

Newsletter 13.11.20

Thank you to the parent who sent in this lovely photo.

As we enter a second lockdown the rainbow is a reminder of the NHS rainbows and a symbol of our gratitude to the members of our school community working hard to look after others.



FOSP news

Our Upside down day raised an amazing total of £620. Thank you to everyone for contributing. It was encouraging to see so many future members of our profession who opted for the 'be the teacher' choice.

Hardship fund – a reminder that FOSP has allocated a hardship fund if families have particular challenges at this difficult time. Any requests should be addressed to Mrs Cole. Details will be confidential and names will not be shared as school will make the payment and claim back from FOSP afterwards.

Skipping day

All of the children (and some staff) took part in National Skipping day on November 6th. We bought sets of skipping ropes for each class and the children learnt some new skipping skills. It was lovely to see them continue to practise in the playground this week.



Parent governors

If you are interested in becoming a Parent Governor, please see the information that was sent out at the beginning of the week.

No particular qualifications are necessary and the most important thing is to have a keen interest in the school and be prepared to play an active part in governing body's work. Training is available for all governors and our board of governors has an expectation that those new to governance attend induction training as a minimum. Nominations must be from parents or carers with children at the school. Nominations close on the 23rd November.

Children in Need

Thank you to all the parents, who have donated to Children in Need: in the next newsletter we will let you know how much was raised. Today the School Council reps are introducing the CIN Five to Thrive program to their classes featuring Joe Wicks (he is a busy man these days!). It focuses on how

we can all help support our mental and physical wellbeing and has videos and activities to share. Looking after ourselves is more important than ever, during these challenging times.



Christmas

We are working on plans for some socially distanced Christmas activities before the end of term. Further information will follow shortly.

Remembrance Day

The whole school (including the Pre-school) observed the Remembrance Day silence on the 11th at 11 am.



Lewis meets Captain Tom

It was lovely to see Lewis on the ITV Pride of Britain awards on the 1st November. Well done to Lewis for his inspiring fund raising efforts.

