



Tilstock[†]

Part of the Marches Academy Trust 

Talking Heads

Friday 12th November 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,



On Thursday morning our pupils visited the Tilstock War Memorial to remember our soldiers, past and present. Reverend Sue Armstrong led the service with readings and prayer. The children then listened to The Last Post, which was played beautifully. We held a 2-minute silence, before listening to the names of soldiers, from Tilstock, who served during WW1 and WW2. Each class placed a poppy wreath on the war memorial and said a prayer. The children made us incredibly proud. They were impeccably well behaved and showed such respect and responsibility.

It's coming around to that time of year again where we will be thinking about plans for Christmas. Miss Thomas and Miss Vigon would love to help the children celebrate and make plans for our PTA events. This will also be an opportunity for the PTA to get up and running again, as we need volunteers to help us with the event to ensure the children have a fantastic time. If you would like to lend your support towards the organisation of the Christmas Disco, there is a meeting on **Wednesday 17th November** to be held at **Tilstock Village Hall at 9:00am**. All parents, carers welcome – coffee and biscuits to be included.



Mrs Rowena Kaminski
Head of School

Have a great weekend.

Nik's incredible journey! One of our parents, Nik Smith is taking on a Husky Sled Challenge in Norway and Sweden, raising money for the The Lingen Davies Cancer Centre, Royal Shrewsbury Hospital. Read about Nik's incredible story here https://www.facebook.com/donate/563930804639378/?fundraiser_source=external_url

Safer Schools "I would like to congratulate Tilstock CE Primary School and Nursery for maintaining their Safer School accreditation. The school has been accredited a Safer School for thirteen years and recently, Mrs Kaminski held a Safer School meeting, involving staff, governors and a parent. It was a really positive meeting where we reviewed the security/safety measures, updated an action plan and reviewed the incident recording. It was good to hear that there had been no recorded incidents since the previous meeting. Part of the Safer School process involves gathering feedback from the whole school community so we reviewed the results of the school's Safer School survey and again, good news and particularly reassuring feedback from both parents/carers and pupils. The school was presented with a new Safer School certificate and a future meeting is planned for the Autumn term 2022".

Ian Bartlett



Children In Need

Friday 19th November 2021 is Children in Need day! Children are invited to wear something yellow or spotty for a £1 donation to support this worthwhile charity.

Parents Maths Survey

Please click the link below and help us to identify ways we can support you and your child with Maths. It will only take a few minutes!

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=JrQkp8FnXkeoqbz3pJLpbGO3zQMnxBgUDz_4F9s8hUMIBIQ0M3Nk9YMVFBFEzT9QVDY4SIFFWC4u

WORSHIP



This half term, in worship, we will be focusing on the Christian value of thankfulness. Next week, we will be learning about Praising God in creation. If children have any prayers or pictures, linked to this theme, that they would like to share during this special service, they would be very welcome to do so.



UPCOMING EVENTS

[Click here](#) to view our upcoming events.

Events at a glance:

Children in Need: Friday 19th November 2021

Individual and family photographs: Monday 22nd November

Christingle Church Services: 9th December 2021

Last day of term: Friday 17th December 2021

Children return to school: Wednesday 5th January



Congratulations to this week's Headteacher Award winners.

Bumblebees: Lucas and Lauren

Squirrels: Freya and Dolly

Otters: Ellie-Mae and Lily

Badgers: Ryan and Mateen

Happy Birthday to Ellie-Mae and Christian

who celebrate their birthdays this week!

NEWS



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