

Comberton Update

11.10.24



**Comberton
Primary School**

*A caring community
for all to shine*

Attendance

Whole School Attendance – 95.8%

Years 1-3 Class Winners – Year 1 – Miss Haycocks with 97.2% 3rd week in a row - £100 PRIZE WINNERS!

Years 4-6 Class Winners – Year 4 – Mrs Wassall with 97.5% - 2nd week in a row!

Congratulations and keep it up!

Learning

Children in Reception have been learning all about people who help them. They have been dressing up as various roles such as police, vets and nurses and discussing the ways in which they help. They have been enjoying exploring our new resources in their lovely outdoor area.

Year 6 have been learning about the circulatory system in science. They have been conducting an experiment to measure their heart rate before and after exercise and recording their results in a bar chart.



Year 4 enjoyed a wonderful visit to the Hindu Temple on Monday as part of their RE learning. The children returned brimming with knowledge and buzzing with excitement from their experience. The children were a credit to the school throughout.



Harvest

Thank you so much for your generous contributions to our Harvest Festival. We held Harvest assemblies in school led by the children and year 6TP then carried all the food donations to Brook Court Care Home where we joined together for a joint Harvest Festival with the elderly residents. Our children performed poems and songs and one of the residents also shared some Harvest poems with us. We finished with a joint song. We are thoroughly looking forward to our community partnership with this Care Home. All Harvest donations have now been taken to Kidderminster Foodbank.

Pupil Voice

Our safeguarding Governor visited school and we had the pleasure hearing from some of the children about their experiences in school. They were overwhelmingly positive about school being their safe place and all the adults who they could go to if they had any worries. They could also identify aspects of the curriculum that helped to teach them about staying safe; such as healthy relationships as part of PSHRE and online safety in computing. They were also aware of our filtering and monitoring systems on the computers that ensure they only access safe content.





Hello Yellow!

It was really joyful having a sprinkling of sunny yellow across school yesterday and certainly made everyone smile! The children loved it! The children also took part in some activities in class around positive mental health. We raised £244 for Youngminds – thankyou.

Dinners

In order for your child/ren to receive a school meal you will need to have booked it in advance on the **Innovate** ordering system by 11pm on the Saturday for the following week. <https://ifg.kanpla.dk/>
If no meal is booked by this day and time it will be

expected that your child/ren will be sent with a packed lunch from home.

If you are unable to order or have not received your link, please email: primary@impactfood.co.uk

School Photos

Individual school photos were taken today. If your child was absent, there will be an additional date arranged which we will inform you of in due course.

School Council Pumpkin Carving Competition

Fancy yourself as an artist? Have a go at carving a pumpkin over October half term with the supervision and assistance of an adult.

Bring your named pumpkin to school on Monday 4th November to be judged by School Council who will award prizes to the chosen winners.



Pumpkin Donations

After school club are looking for donations of pumpkins for their Halloween activities planned over the next 2 weeks. If you are able to help, please let the office know.

Athlete Sponsorship

Thank you for all your efforts in gaining sponsorships for your child for the athlete

event. We collected a total of £2346 with £1103 coming to school for us to spend on school sports. Amazing!



SEN PEER SUPPORT GROUP

FOR PARENTS/CARERS OF CHILDREN WITH SEND

THIS GROUP HAS BEEN SET UP BY PARENTS AND VOLUNTEERS FOR PARENTS/CARERS TO SHARE INFORMATION/GAIN SUPPORT AND SOCIALISE IN A CHILD FREE ENVIRONMENT.

This group meets from
9:30am-11am

Brookside Family Hub, Borrington Road, Kidderminster, DY10 3ED

This group is for parents/carers only.

11th and 25th
Sept



13th and 27th
Nov

9th and 23rd
Oct

11th
Dec

No diagnosis is required to attend these are drop in sessions.
For more information, please contact us on 01562 827207/
01299 877290 or email us at admin.wyreforest@barnardos.org.uk

EVERY CONTACT SHAPES A LIFE




Dates Next Week:

Mon 14th Oct	
Tues 15th Oct	Year 2 trip to Hartlebury Museum Year 5 swimming Peter Cooper Assemblies
Weds 16th Oct	8:45 – 9am – Welcome Wednesday. All parents welcome to read in class.
Thurs 17th Oct	
Fri 18th Oct	Violin and Guitar lessons Year 6 Football sessions with Kidderminster Harriers

Looking ahead

Mon 21st Oct 3:30 – 7pm – Parents Evening

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Tues 22nd Oct 3:30 – 5:30pm – Parents Evening and Book Fair

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Thurs 24th Oct – PTFA Halloween Discos

Fri 25th Oct – Break up for Half Term

Mon 4th Nov – Return to School

Weds 6th Nov – NSPCC Assemblies

w/c/ 11th Nov – Kindness Week – Choose Respect

Tues 12th – Odd Socks Day

Weds 13th Nov – KPSA Singing Day – selected KS2 pupils

Thurs 14th Nov – Year 5 Robotics Workshops

Fri 15th Nov – KS2 Cross Country event for selected pupils

Fri – 15th Nov – Children in Need – children may wear spots!

Tues 26th Nov – Flu vaccinations

Thurs 5th Nov – PTFA Film night – 3:15 – 4:15 Nursery and Reception, 4:30 – 5:30 KS1 and 2

Weds 18th Dec – Christmas Dinner

Friday 20th Dec – Break up for Christmas

Christmas Play and Concert Days will be confirmed within the next 2 weeks.