



Great Barford C of E Primary Academy



Autumn term — 2019

Growing together through learning, friendship,
and worship

Thursday 17th Oct 2019

Weekly Diary 2019

Monday	First day back to school Values champion pizza treat
Tuesday	Gripping Yarns storyteller KS2
Wednesday	Y3 First aid training KS2 drop in
Thursday	KS2 Football Competition at Mark Rutherford (selected children)
Friday	Friends Welcome meeting 9am Flu immunisations

Parent Internet Safety Session Thursday 14th November

Please join us for a Parent Internet Safety session at Great Barford Primary Academy on **Thursday 14th November 2019 at 7.00pm – 8.20pm** delivered by the School Liaison Team from the Safety Centre, Milton Keynes. The session is for adults only and is specifically designed to cover the current issues and risks faced by children concerning social media, gaming and cyberbullying, as well as guidance for setting parental controls. There will be a range of free resources available to take away from the session. We look forward to seeing you.

Safety Centre School Liaison Team Safety Centre, Milton Keynes

'Keeping safe in school' Week beginning Monday 28th October

As part of our PSHE curriculum and developing children's well-being we will be having a week of activities related to how we keep safe in school. We will look at what it means to feel safe; how the children are kept safe in school; managing friendships and anti-bullying; and road safety. KS2 will have a storyteller with a focus on anti-bullying. KS1 will hopefully have a visit from the local police officer.

Thank you

Thank you for all the food sent in for the Bedford Foodbank. It was very gratefully received.

Great Barford Remembrance Day Parade and Service

The Annual Remembrance Day Service at All Saints Church, Great Barford to be held on Sunday 10th November 2019.



The Parade will start at 14:45 from the High Street, opposite the Post Office, and will proceed to the War Memorial for the Act of Remembrance and then to the Church for the remainder of the Service.

Poppies will be on sale outside Mrs Collin's office and if the children would like to bring in a donation they will be given the opportunity to purchase them during the day.

Stars of the week

For the week ending 11th Oct



Owls: Louis & Alexa
Penguins: Skylar & Luka
Puffins: Zainab & Kane
Woodpeckers: Woody & Henry
Swans: William & Shay S
Kestrels: Lacey & Lucy
Falcons: Harri & Matt



Doves: Ivy
Owls: Sienna
Penguins: Izzy
Puffins: Maisie
Woodpeckers: Riley
Swans: Darcy
Kestrels: Joe
Falcons: Vally

School Meals

The price of the school meals will change as follows from Monday 28th October.

Nursery £1.95
Primary £2.15

Professor Bubbleworks

Professor Bubbleworks came to visit the school. This was a visit paid for by the Friends and was an opportunity for the children to explore science in a new way. The children investigated how matter can be manipulated through chemical reactions and wind power. Toilet paper and rockets flew across the gym and playground! The children all said how much they enjoyed the day.

Life of Jesus exhibition

Year 3 & 4 enjoyed an exhibition about 'The Life of Jesus' brought into school by Andy Little and his team. The children heard the story of blind Bartimaeus and how Jesus restored his sight as well as stories from centurians, highpriests and Jesus' followers the disciples. They then had the chance to explore a little more for themselves by completing a quiz.