

Colnbrook C. of E. Primary School

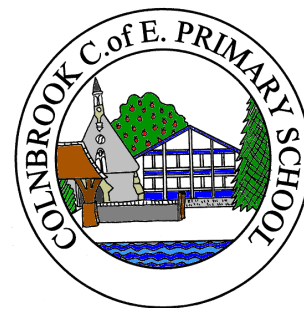
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Newsletter

8th October 2021

Be strong and courageous Joshua 1:9

Our focus value is: **Compassion**

A message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers

It was great to see such fantastic attendance to our 'Stories at Breakfast' event this morning. Thank you to everyone who attended. I hope you enjoyed spending time reading with your children, as well as breakfast! Huge thanks go to Mrs Bharj for organising the event, who even invited Alice, from Alice in Wonderland to attend! Due to the popularity of this event, we will run another event next term.

Year 6 ventured to Eton College this week and participated in the 'Remembering the Fallen' workshop as part of their 'Britain at War' project. I was very proud of all of Year 6 who took part brilliantly and thoroughly enjoyed the visit. Well done Year 6! Also this week, the children taking part in the Mini Police joined a road traffic officer to monitor speeds of vehicles on the High Street. I know the children enjoyed the experience and learnt about speed awareness.

You may notice that the top of our newsletter has changed slightly. "Be strong and courageous" has been our school's central Christian vision for a number of years after being created by staff, parents, governors and children. This is taken from the Bible verse found in Joshua 1 verse 6 and the story of Joshua. Through this vision, we encourage all children, staff, parents and visitors to uphold and 'live' our school values. Why not ask your child what our school vision is and what it means to them?

Enjoy your weekend.

Mr T. Brunson
Headteacher

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Attendance

Year 3	97.51%
Year 2	95.86%
Year 6	94.72%
Year 5	94.63%
Year 1	92.53%
Year 4	89.88%
Reception	89.63%
Nursery AM	87.28%
Nursery PM	71.93%

Worship Section

Bible Passage

Mark 10 v 2-16
Focus on v 13-16
Care for All

Family Fun Together

Come to me: Jesus encouraged the children to come to him rather than be held back. Play a fun 'come to me' challenge.

The caller stands on one side of the room, the walker on the other with their eyes closed or wearing a blindfold.

The caller should encourage them to 'come to me' and guide them across the room using only their voice. Make it more difficult by setting up an assault course!



'Stories at Breakfast', with a visit from Alice in Wonderland!!

Star of the Week

Reception	- Jagoda
Year 1	- Ishaan
Year 2	- Liam
Year 3	- Ryan
Year 4	- Isaac
Year 5	- Reuben
Year 6	- Ruby
Resource B	- Tommy-Lee



Our Mini-Police members were outside school yesterday with our local PCSOs, monitoring the speed of cars along the High Street.

We went to an area with cars and all got a turn with the speed gun. What I found interesting was the speed gun design and the red dot.

Junior, Year 6



We put on our uniforms and then learnt about the dangers of speeding. We used the speed gun on moving cars to see what speed they were travelling. The officer then showed us all the types of sirens in his car.

We even got to sit in it! **Angel, Year 6**



I learnt that Eton College is an all-boy boarding school that is around 600 years old! Henry Dundas was an officer in WW1 who went to the school. He liked drawing and got good grades!

Unfortunately, he died by gun shot about one month before the war ended. **Persis, Year 6**



Our thanks to Eton College Museum who welcomed **Year 6** yesterday to a workshop on '**Remembering the Fallen**', where they investigated the life of an Old Etonian who fell on the Western Front during WW1. **Mrs Bharj**



Class Fundraising Challenge

Please remember our PTA fundraising challenge for each class to fill a bottle with as many 5 pence pieces as they can find - or earn!

The class with the most coins will win a treat! You have until 4th November to bring in as many as possible to raise much needed funds for our school.

Please remember we have a non-uniform day next Friday, **15th October** when we will be, once again, supporting

Slough Foodbank

by bringing in donations of food as indicated below:

Food	Toiletries & Basic Items
Long-life milk	Razors
Tinned fruit	Deodorant
Tinned carrots/mixed veg	Washing-up liquid
Tinned meat (stewed steak, mince, chicken in sauce)	Shampoo
Long-life fruit juice	Shaving foam
Coffee (small jars)	Strong carrier bags
Pasta	
Jam	



You are welcome to come and join us all at **St Thomas' Church**, Vicarage Way, Colnbrook, for our **Harvest Service**, next Wednesday, 13th October at 2.15pm.



STORIES AT BREAKFAST

