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Head Teacher's News

We have had a very busy week in school and it has been fantastic to see all of the learning taking place: from measuring the height of the school to a birthday party for Milton, it has been a varied but fun few days.

Today, we celebrated Children in Need. It was fantastic to see the children in such a wide range of vibrant outfits! Thank you so much for all of the kind donations. So far, we have raised a fantastic £149.70 with another collection box yet to be counted!

Further down this newsletter, there is a message from Olly, our School Community Champion. We have set up a collection point for the One Can Trust and have launched an appeal on Facebook for donations. Please watch that for more information and drop off any items you can contribute. Olly and Logan (Site Manager) have also set up a poster competition in school to decorate our collection point. The posters need to be related to the One Can Trust or related to food and food banks. All children are encouraged to take part and the winning designs will be laminated and added to our collection point. The deadline for entries is Wednesday 18th, so get designing!

Thank you for following the new guidance on the current lockdown restrictions. Just a reminder that, at drop off and pick up, we would ask that parents and carers follow the rule of 1 + 1 and do not gather in groups, including once off the school premises. Please ensure that, when waiting for your child/children, you maintain a 2 metre distance from others and that, if you have a younger sibling with you, they hold the hand of an adult at all times. Once you have dropped off or collected your child/children, please exit the school site promptly. We would encourage parents/carers to wear a mask whilst on the school site, although this is at your discretion.

I realise that, at this time, haircuts can be a challenge since hairdressers are closed! However, we would ask that you try to avoid particularly severe or remarkable styles and try to stick to a 'school haircut' where possible.

Please remember that I am recording Collective Worship for the children to view. These are important for delivering messages about key issues such as wellbeing (I have worked out how to upload them without you having to download a large file). They are now introduced by the children and they will be delivering drama, readings and prayers from now on. They can be found [here](#).

Sam Browne

Nurture. Grow. Shine



Message from Olly, Community Champion

We want to help the One Can Trust at this difficult time, so we have set up a collection point outside school. We have recorded an appeal, which can be seen on our school Facebook page, to encourage people to donate. Please bring along your donations to put in our collection point and we will take them to Duke Street. It will help lots of people who really need help.

We are also running a poster competition. We would like everyone to design posters to decorate our collection point. The winning posters will get chosen by us and will go on the cage. The others will be put up around school. The deadline for entries is Wednesday 18th November.

Star of the Week

With no celebration assembly on a Friday, we're having to do Star of the Week in a slightly different way, but make sure you visit our Facebook page to see the celebration.

Theo for improving his communication skills to become a team player and for working hard on his maths

Max for trying his absolute best in every subject this week

Henry for producing an outstanding piece of writing

Eddie for persevering at his maths and achieving some great results

PTA

We had a great meeting of the PTA this week at which we discussed some of the events that we are scheduling for the new year, including a quiz, the Summer Fete and Rugged Radnage. It would be great to see more parents at our next meeting, on Wednesday 13th January at the easier time of 7:30pm.

One way in which we can raise funds for the school is through Amazon Smile. Most of us use Amazon rather a lot, and by following this link: <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/> and then searching for Radnage, you can raise funds for us simply through your normal shopping habits. Make sure you select Radnage CE Primary School Parent Teacher Association and, if possible, install the Amazon Assistant extension to your Chrome browser.



Diary Dates

Date	Occasion	Location	Who?
November 2020			
Thurs 26th	now>press>play trial week	School	All classes
December 2020			
Fri 4th	Christmas Crafternoon	In School	All children
Fri 4th	Deadline for returning raffle tickets	School Office	Everyone
Mon 7th	Deadline for hamper items	School Office	Everyone
Thurs 10th	Year 5/6 Greek Day	Classroom	Year 5/6
Fri 11th	Christmas Jumper Day	Whole School	Everyone
Fri 11th	Christmas Hamper Raffle Draw	School	Everyone
Fri 18th – 1:30pm	Break up for Christmas	Whole School	Everyone

