# Triangle Primary School

# 'Learning, Excellence, Respect'

# 24<sup>th</sup> November 2023

#### **Class 5 Visit**

Class Five had a great day at Manchester Museum, where they took on the role of archaeologists and history detectives, exploring real life ancient Egyptian artefacts and used their investigative skills to discover more about the ancient Egyptians. A real highlight for the children, was seeing the golden mummies of Egypt in the exhibition. They were spectacular!

# **Inter House Netball**

This week we held the first ever inter-house netball tournament. Our House Captains picked squads of upper juniors to compete in a round robin competition.

After all 6 games, Mrs Forrester worked out the results which are below:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Vikings 50 points for the team.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Tudors** 30 points for the team.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Egyptians 20 points for the team.

4<sup>th</sup> **Victorians** 10 points for the team. The green Viking rosette was placed on the

trophy in assembly this morning, ready to take pride of place in the trophy cabinet.

The next inter-house competition will be a quiz.

# **Bury a Bulb Begins**

Although we have been slightly delayed by some wet weather, classes began the job of planting bulbs ready for a Spring display of colour. Each class have chosen a selection of bulbs and I am looking forward to seeing their designs grow in the new year.

Many thanks to everyone who donated some bulbs for the children to plant. As usual, your generosity has enhanced the opportunities we can give to our children.

# **Parental Questionnaires**

Thank you very much to those of you who have taken the time to send back completed questionnaires. I will summarise their findings on the next newsletter.

If you haven't returned yours and would like your opinions to be included, please send it in next Monday.





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# **Recycling Relaunch**

We have always tried to do our bit for the green agenda here at Triangle, but every so often it is good to remind ourselves about the little things we can all do.

With that in mind we have re-launched our recycling efforts in school and green recycling boxes have popped up around the building.

#### Y5/6 Football

This week some of the football squad took part in a tournament involving aver 35 other Calderdale schools with the chance to represent Halifax Town in the next round of a national competition. Things started well and we topped our group, beating; Wainstalls, Cliffe Hill and Warley Road, then drawing with Parkinson Lane.

This put us through to the quarter final, where we overcame St Joseph's, before narrowly losing out to Greetland 1-0 in the semis. A great experience for the players and lovely to see them holding their own against the cream of the Borough.

#### **Music Trust Taster Sessions**

After being entertained last week by teachers from Calderdale's Music Service, some of our children took up the opportunity for a taster session with either a woodwind or stringed instrument. It is lovely to be able to give children a little first-hand experience with these instruments and the children I spoke to all enjoyed the opportunity.

# PTFA Update – Hampers, Raffle and Wreaths!

Thank you for all your fabulous donations that you sent in today, very generous as usual. They will be put together to create some fantastic hampers for the raffle prizes.

More of your donations will be set aside for the tombola and the bottle in a bag stalls, two of the most popular places at our Christmas Fair. Please keep sending in raffle ticket stubs and money into the school office. If you would like more books of tickets to sell, please ask at Reception.

This evening's wreath making session is now fully booked. If you are one of the lucky ones who secured a place, please try to remember to bring a pair of secateurs as well as any bespoke decorations or lights you wish to include.

See you there at 6.30pm!

# Prospective Reception Class Parents 2024 – Please Spread the Word!

It has been lovely showing parents and carers around our wonderful school recently as they begin to make a choice about which school to send their children to next September. I received some lovely comments about the school and the facilities we have.

Whilst the official sessions are now over, I am very happy to accommodate families who missed the opportunity.

Please can I ask you to prompt family, friends and neighbours to contact the school if they would like to take a look around.



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#### This week's Achievement goes to .....

#### Stars of the Week:

Class R: Poppy Class 1: Michelle Class 2: Rose Class 3: Gracie Class 4: Ellie Class 5: Hector Class 6: Layton Writers of the Week: Class 1: Albie Class 2: Charlie Class R: Alice Class 5: Freddie Class 4: Abbie Class 6: Holly F

#### Events for the week commencing 27<sup>th</sup> November 2023:

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Tuesday:	Class photo's – weather permitting.
Wednesday:	Calderdale Cross Country Finals – Old Brodleians.
Friday:	No Running Club due to Christmas Fair.
	PTFA Christmas Fair 5pm - 7pm.





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