

Headlines

What a fantastic, colourful day today at Collingwood as we support the 'Children in Need' cause. The day kicked off with 4A's assembly and the children gave us a funny, entertaining but also very poignant presentation. They showed us about the important causes that the Children in Need charity support and reminded us of the reason why we are having such a fun and memorable day in school today. We have many of the 6A children to thank for today too. They have planned a whole afternoon of fun activities for the whole school to enjoy as teams. The 6A children have really impressed me of late - they have shown responsibility and maturity and shown how they are fine ambassadors for our school. This was very much the case on Sunday, when Harry and Lara joined me to lay a Remembrance wreath at a very busy Carshalton war memorial - I was very proud of them both.

The theme of showing respect and support for the armed forces, past and current, is an important one for us this year. Next Thursday at 10am, we will be signing a covenant to show this commitment as a school and also learning about another charity - SSAFA, which supports the families and individuals who have served the nation's forces. Parents are welcome to join us for this assembly and cake sale too.

In yet another demonstration of collaboration and citizenship, this week 5A and 6A worked together in groups in projects to research and present to an audience on the subject of 'Clean Water and Sanitation'. This is one of the UN Sustainable Development goals and one 'winning' group will be going forward to the Greenfield Children's Festival and showing their presentation there in front of a number of other schools. It was a very tough decision, but the team of Lara, Frankie, Harry, Sophie and James have been put forward for this exciting event. However, all the children have marked off another 'notch' on their Collingwood Way Award.



Mr Leigh Hardie, Head

Celebration Assembly

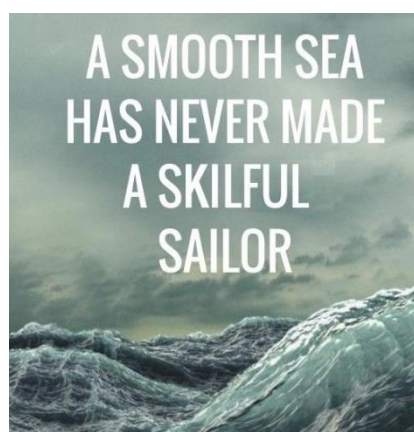
Stars of the Week



Kindergarten	Keeva	Drama	Safia
Reception	Leo	DT	Harry B
Year 1	Austin	Music	Scarlett
Year 2	Reece	MFL	Virshan
Year 3	Ben	Swimming	Ilyas
Year 4	Harry	Football	Sam H
Year 5	Hannah	House	Drake
Year 6	Talulla		
10 Star Badge	Jeyshaan, Terran, Reece, Peter R, Liam		
20 Star Badge	Rose, Freddie, Max F, Austin, Aris, Kushbu		
Tree of Virtue Leaves:	Kayden, James Wi, Seyifunmi		



Thought of the WEEK..



A SMOOTH SEA
HAS NEVER MADE
A SKILFUL
SAILOR

What does a sailor need to do to become skilled?

Why is a smooth sea not the best for learning to be skillful?

What is this saying a metaphor for?

Can you think of some examples in which something has been very difficult or demanding but you became more able or skilled as a result?

How does this link to having a 'growth mindset' in the face of challenge?

Armed Forces Covenant



We have been talking a great deal with the pupils about the meaning of Remembrance and why it is so important to support those brave men and women who are willing to give their lives for our freedom. With this in mind, on Thursday 22nd November we will be signing a special covenant as a school to show our support for the Armed Forces community. All our parents are also invited to come and support this event, as well as enjoying some refreshments. We are also pledging our support to **SSAFA**, the Armed Forces charity that works to raise money and awareness for individuals and families who need support. SSAFA will be one of our main school charities this year and we will begin the fundraising proceedings with a cake sale on 22nd November after our special assembly.

Christmas Lunch

Our Christmas lunch will be on Tuesday 11th December – mufti/festive jumpers should be worn. This will be a fun day for children with lots of Christmas themed activities. If your child usually has a packed lunch but you would like them to have the Christmas Dinner, then please make payment of £3.50 via ParentPay by Tuesday 27th November.



