

Pike Fold Community School - UKS2 Newsletter Friday 12th October 2018



What we have been up to this week in UKS2

<u>Year 5:</u> In Maths this week we have been using the formal written method of long multiplication to multiply 3 digit by 2 digit numbers.

In Literacy we have been writing a biography for the life of Queen Victoria.

<u>Year 6:</u> This week in Maths we have been learning the formal written method of long division. Many of our pupils have found this incredibly tricky but have persisted and have made progress.

In Literacy we have completed our newspaper report based on the Manchester Christmas Blitz.

Next week will be assessment week in Year 6 where all children will complete a full set of practice SATs test to assess their progress from the start of the year.

Homework

<u>Year 5</u> Maths – MyMaths

Literacy – Comprehension page 12

<u>Year 6</u> Maths – MyMaths and long division revision (Revision books will help)

(Some pupils have times table practice)

Thank You

We would like to say a big thank you to all children and parents for their contribution to recent charity fund raising events. We are very proud to have collected the following amounts:

£422.93 was raised from all the proceeds from our Macmillan coffee morning and the cakes sales that followed.

On 'World Mental Health Day 'we also managed to raise a fantastic £435.19 for 'MIND'! That is the current total without the proceeds from the 'guess the name of the bear'.

A big congratulations to our team of Year 6 pupils who were this week crowned champions at the CAMs challenge. Children competed in a range of academic events against pupils from seven other local schools.

Important Dates and Notices

Monday 15th October –Bikeabilty Year 5.

Wednesday 17th October – Girls' Football team at Co-Op North

Thursday 18th October – Black history celebration (Successful women in history) Heather Small from 'M People' will be our guest speaker.

Friday 19th October – Year 6 trip to PGL

Donations of non-perishable goods for our Harvest celebrations will be taken week commencing the 15th October.

General Reminders

- ➤ Please contact our school office with regards to places at after-school club.
- Thank you to all parents who are parking sensibly before and after school, it helps to keep everyone safe!
- Chair of governors Eddie Roberts can be contacted by email chair@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk
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