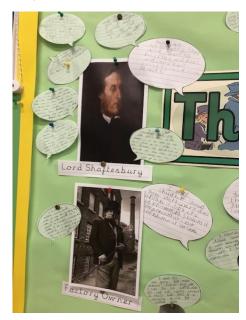
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Maple Class News

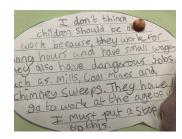
The children in Maple Class have had a busy 2 weeks since half term.



They have been finding out about what life was like for Victorian working children and about the work of Lord Shaftesbury.

They may be able to tell you what a philanthropist is! We realised that people have different opinions about whether children should work and then we shared our own opinions.





On 11th November they learnt about Remembrance Day, joined with the other classes and some villagers with two minutes silence when the church bell chimed eleven and completed some related craft activities.



Friday 13th November was 'Children in Need' and the children wore non uniform and learnt how to draw Pudsey bear.



This week is Anti bullying Week so we all came to school in odd socks to celebrate the fact that we are all different and all unique



Star of the Week

Week ending 6th Nov

Iris Wibberley for being an excellent role model and setting an example, working independently and challenging herself.

Ellsia Archer for excellent progress in reading and writing and being an independent and enthusiastic learner

Sam Chadfield for always trying his best.

Week ending 13th Nov

Holly Lawton for determination in Maths and English and enthusiasm in history.

Violet Meek for being an enthusiastic learner and sharing with mummy your Maths learning at home.

Emily Norman for enthusiasm and a good attitude to learning in Music. Perseverance with the ukulele and a happy smiley face when singing.

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Willow and Cherry Class Ne<u>ws</u>

We have been very busy since we returned to school after the half term. We have enjoyed our History learning. membrance Day and thinking about Molly said, " Guy Fawkes got caught in what we are thankful for. "We stood a dungeon because he was a little bit naughty. He wanted to kill the King because he didn't trust him. He want ed to blow up the Houses of Parliament.

Lola said, "I learnt about Guy Fawkes. There was a gunpowder plot. There was a letter sent to the King and then they got caught."

Fabulous Firework Art





Remembrance Day



"We have been learning about Restill at 11 o'clock to remember about the soldiers." Jasper said.

Year 1

The children have clearly enjoyed being back at school. Ellie and Leo said that they have enjoyed playing with their friends outside. In English we have been learning about the Three Little Pigs. Miya

said," I've enjoyed English. We've been learning the Three Little Pigs. We made a map of a new story. Mine was the Three Little ducks."

Nursery and Reception have settled really well into school life. Max said," I learnt about about a,b,c,d,e,f,g, and Diwali. It's a Celebration of light." Jack said, "I have been learning

sounds." Xander said, "I like playing with the

Poppoids." and George said, "I like painting." Mia said, "I like playing with the farm

and the animals.

In Science we have been learning about materials and their properties. We can identify different materials and use words like transparent, opaque, waterproof and absorbent to describe them. We will be investigating which material will make the best wall. Emily said, "Waterproof means a liquid cannot get through."

Potion Shop

The children have been enjoying playing together in our potion shop. We have had some very interesting ingredients in our potions!



Odd Sock Dav

On Monday we celebrated Odd Sock Day. We all decorated a pair of socks and we thought about how we can show kindness to one another.

'We wore odd socks to celebrate people be-



ing kind." Harry said.

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Week ending 6th Nov

Jack Capewell for excellent building in the construction area.

Pippa Cox for a super start to Nursery

Nia Rowley for a super start to Nursery.

Week ending 13th Nov Harry Norman for super learning behaviour in maths, and listening carefully.

George Durose for trying lots of new things. For a beautiful Poppy picture and a bright firework picture.

Talbot First School Breakfast and After School Club

- Based at Talbot First School in Kingstone
- Age range 3-9+
- Breakfast Club from 7.30am
- After School Club until 6.00pm
- Holiday Club available at St Peter's First School, Marchington- advance booking recommended.
- Direct line for Breakfast and After School Club 07432 778129

Club	Hours	Fee
Breakfast Club	7.30-9.00am	£6.25 (includes Breakfast)
	8.00-9.00am	£4.25
	8.30-9.00am	£2.25
After School Club	3.30-3.45pm	£2.00
	3.30-4.00pm	£2.25
	3.30-4.30pm	£4.25
	3.30-5.00pm	£6.25
	3.30-5.30pm	£8.50
	3.30-6.00pm	£10.75
For children coming from after school activities or other schools	Up to 15 minutes	£2.00
	Up to 30 minutes	£2.25
	Up to 1 hour	£4.25
	Up to 1.5 hours	£6.25

Late Collection after 6pm	Per 15 minutes	£10.00
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Drinks and snacks are provided.

Please book your place in advance.

Non-attendance without cancellation may lead to a minimum charge. Invoices are produced fortnightly and should be paid within 10 days of receipt. Payments can be made by cash, cheque or direct bank transfer.