

Branwood Bee



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*“The more that
you read the
more you will
know. The more
that you learn
the more places
you’ll go”*

Dr Seuss

Welcome to our latest edition of the newsletter designed to keep you informed and share our many successes.

Diwali Assembly

On Monday, Mrs Boulton led the whole school assembly. The assembly celebrated Diwali. Our head girl, Varsha, shared a fantastic PowerPoint which she had created. We learnt why and how Diwali is celebrated as well as lots of fun facts. Varsha also looked fabulous in her traditional dress. Mrs Jeykishnan also shared how she celebrated Diwali with her family and friends.

Report by Mrs Boulton





Eco-School Bottle Top Collection

Brilliant news – We have managed to collect 1500 plastic lids which are on their way to recycling. Well done to the Eco-Council.



Remembrance in Form 5

Form 5 have been creating artwork in tribute to Remembrance Day. We have talked about why we use the poppy as a commemoration and we have used World War 1 and Flanders Field based poetry to extend our learning. The children have all chosen one of the poems that we looked at to write in their poppy word art which will be going on display in our classroom. Tara chose “The Soldier” by Rupert Brooke and Anya chose “In Flanders Fields” by John McCrae.

Report by Miss Basger



Sports

Swimming Gala

Some of our children took part in an ISA Junior swimming gala on Saturday in Macclesfield. The children all performed extremely well and we have just been informed that Ria has qualified for the national championships. Well done Ria - watch this space!



Spotlight

Mrs Evans

This week we would like to shine the spotlight on Mrs Evans.

Mrs Evans joined the Branwood family in September as Higher Level Teaching Assistant (HLTA). She is an experienced fully qualified teacher who has a wealth of experience.

She also has a degree in Music and plays the piano, although the clarinet was her first instrument. According to Mrs Evans the best part of her job is to see a child who is struggling start to flourish and see their confidence increase. This is the part she enjoys the most.

In her spare times Mrs Evans loves to make gingerbread stuffing and her favourite meal is Christmas dinner.

News

We are excited to announce that we are going to be working in partnership with Forever Wild Forest Schools to bring an enhanced learning experience to all our pupils. More details to follow but please check them out on social media.

<https://foreverwildforestschoo.co.uk/>

<https://www.instagram.com/foreverwildforestschoo>

Extra- Curricular

A big well done to Jack who was awarded Player of the week at his local football club. He is very proud of his medal.



Gold!
A huge well done to Lucie who achieved gold medals in both beam and vault at elite level at the NW Gymnastics competition.

Great job Noah - who was awarded player of the week for his football team.





Celebration Assembly

Our weekly assembly is our way to celebrate all the success of our pupils. These are the commendations for last week.

KG1 – ☆Star of the week☆ - Freddie

KG2 – Elijah & Vihangi

Form 1 – Caleb & Chloe

Form 2 – Bethany & Joshua

Form 3 – Dean & Charlie

Form 4 – Charlotte & Sophia F

Form 5 – Lynott,

Form 6 – Angelica & Yitian



Eco-School

Eco-Tip of the Week

This week the energy saving tip from the eco-council is:

Try to do one fewer load of washing a week and make sure you fill up the machine each time. The savings aren't huge, around £19 a year for modern machines, but can be much more with old ones.

Social Media

Please see more of what we are up to on social media

Twitter - twitter.com/branwoodschool?s=11&t=Q7kv7YPOmKl2GQtX563BSw

Instagram - <https://instagram.com/branwoodschool?igshid=YmMyMTA2M2Y=>

Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/BranwoodPreparatorySchool>

