



Newsletter 11
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#### Attendance:

The attendance percentage for the whole w/e 19th October 2017 is 98.3% -----The winning class is Reception with 100%!

# Congratulations! SUPERSTARS of the week:

Well done to this week's 'Seven Wonders': Owen Kewley, Charlie Dagnall, Phoebe Greenhalgh, Ellen Marsland, Theo Orgill, Caitlin Burkhill and Grace Greenhalgh.

Well done to this weeks 'Rivington Remarkables': Tao Kucharski, George Parkin, Ike Edwards, Ellen Marsland, Theo Orgill, Charlie Hart and Daisy Heywood.

#### From the PTFA:

To confirm - news about the Christmas Fair. We will have a non-uniform **Friday on the 24<sup>th</sup> November** for sweets for the tombola and **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> for bottles**. For families new to the school – there is no charge for the non-uniform days; but we do ask that you send in a donation please for the Christmas Fair, in exchange for your child coming to school in their own clothes. **Many thanks!** 

### Anti-bullying week:

"All Different. All Equal."

This week we are sending home our Anti-Bulying agreement which we



have shared with all the children and would now ask them to sign. This is an important step in children recognising what bullying is and in understanding that as a school we all agree not to tolerate it in any form.



**E-Safety** - Each week we will aim to share with you some useful websites that can help keep children safe when online. This week we are sharing: The BBC children's website for online safety. This is a fantastic resource for you to share with your children particularly those in KS2 – share it together!

https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/shows/stay-safe

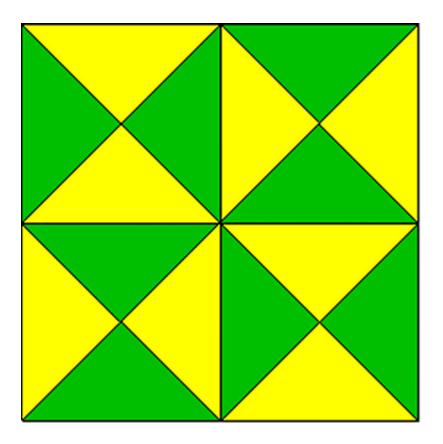
#### **Christmas Pantomime:**

On Monday the 18<sup>th</sup> of December the whole school will be going to Blackburn to watch Beauty and the Beast at King George's Hall. On Monday, you will receive a letter with further details for you to read and respond to.

# Maths Problem of the Week 1

Here is this week's Maths Problem. Good Luck! Remember to submit your answers to Mrs. Green in Y5/6! **Problem 1:** 

How many triangles can you spot in the picture below?





**Reporting your child absent:** If your child is unwell and won't be able to attend school, please contact school to inform us of the absence. This can be done by telephoning school and selecting option 1.

# Children in Need 2017 Friday, 17th November:

Our fund raising for Children in Need had everything! A wonderful cake sale – well done to all of our talented parents or to those like myself whose talents only stretch to picking a packet up off the supermarket shelf – it all counts! The children looked fantastic dressed in something spotty and it was wonderful to see them covering a large Pudsey Bear Face with their loose change! **Thank you to all parents/carers for your support on the day and your kind and generous contributions.** Already we looked to have raised a staggering amount which is absolutely fantastic so well done to everyone- especially the School Council and Mrs. Cliffe!

**Parent Drop in Tuesday mornings 10:00am** Every Tuesday morning at 10:00am Mr Sands (Chair of Governors) will be in school to meet with Mrs Annette. If any parents/carers have anything they wish to discuss please let us know in advance and we will make sure we are available.

#### **SCHOOL BANK!**

Our School Bank takes place in 'The Tree House' every Friday from 2:45pm.

<u>Primary Admission Information for 2018:</u> The closing date for Primary School Admissions is Monday 15th January 2018. For information about our admissions criteria please visit the school website. **Please note:** Last year there was a change to our pre-school criteria/points. This has had to be made due to direction from LCC Admissions. Please check if you are applying this year.

Free School Meals: All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 automatically qualify for Universal free school meals. However children in the infants and the juniors may qualify for free school meals because you are in receipt of certain benefits, in which case you need to register your eligibility. If you are eligible your child could qualify for Pupil Premium funding from the Government which will come into school to improve pupil attainment or provide additional opportunities. If you require further information please do not hesitate to contact the office.

Thank you to all parents, carers and families for your continued support. Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs. Annette

