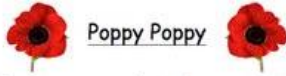


'Great oaks from little acorns grow'

Autumn term (2) 2016 – Week 2



Poppy Poppy

Poppy poppy what do you say?
Wear me on Remembrance Day.

Poppy poppy what do you tell?
Many soldiers in battle fell.

Poppy poppy what should we
know?

That peace on earth should
grow, grow, grow.



This week...

Today the children paid respect to soldiers who have fallen fighting for their country by observing two minutes silence.

In addition to this **Acorn Class** have been thinking about Remembrance Day by painting pictures of poppy fields and making their own tissue paper poppies.

KS2 pupils have been paying their respects to individual soldiers – using the Commonwealth War Graves Commission to research soldiers that share their surname – create a poppy and 'dog tag' and writing a personal message of thanks to them. (*see overleaf*)

This coming Monday there will be a 'Super moon' and with this in mind **Beech Class** created moonlight castle paintings & silhouettes – developing our painting and cutting skills.



The children of **Oak Class** have been developing their sewing and designing skills; creating togas to adorn our Roman Senate.



HMFA Cross Country Running event...

...was held on Thursday and Llangrove were represented by seven very enthusiastic participants. Grace, Xena, Isaac, Abi, Bea, Lili and Frida completed a challenging cross country run led by Mr. Goodchild at Canon Pylon school. They did exceptionally well amongst a huge crowd of over one hundred participants. With the points scored by the children, we achieved 5th position out of the eight academies.

"It was a very long run and it was very muddy! I felt tired and pleased that I'd achieved something." Isaac



This Week's Superstars:

Acorn Class

Oliver

Beech Class

Grace

Oak Class

Isaac



Class Mascots

Beech Class:

Harry I

Oak Class:

Frida



Lest We Forget.

Poppy Appeal

Thank you to Y6s who have been responsible this week for selling poppies, 'snap' rulers and wrist bands at break time. Thank you to all the children who have donated to this worthwhile cause.



Children In Need – Friday 18th November

Pudsey Keyrings (£3) and 'Festival' wristbands (£1) will continue to be on sale from the office and during break times, leading up to Children in Need day on Friday 18th.

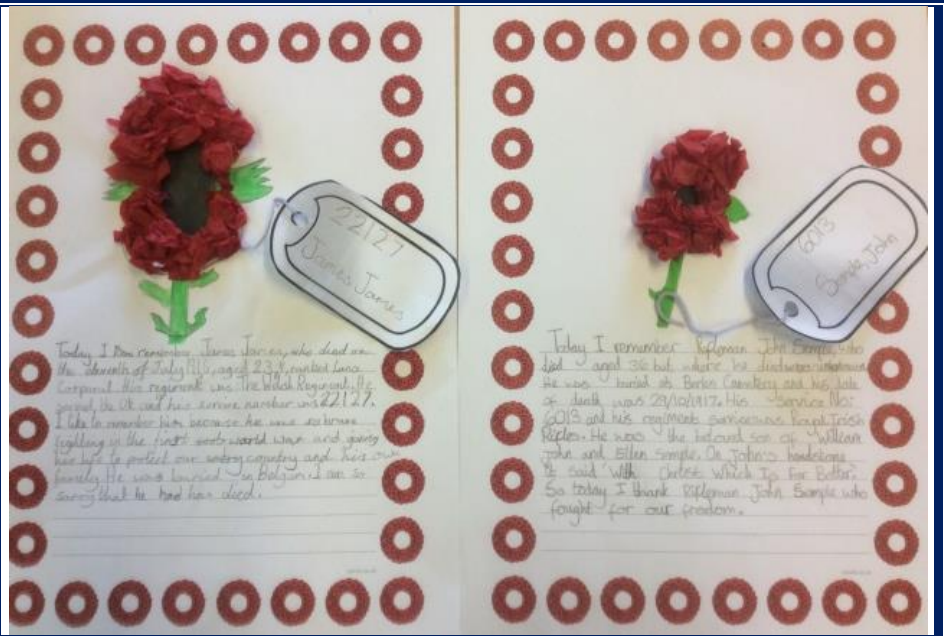
This year, the School Council has decided to organise a school 'Scavenger Hunt' to retrieve Pudsey's spots that will be scattered all over the school grounds. The children are invited to WEAR WHAT YOU LIKE – with plenty of spots! ☺ With small prizes for the winning team, they are asking for a donation to participate. ☺



