

Stars of the week

Stars of the Week for last week were:

Kiera Depta Ribeiro	Oliver Trybula
Summer Winstone	Taylan Meen
George Broegas	Freja Mountain
Sidney Parsons	Tama Alder
Emma Bullock	Jamie Harrison-Morley
Joshua Galvao	Marco Ferreira

Teampoints

Last week's results were:

1st: Blue
2nd: Yellow
3rd: Red
4th: Green



Congratulations to **Blue** team for being this week's winners. Blue have now gone into the lead overall, and are 2 points ahead of Green and Yellow.

Attendance results

Wrens:	92.1%	<i>Inadequate</i>	
Magpies:	88.3%	<i>Inadequate</i>	
Swallows:	92.8%	<i>Inadequate</i>	
Robins:	93.2%	<i>Inadequate</i>	
Skylarks:	97.7%	Outstanding	
Hérons:	90.0%	<i>Inadequate</i>	
Kestrels:	97.9%	Outstanding	WINNER!

Last week's attendance: **93.3%**
Inadequate

Attendance since September: **93.9%**
Inadequate

Inhalers

If you have told us that your child has asthma and requires an inhaler you **MUST** provide one. We have a number of pupils in school without an in-date inhaler. If a child has an asthma attack and we do not have an inhaler, then they are at serious risk. We are not permitted to use another child's inhaler. A serious asthma attack can kill a child. For this reason, if we are unable to get an in-date inhaler from you, you will be asked to keep your child at home until you can provide us with an inhaler.

Changes to school uniform

Some parents have questioned the changes outlined last week. Please let me confirm that we don't expect parents to buy new white shirts immediately. If your child currently wears a blue shirt, all we ask is that when you buy new ones, you buy white shirts.

As was explained last week, we will be providing all children in KS2 with their first team colour PE t-shirt. If you wish to buy extra shirts they will be available from our uniform suppliers within the next couple of weeks. Once we have given out the new t-shirts, they will be compulsory PE uniform and no other shirt will be permitted. KS1 will continue to wear white for PE.

Art competition

Brandon Life is running a competition for all budding artists. Children are invited to use any style and materials to produce a picture of the new Brandon Centre.

The deadline is 9th October and any entries can be posted in the red box in Cobra Domestic Supplies (opposite Spar). Please don't send entries into school.

Glade's Got Talent

The date is set.....

Auditions will be on Tuesday 6th November, with the main show to pupils on the afternoon of Wednesday 6th November. This will be repeated for parents at 6pm on Wednesday.

Children can enter individually or as part of a group. The competition is open to all year groups. Children can sing, dance, perform magic, juggle, in fact nearly anything! There are no specific categories as we had for the Eisteddfod last year, and children should plan and practice at home ready for the show. Entry forms are being sent home this week, giving children a chance to think about what they would like to do.

Homework

Thank you to all of those parents who have been supporting us in ensuring that their children complete their homework and hand it in on time.

Regular reading, tables and spelling practice is essential and if you can support your child with this, you will help accelerate their progress at school.

Please remember that we expect all children to complete the homework activities set by their teacher, and children who do not do this will often be required to stay in at break/lunch to catch up.

Upcoming dates

Wed. 2nd Oct.	Story Café (Skylarks) - 1.30pm
Fri. 4th Oct.	Story Café (Robins) - 1.30pm
Wed. 9th Oct.	Story Café (Magpies) - 1.30pm
Fri. 11th Oct.	Termly report to parents
Tue. 15th Oct.	Parents Evening (3.30pm - 7.00pm)
Wed. 16th Oct.	Parents Evening (3.30pm - 5.30pm)
Thu. 17th Oct.	Story Café (Wrens) - 1.30pm
Fri. 18th Oct.	Story Café (Wrens) - 1.30pm
Thu. 24th Oct.	Last day of term School discos
Mon. 4th Nov.	Term starts
Tue. 5th Nov.	Glade's Got Talent (auditions)
Wed. 6th Nov.	Glade's Got Talent (shows)
Fri. 6th Dec.	Christmas Fair (4pm—6pm)
Wed. 11th Dec.	KS2 Panto visit (return at 5.15pm)
Fri. 20th Dec.	Last day of term

NASUWT/NUT strike

Please remember that there is a regional teacher strike on Tuesday.

At the time of printing this newsletter, Herons class will be closed due to strike action and all Herons pupils should remain at home that day.

All other pupils should attend school as normal. If any other classes close, the information will be posted on the school website, the school Facebook and Twitter pages and will be emailed/texted to parents. Please monitor these lines of communication on Tuesday morning so that you know whether your child should be in school.

Emergency Contact Sheets

Congratulations to Herons class who were the first to return their data collection sheets. They won a large box of chocolates and were very pleased to have done so!

As was promised, one child's name was chosen at random from the winning class and their parents received a bottle of wine. Congratulations to Mr & Mrs Snazell.

If you still haven't returned your form, please don't put it off any longer. You won't win the prize but you will make sure that we can reach you if your child is sick!

Staff Changes

After 5 years at Glade we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Nicholson at the end of this term. Mrs Nicholson has been appointed as the new Headteacher of Beck Row Primary School and will be starting there in January.

Mrs Nicholson has been Deputy Headteacher at Glade since 2009, and last year took charge of Cockfield Primary School for 2 terms. All of the staff and Governors at Glade wish her well in her new position.

We have already advertised for a new Deputy Headteacher and will be interviewing in the next couple of weeks. I will let you more details once we have them.