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WATERLOO NEWS

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a very busy few weeks in school, with lots of exciting things going on. The children have been working incredibly hard and we couldn't be more proud of them and all that they are achieving.

Remembrance

We marked this year's Remembrance Day with special assemblies and a one-minute silence, which was followed by The Last Post. The children were all incredibly respectful and they made us very proud. We took some of our Year 6 children to lay poppy wreaths at the graves of Waterloo pupils, who lost their lives in World War I. This is always a special occasion and the children represented school wonderfully.

Huge thanks to everyone who bought a poppy, or any other merchandise in support of The Royal British Legion. Your donations will make a huge difference to their valuable work.

Children in Need

Last week, we celebrated the incredible work that Children in Need do to support disadvantaged children across the UK. We raised £1115.88 which is incredible! Every donation will make a huge difference to children across the country – thank you so much for your generosity.

Dance Festival

A reminder that the Dance Festival takes place next Wednesday (27th November). If your child is performing you should already be aware of the arrangements that are in place, but if you do have any questions, please speak to Mrs Metcalf or Mrs Fairnie. The final rehearsal takes place on Tuesday after school and we are really looking forward to seeing the children perform in front of a live audience.

Parking

Whilst I fully appreciate that drop-off and pick-up times are incredibly busy times of the day, we have had several near misses recently and the pavement adjoining the yellow zig-zag lines outside the school gates, has become quite a dangerous place to be. Although these spots are close to the gates and therefore very convenient for parents and carers, you must not park, drop-off or wait in your car in these areas. By keeping clear of the yellow lines, we can make our school entrances as safe as possible for all of our families.

Some Diary Dates...

Next week, I will be sending home a Christmas letter. It will give you all the information you need regarding parties, Christmas dinner days etc. However, here is some advanced notice of the Nativity dates, as many working parents like to secure the time off to come and watch.

Nativity performance – Tuesday 10th December: Cherry Class parents/carers at 9.30am
Wednesday 11th December: Willow Class parents/carers at 9.30am
Thursday 12th December: Oak Class parents/carers at 9.30am

Nursery Sing-a-long – Friday 13th December 2pm-3pm (for all Nursery children)

As ever, thank you to you all for your continued support - we really are very grateful. We hope that all our children and their families, enjoy a fun and relaxing weekend.

Kind regards,



Jenny Brown
Head of School