Movember Fundraising

'Growing a moustache for men's health.'
If you would like to donate to and support Mr Fox's, Mr Preddy's, Mr Goodchild's & Mr Hartland's moustache growing please visit <http://moteam.co/hmfa-mo-s>

An honourable 'shout out' goes to Mr McLeod & Mr Parker who have also been inspired to 'grow a mo'.
Good luck gents!
Thank you for all your support



Llangrove PTFA



The PTFA AGM took place on Tuesday and we are pleased to announce that the PTFA is able to continue for another year – with Mrs Arnold and Mrs McLeod as Joint Chairs and Mr Calderbank as treasurer. A big thank you to Mr & Mrs Calderbank for their hard work in the role this past year.

The fundraising of the PTFA is invaluable, paying for the transport for the whole school trip; tickets and transport to the Christmas pantomime and subsidising transport costs for swimming. In the last year they have also paid for library books, classroom rugs, an outdoor Maths cupboard, playground equipment shed, helped Father Christmas with presents and much, much more.

Next event:

PTFA & Children in Need Disco
Friday 18th November - 6pm -7:30pm



Wrapping up for Autumn & Winter - Playtime & PE

With the colder & wetter weather upon us please can all pupils make sure that they have a warm waterproof coat, hat & gloves in school. This will ensure that they are able to enjoy an outside break time play despite the autumn / winter weather. We are happy for the children to bring in wellies if they wish to change into them at break & lunch time.

It's very important that **all** children have their **outdoor PE kit** in school for their games sessions (& after-school games club) with Mr Goodchild. This should include tracksuit bottoms, trainers and a sweatshirt and spare socks.

Please ensure **all** items of clothing are named / labelled.

It was lovely to see everyone at this week's Parent Consultations and we hope you found our 'End of Year Group Expectations' leaflets useful.

This week in English & Maths the children have been focusing on the following objectives:

	SPaG & English	Maths
Acorn Class	Looking at the story of "Whatever next" by John Murphy, through role play and story maps.	Reception: Simple addition using apparatus and revision of number formation. Y1: Number bonds to 20.
Beech Class	Spelling & using 'wr' 'gn' and 'kn' words. Using adjectives (Y2) and expanded noun phrases (Y3) to add detail.	Y2: Counting on in steps of 2, 3, 5 and 10 and methods for adding U + U + U and TU + U. Y3: Counting on in steps of 4, 8, 50 and 100, and introducing written column methods for adding U + U + U and HTU + TU, HTU + HTU.
Oak Class	Use of alliteration and onomatopoeia. Identifying apostrophes for possession or contraction.	Y4&5: Adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominators. Finding equivalent fractions. Y6: Converting between fractions, decimals and percentages.










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🌳 DATES FOR YOUR DIARY ~ Autumn Term (2) 2016 🌳

NOVEMBER

Wednesday 16 th	Governors Meeting 6.15pm.
Friday 18 th	 'Children in Need' fundraising day – SCAVENGER HUNT (donations please) NON UNIFORM DAY NO FOREST SCHOOLS
	'Children In Need' & PTFA Disco! 6pm-7.30pm in the school hall
Monday 21 st	Flu Nasal Spray for Y1, Y2 and Y3 pupils
Thursday 24 th	Oak Class Roman Banquet – 2.30pm in Oak Class. All Welcome 
Friday 25 th	 Forest Schools – KS1 children (Reception & Year 1 & 2) - pm

DECEMBER

Friday 2 nd	Parent Celebration assembly (9.10am start)
	 Forest Schools – KS2 children (Year 3, 4, 5 & 6) - pm
Friday 9 th	 Forest Schools – Whole school - pm
Tuesday 13 th	 Christmas Service & Fair (6pm start)
Wednesday 14 th	 PTFA KS2 Pantomime Trip – 'Aladdin' - Courtyard Theatre (am)
	 PTFA KS1 Theatre Trip – 'The Snow Queen' Courtyard Theatre (pm)
Thursday 15 th	 Christmas Lunch & Christmas Party 
Friday 16 th	Last Day of Term (2pm finish)

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS
Monday 19th December – Monday 2nd January



Started your Christmas shopping?
Remember www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk.
Every time you shop online you can generate free donations for our school.

