



# Weekly Roundup

## 10th November 2023

What a great week we have had!



This week certificates were awarded to:

Ladybird class— Brooke

Dragonfly class— Melissa-May, Safia & Jacob

Butterfly class— Harper, Lacy & Owen

Firefly class— Sam, Amelia & Harry

Cricket class— Kitty, Florence & Erin

Mrs Pocock's Golden phone call last week went to Jamie.



### Reminder: To book for Parents Evening via eschools.

We will also be hosting the book fair on these evenings

Congratulations to our Cricket Class & Ladybird Class who topped the charts this week with 100% attendance!



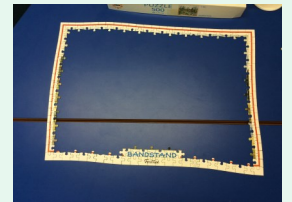
### Anti-Bullying Week

We will be having an Odd Socks Day to launch our Anti-Bullying week. Odd Socks Day is a chance for schools to celebrate Anti-Bullying Week in a positive way by asking pupils and staff to wear odd socks to school. There is no pressure to wear the latest fashion or buy expensive costumes. All you need to do to take part is wear odd socks, it could not be simpler! **Odd Socks day will take place on the first day of Anti Bullying Week, Monday 13th November** to help raise



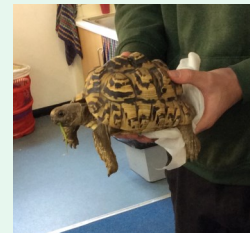
### Dragonfly Class

Last term Dragonfly Class worked together during their challenge times to complete a 200 piece puzzle. They enjoyed it so much, I have challenged them this half term with a 500 piece puzzle. They have worked together as a team during challenge times this week and have already completed the edge! Watch this space to see their progress and how long it takes them to complete all 500 pieces!



### Noah's Ark Zoo Farm

Ladybird & dragonfly class had some very special visitors.



### Dates to remember:

13th Nov—Odd Socks Day

14th & 15th Nov— Parents Evening & Book Fair

15th Y5 Art Exhibition

17th Nov— Wear something spotty

### Remembrance Service

We observed a two minute's silence at 11am today.



More photos from our fabulous week at school can be found on our [Facebook page](#)

## School Safety Reminder

Here at Banwell Primary School we take the safety of our school community seriously. We talk to the children often about safety and security at school but thought we should remind all our parents and visitors.



Please do not drive onto the school grounds at any time. This includes those using breakfast club and afterschool club. There is a car park opposite the school gates which is free to use. The school drive is used throughout the day by pedestrians and it is important that we ensure their safety. If you are disabled and need access by car please let the school office know:

[office@banwell.extendlearning.org](mailto:office@banwell.extendlearning.org)



When the school gates are closed please buzz and wait for the school office to allow entry. Please do not allow others to follow you in even if they are known to you or give a reasonable reason for wanting to gain access. We will get the buzzer as soon as we can, if we do not answer immediately it is because we are busy with another child, visitor or parent. The secure gate is a very important part of keeping our school community safe and secure throughout the day.



The school gates are open from 08:40am and close at 08:50am, if you are running late and miss the gate please ensure that your child is signed in at the school office. It is important that no one is missed from the register particularly in the event of an emergency.



If your child is too ill to attend school please use our absence line or let the school office know in person or by email. Our teachers are busy looking after the children in class and may forget to send the message down to the school office



If you wish to use our after school club please book on line up to 24 hours in advance. This ensures that we have an up to date register and we have the correct staffing levels and of course enough food and drink for those that are staying longer. We know that there may be the odd occasion that you forget to book or need an **emergency booking**, in this case please telephone the office (01934 822498) or email us on: [office@banwell.extendlearning.org](mailto:office@banwell.extendlearning.org)

**before 1 pm** so that we are able to make sure there is space for your child

and they are on the after school club register. If you are unsure that you will need to make use of the space it is better to book early and we can roll it over to another week if you don't use it, than contact us late in the day.