



'A happy place to learn and grow' Oxhey First School

12/11/2021



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Part of the



Dear all,

Yesterday our pupils observed a 2 minute silence, created poppy art, wrote special poems and prayers in remembrance of all those who have lost their lives in war. Our Head boy, Head girl and deputies have been invited to take part in the parade on Sunday and lay a wreath at the Biddulph cenotaph. Thank you to Mrs Holt and Mrs Peach who will be attending with them. A big thank you also to Major Jason Peach for delivering a very special assembly today for our pupils. They have enjoyed asking lots of questions and finding out lots of interesting facts.

Have a lovely weekend from Mrs Jukes and the Oxhey Staff Team.

Baby news

We are very pleased to share with you all:

Mrs Cooper is expecting her 2nd child in May 2022

Mrs Wade is expecting her 1st child in March 2022



Flu Vaccinations—Monday 22nd November

Reception—Year 4 children

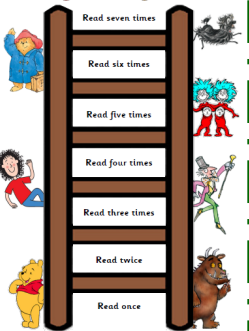
A reminder that the deadline to give consent is 18th November.

Electronic Consent - Click on this link to complete the consent form.

<https://forms.mpft.nhs.uk/>

The school Code is **SS146874**

Ready, Steady, READ!



Ready, Steady, READ! - Results

The results are based on the number of children who have read four or more times in the week.

Well done to everyone who read and took part in the challenge last week.

1st place	Amazing Alligators	93%
2nd place	Dazzling Dragonflies	87%
3rd place	Perfect Pandas	74%

Attendance

Sparkly Spiders	98%
Dazzling Dragonflies	91%
Amazing Alligators	94%
Perfect Pandas	91%
Terrific Turtles	97%
Marvellous Meerkats	95%
Outstanding Owls	95%
Fabulous Foxes	93%

This week's Whole School Attendance

94%

School target — 96.5%

House Points

Gryffindor	- 296
Hufflepuff	- 244
Ravenclaw	- 333
Slytherin	- 355

The winner is

Slytherin

With **355** points!



Your views as parents are important to us. We welcome any suggestions or ideas on how we can develop & improve as a school by emailing office@oxhey.staffs.sch.uk

Diary Dates For Parents

Anti-Bullying week

15th-19th November

Odd sock day

15th November

Children in Need

19th November

Flu vaccinations R-Y4

22nd November

KS2 Carol Service

14th December

Christmas holidays

20th Dec - 3rd Jan inclusive

February Half-Term

21st—25th February

Easter Holidays

11th - 22nd April

May Day

2nd May



PTFA Movie night—Monday 15th November 3.30-5pm

The movie will be **Wish Dragon (PG)**

A letter has been sent home regarding booking of tickets and pre-ordering of food if required.



Anti-Bullying week will take place on 15th -19th November.

The theme this year is 'One Kind Word'. To start the week we are having an 'Odd Socks Day' on **Monday 15th November** where children can wear odd socks to celebrate what makes us all unique. We will be carrying out lots of activities and thinking about how we feel when we are shown kindness. The School Council will also be updating and reviewing our child friendly anti-bullying policy.



The PTFA would like to welcome new members, please call the office if you would like to attend the AGM at Oxhey at 6pm on **Wednesday 17th November**.



Children in Need—Friday 19th November

The school council have met and decided that the theme for the day will be non-uniform to include spots or Pudsey items.

If you would like to make a voluntary contribution (min £2) please see our just giving page.

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/oxhey-first-school2>

OCTOBER HALF TERM FUN-DRAISER

A HUGE THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO TOOK PART AND RAISED MONEY FOR OUR SCHOOL. YOU RAISED.....

£1002.70



There will be lots of fun-filled Christmas & winter activities this half term.



Our Picture News debate this week is

Should we do more to protect elephants?

We have been talking about the British Value of Individual Liberty and how it is important to remember that our actions may have consequences.

Collaboration
Honesty
Inspiration
Leadership
Democracy
Respect
Equality
Nurture

PTFA Christmas raffle

Due to Covid restrictions, the PTFA will be holding a Christmas raffle this year, rather than a festive fair. Children are invited to come to school in non-uniform in exchange for the following items:

Friday 26th November - non uniform in exchange for new pocket money toys

Friday 3rd December - non uniform in exchange for chocolate

Friday 10th December - non uniform in exchange for bottles.

Further details of how raffle tickets can be purchased will be coming soon!

WELL DONE TO OUR 'TIGER LEARNERS' & OUR 'PUPILS OF THE WEEK'

Little Ladybirds - Sienna & Jack
Dazzling Dragonflies - Milo & George B
Sparkly Spiders - Georgia & Ajay
Terrific Turtles - Joe & Arthur
Perfect Pandas - Elsie & Ruby
Amazing Alligators - Elys & Seb M
Fabulous Foxes - Flynn & Keira
Outstanding Owls - Ellie & Elliot
Marvellous Meerkats - Rose & Theo



WELL DONE TO OUR TT ROCKSTARS

The class winner is: Fabulous Foxes

The individual winners are:

Outstanding Owls - Owen

Marvellous Meerkats - Joshua

Fabulous Foxes - Jered



HUGE WELL DONE TO EVERYONE FOR THEIR HARD WORK LEARNING ALL THEIR TIMESTABLES.

WOW Awards.....



Aydin passed stage 2 at swimming.



Seb was awarded 'Man of the match' at football.



Joe won managers 'Man of the match' at football.



Myles won 'Man of the match' at football.



Seb won the 'managers trophy' and 'parent's player of the match' at football.