



**Brampton Village Primary School**

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# Newsletter

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## Headteacher's notes

Thank you to everyone for supporting BBC Children In Need today. The children and staff enjoyed taking part in the *Big Morning Move with Joe Wicks*. Thank you for all your donations - we have raised over £500 which includes groups of children taking part in separate sponsored events and the 'marble in a jar' competition.



There was quite a collection of odd socks on Tuesday as we took part in a range of activities and lessons for Anti-Bullying Week. How we behave and treat one another, both as children and adults, is really important and of course applies all the way through the year, not just for one week. Making responsible choices in both learning and behaviour is one of our 6Rs.

Earlier in the week we held our Open Morning for those children who are due to start school next September along with some more 'Come to Learn' sessions. The feedback from both of these has been very positive with many comments recognising the good behaviour and attitudes of the children.

Next week our Class Assemblies resume with Upper Maple on **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November**. It starts at 9.15am in the KS1 Hall and parents/carers are welcome to join us.

## Christmas Lunch

Our school Christmas lunch will be on **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December**. Details will be sent home next week.

## Non Uniform Day

We will be having a 'Christmas non uniform day' on **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December** as it is both our Christmas Fair and Christmas Lunch.

## School Photos

If any school photos were ordered in frames then please come to the Office to collect.

## Reception and KS1 Performances

Ticket information will be sent home early next week and will be bookable via the parents' evening system website.

## Music Events

*Community Festive Lights*

The choir are invited to sing at the Brampton Christmas Lights Event on **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December**. Timings to be confirmed.

*Carol singing at Hinchingsbrooke Hospital*

The Y6 choir have been invited to sing carols at the Chapel Service and around some of the wards on **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December**. Y6 choir will walk to the hospital after lunch and further details about this will be given out to Y6 choir nearer the time.

*School KS2 Festive Music Evening*

The school choir, orchestra, handchime and KS2 string group are invited to perform at the school Festive Music Evening on **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December** at 6pm.

Please note that there is no orchestra on **29<sup>th</sup> November 2019**.

### **Lower Phase**

Classes in Key Stage 1 would like some empty cereal boxes in school and these can be brought in from **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November**. Thank you.

### **Middle Phase**

Thank you to all parents who joined Middle Phase for our Come to Learn Guided Reading sessions. Reading is so key to children's learning and we were really pleased to see so much interest. If you have any spare time in the afternoons, and would be happy to volunteer and share your passion for reading with the children, please could you contact your child's class teacher to organise.

Next week we will be sharing our Extreme Reading Challenge with the children; details will be made available.

Middle Phase have been busy creating comfy reading areas in our classrooms this week, which are taking shape nicely - thank you to those parents who have donated cushions and a bean bag to Middle Elm!

If you have any spare cushions or soft furnishings you would be happy to donate or are happy for your child to bring in their own cushion to use please could you contact their class teacher.

### **PTA NEWS**

Christmas cards- Order forms need to be back to school by **Friday 22nd November** thank you. Just bring to the office marked Christmas cards.

Christmas fair- On the **6th December** we are having our Christmas Fair. We need help with organising game stalls, refreshments, setting up on the day and other jobs to make the fair a success. Please email us at [bramptonpta@outlook.com](mailto:bramptonpta@outlook.com) if you can help or have some ideas to make it a great fair for everyone.

Next meeting- **Friday 13th December** at 2pm.

### **What's On Next Week:**

Monday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Art Club Year 5/6 NFL Flag Football Club Year 1-3 Football Club Year 4-6 Dodgeball
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Amy's Acro Year 6 Football Club
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Upper Maple Assembly 9.15am Handchime group 12.30pm Year 6 Tag Rugby
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Choir Year 4-6 Hockey Club Year 4-6 Dance Club
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Orchestra 8.15am Drama Club