

## Newsletter Week 9

Autumn 2018

On Wednesday this week all staff attended their regular refresher training on dealing with anaphylaxis (extreme and severe allergic reactions) in school. We have a number of children in school with severe allergies which is why we ask that children do not bring nuts or nut based products (eg Nutella spread) to school as part of a packed lunch or snack. In addition, can I please remind all parents of children using auto-injectors such as epi-pen or Jext devices to please check the expiry date of any devices supplied for their child, including the ones brought in to school. You can call in to the office and request to check the expiry date if you do not have it recorded already. The distributors of all 3 devices available in the UK offer an expiry reminder service as a convenient way of ensuring all medication is kept up to date.

Nikki Brown

### Rugby

Many thanks to the Year 6 children who represented the school at Tag Rugby on Monday. Although we didn't do as well as we wanted, the children participated with enthusiasm and had a lot of fun - even though it was very cold!! Well done Sam, Chariton, Natasha, Tomas, Evie, Dylan, Eloise, Ingrid, Alex, Amalija, Jennie and Lando, and many thanks to the parents who came to cheer us on.

Mr Brown



### BAGS TO SCHOOL NEXT WEDNESDAY

FOM have organised a Bag2School collection for Wednesday 7th November to help raise funds for our school.

You can fill your bag with good quality items for reuse including clothing, shoes, bags, soft toys, curtains, towels and bed linen

For more details on the scheme see [Bag2school](#)

Please leave donations at the Community Room entrance by 9.15 am on the day of collection only

### Is it too soon to mention Christmas?

This week, children have been producing artwork for their Christmas card designs! Forms and artwork have been sent home this week. If you wish to purchase the cards or mugs, please fill out the order form with the artwork stuck in, and bring it back in on **Monday 5th November**. Please pay by cash or cheque in an envelope with your child's name on and give this to their teacher.



# Macbeth

On the final day of last half term, Year 6 were treated to a fantastic performance of *Macbeth* by the Young Shakespeare Company. With weird witchcraft, dastardly plots and lots of audience participation (including some murderers wearing cat ears) there was plenty to inspire them and Lilac and Violet class rose to the challenge. The Year 6 team were very proud of their confident acting, their thoughtful analysis and their obvious enjoyment! We are looking forward to seeing what they will achieve in our new topic 'Why is Shakespeare still performed today?'



Don't forget our own Y5 Shakespeare performances are only weeks away—Tuesday 13th November!

## Class of the Week

This class have displayed their artistic skills while making creative and visually impressive Christmas cards.

We have shown team-work the ability to respond well to each other in reading, taking others answers into consideration and supporting their peers.

This class have worked hard to understand the complex way in which fractions can be manipulated, including finding common denominators and how to add and subtract fractions. They have particularly impressed their teacher with their acting skills, revisiting all the hard work they did last year when putting on their Shakespeare productions, exploring the murderous world of Macbeth.

Class of the week this week is... **Violet!**

*This week we are celebrating the achievements of the following children -*

*Oli  
George  
Faith  
Kingzley  
Kyla  
Sophie  
Emme  
Ben NC  
Lisa  
Chariton  
James W,  
Leila, Shadi*

*Crimson class  
Scarlet class  
Burgundy class  
Ruby class  
Topaz class  
Turquoise  
Sapphire class  
Amethyst  
Indigo class  
Violet class  
  
Lilac class*