Ho Ho Ho



Santa slots are now available to book! This year we are trialling a system using Sign Up Genius to book your slot and payment should then be made via ParentPay. Follow this link to book your time slot

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0844A9AB2AA6FD0-father>



Thank you for all your generous chocolate donations today, the PTA are very grateful for all your support. Don't forget:

Friday 23rd November - Wrapped jars and Christmas Crackers

w/c Monday 26th November: Donations of good condition toys and DVDs.

Thursday 29th November - Bottles for Tombola and mufti day

Friday 30th November - Home-made cakes and Grand Draw tickets to be returned.

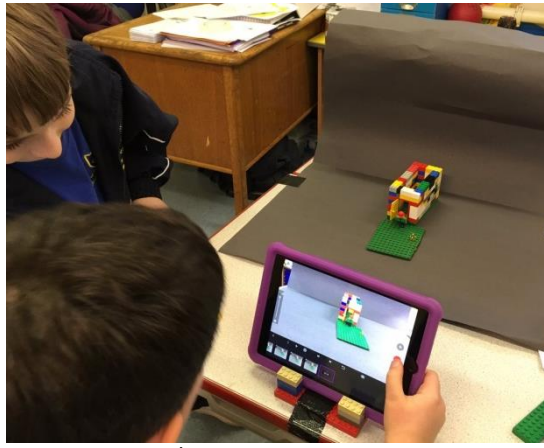
As a thank you for all the generous donations, festive jumpers/mufti may be worn by the children on **Thursday 29th November**.

If you are able help at any stage with the Fair, please sign up using this [link](#).

This week at Collingwood



Remembrance Ceremony



4A make Lego animation movies



5A testing their parachutes



Winners of the library art competition



1A observational art – British wildlife



Reception Ipad learning



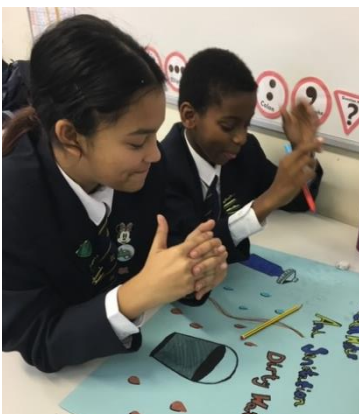
DT Club



Anti Bullying Week clips on
Twitter



Congratulations!



5A & 6A have been working on a global citizen project about sanitation and clean water



BBC Children in Need



Key dates

Sunday 18 th November	Deadline for ordering School photographs from Bentley Photographic
Monday 19 th November	Bag2School Collection
Thursday 22nd November	Collingwood School Covenant Signing
Friday 23 rd November	3A Assembly (NOTE 8.50am start) Sutton Music Service Choir Competition <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Junior Choir 2-2.30pm- Senior Choir 2.40-3.50pm PTA wrapped jars & cracker donations
Tuesday 27th November	Final date to order Christmas Lunch
Thursday 29 th November	PTA Bottle donations – Mufti day
Friday 30 th November	5A Assembly (NOTE 8.50am start) Choir to Sing at Lloyds TSB, Wallington 11am PTA cake donations
Saturday 1 st December	Christmas Fair
Wednesday 5 th December	Music Soloist Evening
Thursday 6 th December	Christmas Production – Reception and KS1 2pm KS2 Drama Presentation 4pm
Friday 7 th December	DanceKids Assembly 8.50am Christmas Production – Reception and KS1 2pm KS2 Choir to sing at St Nicholas Centre 10.15-10.45am
Monday 10 th December	Last swim for Years 1 to 6
Tuesday 11 th December	Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day
Wednesday 12 th December	Reception, 1A & 2A Trip to London Zoo
Thursday 13 th December	Carol Service 5.30pm

Red - denotes new date

Future term dates:

Autumn Term 2018

End of Term Friday 14th December at midday

Spring Term 2019

Tuesday 8th January to Friday 29th March 2019

Half Term: Monday 18th February to Friday 22nd February inclusive

Summer Term 2019

Wednesday 24th April to Tuesday 9th July 2019

Half Term: Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May

Saturday 1st December

1-4pm



CHRISTMAS FAIR

Festive Refreshments AND *CAKES*

Reindeer Food

SANTA'S GROTTO *Swag Bag*

Bottle Tombola

Chocolate Tombola *Grand Draw* **Treasure cups**

MAGIC MONEY TREE *Face Painting* **WRAPPED JARS**



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