



Bronington Bulletin

Friday 17th November

The first two weeks of this half term have been packed with lots of enjoyable learning experiences for the children; it is wonderful to see their enthusiasm for exploring new concepts.

This week we have invited governors to school, they have really enjoyed seeing our school in action. I am always amazed at the confidence of the children when talking to visitors, they really are fabulous.

The children have been excited to put the stage up this week and are really busy preparing for their Christmas performances. Please look out for costume requests on your child's Seesaw account.

Apologies for the change in date for photographs. Tempest had a change of staff and diary dates were not shared. We have rescheduled photographs for Friday 24th November 2023.

We would like to hold a Christmas Jumper Sale to reuse and recycle Christmas jumpers from last year. Please send in any Christmas jumpers/tops that are now too small for your child by Friday 24th November. We will hold a jumper sale on Wednesday 29th November for you to purchase jumpers in time for our Christmas Jumper Day on 14th December.

Yours Sincerely, Emma Jones, Headteacher

AFTER SCHOOL CARE

DID YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN USE OUR AFTER SCHOOL CARE ON A REGULAR OR IRREGULAR BASIS?

ASC is open until 4.30pm but could be extended until 5.30pm if there is enough additional demand.

Please email JupeE7@hwbcymru.net for further information, to express interest or to book your place.

PIC•COLLAGE

Events at Holy Trinity Church, Bronington

Christmas Tree Exhibition-
From Sun 3rd Dec to Sat 6th
Jan

Christingle Service- Sun 10th
Dec

All welcome

Dates For Your Diary

Send old Christmas Jumpers to school by Friday 24th November

Tempest Photographs - Friday 24th November

Christmas Jumper Sale – Wednesday 29th November

Non-uniform Day (Christmas Hamper Donations)– Thursday 30th November

Journey Day at St Paul's School – Friday 1st December

Class 3 Christmas Production- 10am and 5pm Wednesday 6th December

Class 1 and 2 (including Nursery) Christmas Production- 10am and 5pm Thurs 7th Dec

Christmas Jumper Day- Thursday 14th December



Class 1

At the start of last week, Class 1 had a fireworks themed day. They created collaborative art on the computer, developed their fine motor skills and explored colour and light.



Class 1 and 2 learnt about Diwali and enjoyed making Rangoli patterns with loose parts and Mehndi Designs (which were tricky and messy with bags of paint but lots of fun).



Lang, Lit & Comm-

We have been reading and exploring the story of leaf man. We made our own leaf people, retold the story and will soon write our own leaf adventure.

Maths & Numeracy-

We have been working on 'longer and shorter' by making caterpillars out of beads and cutting different lengths of ribbon. We also spelt our names using wood cookie letters to see who has the 'longest and shortest' names. We also used playdough and stones to explore 'heavier and lighter'.

