

Weekly Bulletin

October 17th 2019



Congratulations to our bold young football stars

Our bold young football stars trotted out on Tuesday for the South Cambs Schools' 7-a-side football tournament at Impington Village College. Of the twenty participating teams, Meldreth came seventh, a tremendous feat as recognised by the organisers, for this is our first year in the 'Big Schools' tournament, having traditionally qualified as a small school for the smaller tournament. Our players distinguished themselves impressively against many schools with rolls over 300 pupils! In addition, Meldreth's fair play and attitude through the tournament won the Fair Play Award, for which we are rightly very proud!

Well done to **Elliot, Annabel (captain), Max, Ollie, Lukas, Alfie, Tom, Oscar and Jonny**

Christmas card order deadlines

You will have received your child's Christmas card artwork with your unique code to allow you to place your order for personalised Christmas Cards & wrapping paper from

www.apfsorders.org.uk

The deadline for placing your orders online is **Thursday 31st October**.

Parent Consultation Booking is now Open

Use your MCAS account to book your preferred meeting time. A user guide can be found [here](#). Lookout Club are offering a special rate of £1 for you to drop children off whilst you are in your meeting.

Kestrel/Hawk class Brazil Visit

An update has been added to your MCAS account.

How Active is our School Day?

Meldreth Primary School has been invited to take part in a project being run by the Faculty of Education, University of Cambridge. The project will examine how active our school day is and what Meldreth pupils like to do to be active at school through play and sports.

All children in the school will be invited to take part and will be issued with a pedometer to wear at school attached to their waistband every day for 21 days. The project will count the number of steps children take during the school day and will provide a daily total for *each class (no individual child's results will be available)*. Each day, the number of steps *the whole class* achieves will be reported back to them, to see which class in the school is the most active that day. Please look out for our letter explaining more.

Winter Warmer Menu

School & Lunchtime Co have been working collaboratively to produce our new winter menu, which will be starting after half term. Take a look on [our school website!](#)

Certificate Winners

Headteacher Award winners...Toby S, Oscar D, William F, Will H, Zac DS, Archie R, Oscar N

Olympic Values Trophy winners... William O, Ruby S, Isla HP, Ashton W, Sam F, Jonny T, Annabel W

Star Writers...Toby S, Ella H, Declan P, Oscar D, Arthor GP, William F, Nola W, Will H, Freddie Ch

Attendance this week is 91.8%↓ ...this year it is 95.6% ←

Next Week at School

HALF-TERM BREAK – Monday 21st – Friday 25th October

Don't Miss our Halloween Messy Play on Weds 23rd October from 10-11.30 in the school hall.
£2.50 per child £1 for siblings

Monday 28th October - **Puffin Class Parent Cafe 2.45 - 3.10pm**

Wednesday 31st October - **Swift class Halloween cake sale.** Proceeds of class sales go directly to buy extra class equipment.

Wednesday 31st October – Deadline for the secondary transfer process for our **Year 6** pupils.

Thurs 1st November - **Kestrel class** Air Quality Event

Coming soon

Parent Consultation meetings are on **Thursday 7th and Tuesday 12th November.**

Weds 13th November **Our School Photographer** will be visiting school.

Weds 20th November **Our Intake 2020 Visit** 9-30 to 10-30am

Thurs 21st November **The Book Bus Visits** school

Thurs 28th November **Decoration Day** - join us in school for a day of creative Christmas crafts.

WHY NOT ENTER THE JTA COMPETITION PICTURE OR POSTER



**Me and my bike are
brilliant and bright**



The Junior Travel Ambassadors

**Design a poster or picture to remind people to be
brilliant and bright in the dark nights of winter.**

Please give your entries to the JTAs in Kestrel Class just after half term!

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