



# The Valley Primary School Newsletter



Welcome to this week's newsletter. There is lots of new information and dates please read it carefully.

## Celebration Assembly

From **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November** we will be welcoming parents/ carers back into school for our fortnightly celebration assemblies. Our assemblies start at 9.20am and last for about twenty minutes.

We need to keep as safe as possible therefore this arrangement will be dependent on local COVID restrictions and cases.

## Diary Dates

### November

- 11<sup>th</sup> November – Remembrance at the Cenotaph
- 25<sup>th</sup> November – 130<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party (for the children)
- 27<sup>th</sup> November – 130<sup>th</sup> Celebration & Open Day

### December

- 10<sup>th</sup> December – Autumn Reports sent home
- 15<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Dinner
- 16<sup>th</sup> December – School Trip to the New Vic Theatre
- 17<sup>th</sup> December – School closes for Christmas



## Happy 130<sup>th</sup> Birthday



The Valley Primary School will celebrate its' 130<sup>th</sup> birthday later this month. To mark this milestone we have planned a few events.

During the week beginning 22<sup>nd</sup> November, a number of past pupils and staff will be invited into school to talk to the children about their experiences at The Valley.

On Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November, we will be having a 'birthday party' day for the children during which Kat (our school cook) will provide us with a buffet lunch, we plan on playing a few party games and of course there will be cake!

Then on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> November, we will hold a special Open Day. During the day, we will have all of the school archives on display, which captured the school over many years. You will be able to join us for tea and cake and we hope to host a few small stalls. It is also a good opportunity to have a look around our beautiful school. The event will run 12:00 until 2pm, if any one could help we would love to hear from you.

Obviously, the birthday celebrations will need to be as safe as possible and are dependent on there being no changes to COVID 19 restrictions or a significant increase in cases locally.

## Stars of the Week



*Our stars from Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October;*

Class 1 – Wilf and Henry  
Class 2 – Conrad and Hettie  
Class 3 – Leah and Esme



## Follow us on social media

You and all your friends and family can now follow our fantastic school on Facebook and Instagram. You can also check out our school website to see what we have been getting up to.



[www.tmpf.staffs.sch.uk](http://www.tmpf.staffs.sch.uk)



## Need to speak to a member of staff?

We continue to use our class email addresses to send and receive correspondence.

Staff do their best to check these emails daily during term time.

We respectfully ask that you consider the times which emails/messages are sent to staff.

Class One – [valleyclass1@tmpf.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:valleyclass1@tmpf.staffs.sch.uk)

Class Two – [valleyclass2@tmpf.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:valleyclass2@tmpf.staffs.sch.uk)

Class Three – [valleyclass3@tmpf.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:valleyclass3@tmpf.staffs.sch.uk)



## Remembrance Day



The children will mark Armistice Day at the village Cenotaph on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November. The children will gather at 10.50am in preparation for the Act of Remembrance at 11am. You are welcome to join us.



**Congratulations**  
Congratulations to Mrs Bailey who became a Grandma this week to a beautiful granddaughter, Annabel Rose.



## Birthdays

We would like to wish a very happy birthday to...

*Poppy and Lydia,*

All of whom have a birthday in November.

We hope you have a fantastic day.