Reported by Oscar, School Council



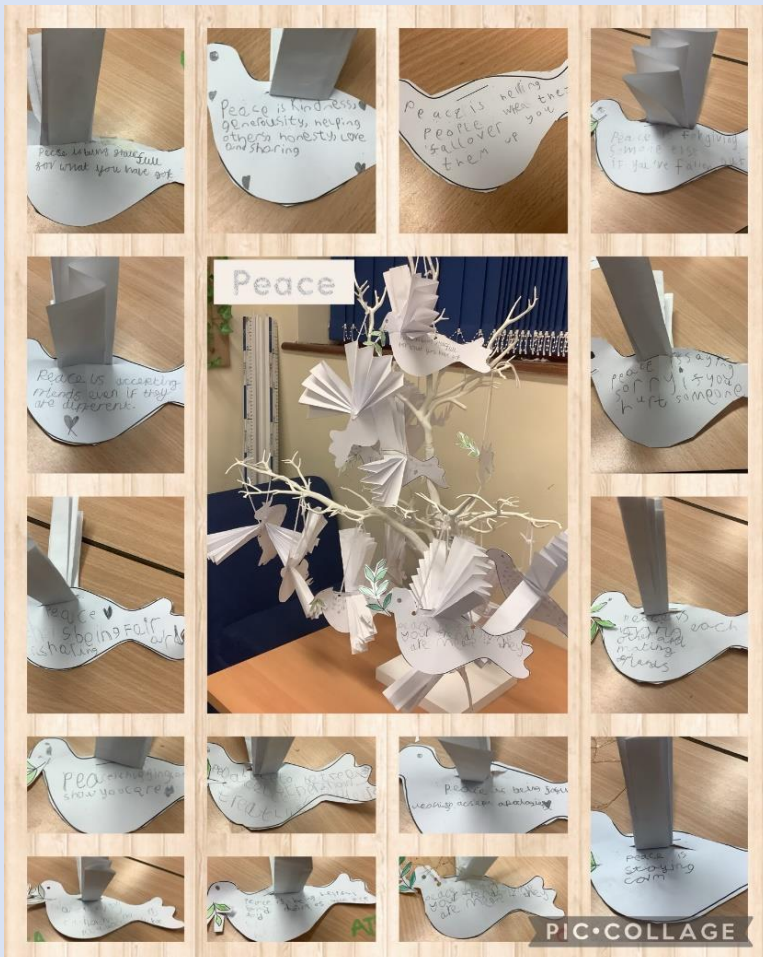
Class 2

Topic-
We learned about Diwali, the festival of light and created Rangoli patterns.

Lang, Lit & Comm-
We have been retelling the Journey of Edward Tulane using fronted adverbials.

Maths & Numeracy-
We have been adding numbers to make 10.

Reported by Lottie, School Council





Class 3

Lit & Comm- We have been identifying features of a good story, learning about remembrance, creating blackout poems, and handwriting, decorating and reading the poem of Flanders fields aloud.

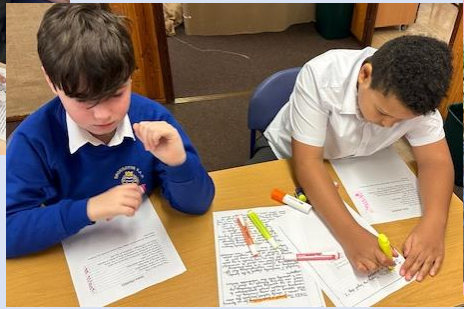
We also explored some new sentence patterns that will help us when writing our own stories.

Maths & Numeracy- We have been working on round robin activities like the RUCSAC method for word problems, J2Blast times tables, Mathopoly and code breakers.

Forest school- We have made WWII boats using twigs, string and rubber bands to carry one conker or more.



This week Forest School was all about building rafts for Class 3. Mrs Davies challenged them to construct a raft with only corks, string, rubber bands and anything they could find at Forest School. Everyone did very well and all of the rafts floated.





Children in Need

Thanks to your donations, Bumblebees and Bronington school raised £75.55. Da iawn pawb!



Bumblebees have been busy making Pudsey Bear biscuits and crafts this week.





Class 3 went to Maelor Nurseries to help build bug hotels in order to support the improvement of biodiversity at their site. The children learnt about Maelor Nurseries and what they do before splitting into two teams to work together to create 'bug hotels'. In teams they discussed what kinds of mini beasts and creepy crawlies may move in once construction was complete. Next, they examined the bug hotel plans on display before investigating the building materials on offer. The children used sticks, pinecones, bamboo, bricks, cardboard, bark, wood shavings and compost to construct their bug hotel in and around a stack of pallets. Designs were examined, evaluated, demolished, redesigned and reconstructed to ensure that all bugs had somewhere to call home. Once construction was complete, managers from the business came to judge the team's work. Everyone had a wonderful time and thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to learn about and work with a local business. Many thanks to Sarah Dulson and the team at Maelor Nurseries, we had a wonderful time!



Maelor
Forest Nurseries

BSWGROUP member of **binderholz** ■

Bronington School's
100 Club

£10 A NUMBER

Draw 1, 2 & 3 Dec, Feb & Apr	Draw 4 July
Prize 1 - £40	Prize 1 - £50
Prize 2 - £25	Prize 2 - £30
Prize 3 - £15	Prize 3 - £25
Prize 4 - £10	Prize 4 - £20

Numbers available from school office or via:
friendsofbronington@hotmail.com
brodiev6@hwbcymru.net

Wreath Making

Bronington School Hall with
Christine Roberts from Little Green
Flowers.

Friday 8th December
6:30pm

£25 includes glass of fizz
& a mince pie.

Further nibbles & fizz available
with a donation.

book via:
friendsofbronington@hotmail.com
07939 599089

Music Lessons

The Higher Wych Trust has kindly donated money to cover the cost of music lessons led by Wrexham music co-operative. The sessions take place every Monday afternoon and are enjoyed by all children.



Left to right: Emma Jones, Headteacher with Philip Godsall, trustee of the Higher Wych Charity, our school ambassadors Emily and Amelia and Steve Swinden, Chair of Governors

Thank you for your support

To *Bronington School and Bumblebees*

Thank you for supporting the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

Your collection total *£122-52*

