

10/11/2023



Oxhey Newsletter



A message from Mrs Jukes.....

Dear parents and carers,

It has been a lovely first week back in school - I hope you had a great half term.

Next week is set to be exciting:

On Sunday I will be attending the Remembrance Parade in Biddulph with our Headboy, Headgirl and Deputies. We will lay a wreath on behalf of the Oxhey community. Please feel free to join us if you wish, we are meeting at 10:10am on the Town Hall steps.

It is Anti-Bullying Day on Monday so please wear odd socks to celebrate that we are all different and all special. There will be a themed assembly and lots of focused learning about friendships. Your child will be bringing home a copy of Oxhey's child-friendly anti-bullying policy that the children have written. Please share and discuss this with your child, including the acronym 'STOP' which the children will have been talking about in class.

SHINE Mornings on Wed, Thurs and Fri- We cannot wait to see you in school to enjoy learning with your child, this time the focus is reading in EYFS and D&T in KS1&KS2. A letter has been sent via Arbor with all the information on and is on the website too.

Huge thanks go to the PTFA for all their work behind the scenes in preparing for the Christmas fayre on Friday 1st December.

Thank you all too for your kind donations over recent weeks and for your continuing support with all school events.

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



Diary Dates For Parents

Wear odd socks day

13th November



KS1 Shine Morning

15th November

KS2 Shine Morning

16th November

EYFS Shine Morning

17th November

Children in Need



17th November

Non uniform consumable bottles

24th November

Non uniform - chocolates

1st December

PTFA Christmas Fayre

1st December

Pupil's Christmas lunch

20th December

Last day of term



Class	Attendance
Sparkly Spiders	94%
Dazzling Dragonflies	94%
Terrific Turtles	94%
Perfect Pandas	95%
Amazing Alligators	97%
Marvellous Meerkats	97%
Outstanding Owls	97%
Fabulous Foxes	99%

This Week's
Winners
Fabulous
Foxes



School Matters!



Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow

Our whole school attendance target is 96.4%.

This week, our school attendance was: **96.47%**



Middle school
applications are now open.
The closing date is 15th
January 2024.

Rewards and Celebrations



Pupils of the Week & TIGER Learners

LL Toby & Elsie S
 SS Evangelina & Alfred
 DD Brooke & Paige
 TT Ella-Rose & Niamh
 PP Ralph C & Charlotte
 AA Evie & Jaxon
 MM Myles C & Leo
 OO Seth & Toby R
 FF Ellie & Millie



TT Rockstars

Winning class Outstanding Owls

Outstanding Owls

1st Toby B
 2nd Theo G
 3rd Isobelle
 Most improved Bobby

Fabulous Foxes

1st Flynn
 2nd Oscar
 3rd Reggie
 Most improved Anna

Marvellous Meerkats

1st Daisy
 2nd Ollie
 3rd Hannah
 Most improved Minnie



Numbots

This week's winning class is

Amazing Alligators

Winner from each class:

PP Lottie

TT James

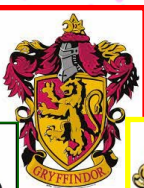
AA Jake

Ready, Steady, Read!

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



**Starts again next week,
 look out for the results in next week's
 newsletter.**



House Points

Ravenclaw	630
Slytherin	466
Gryffindor	704
Hufflepuff	465



In the spotlight this week

WOW awards.....



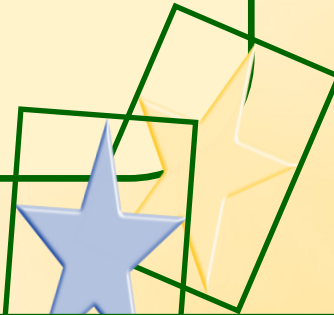
Friday 17th November wear your pyjamas for Pudsey.

Donations can be made via our JustGiving page.

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/oxhey-first-school-1698231295650>

The School Council are also discussing fundraising ideas to raise funds for an outdoor reading

Anti-Bullying Week 2023 is next week! The theme this year is Make A Noise About Bullying. We will start the week with 'Odd Socks Day' on Monday 13th to encourage children and adults alike to be brave and stand up against bullying. We can't wait to share the range of activities we will be taking part in next week.



We currently have vacancies at **Knypersley** for a cleaner and a lunchtime supervisor

If you are interested or know someone who may be please call the school office on 01782 973810 for an application pack.

Lunchtime supervisor – the position is term time only for 1 hour 15 mins per day with an hourly of £11.79

Cleaner – term time plus some hours during the school holidays, 10 hours per week with an hourly rate of £11.59

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people / vulnerable adults and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment

It is an offence to apply for this position if you are barred from engaging in regulated activity.

This position is subject to a criminal records check from the Disclosure and Barring Service (formerly CRB) which will require you to disclose details of all unspent and unfiltered spent reprimands, formal warnings, cautions and convictions as part of the recruitment process. This post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974. Shortlisted candidates will be asked to complete a self-declaration of their criminal record and other relevant safeguarding information that may make them unsuitable to work with children.

<https://www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/Safeguarding-Policy-23-24.pdf>



Christmas lunch Wednesday 20th December

Please reply to the Arbor message if you wish to order a lunch for your child.

The deadline for orders is Friday 24th November.

Normal lunch charges apply.

