

At Dr. Walker's School we develop **Respect** and **Responsibility**.
 Build **Perseverance** and **Creativity**.
 Combine Christian values with **Courage** and **Compassion** for us to become successful British Citizens.



Our stars of the week awards



15.09.17 & 22.09.17

Caterpillars	• Caitlin Daly	For excellent effort across all lessons and activities this week and for always putting her hand up to answer a question.
	• Archie Brown	For consistent excellent behaviour and citizenship
Bees	• Sebastian Potton	For being a responsible member of Bees class, always doing his best.
	• Freddy Goodall	For always listening, trying his best and being a lovely friend.
	• Lara Gatward	For being a hardworking and trustworthy member of Bees class and showing compassion to others.
Ladybirds	• John Cureton	For showing fantastic perseverance with his writing.
	• Laila Brown	For showing great responsibility and perseverance with spelling.
	• Logan Ngan	For showing great respect at all times to his peers and his teachers.
Hedgehogs	• George Plummer	For excellent focus and perseverance this week.
	• Millie-Mae	For showing excellent respect and super creativity this week.
	• Lydia Newell	For excellent focus and perseverance in maths this week.
Badgers	• Daniel Pailthorpe	For having a very positive attitude to learning; especially towards our new topic.
	• Lois Donavan	For starting this new school year with such perseverance and courage.
	• Max Fisher	For being so enthusiastic in all learning.
Highest class attendance	15.09.17 Badgers - 96.4%	22.09.17 Caterpillars & Hedgehogs 100%
Golden Broom For tidiest classroom	Hedgehogs	Ladybirds

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Due to the fact that we do have children in the school who suffer with serious nut allergies, please can parents ensure that if they are sending their child in with a packed lunch, they check that it **does not contain any form of nuts or nut spreads such as Nutella**.

PLEASE REMEMBER WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL.



Snacks and packed lunches



We are aiming to maintain our healthy schools status and part of this is to ensure that any snacks the children have meet our school policy. Therefore, please ensure that any snacks that are brought in for playtime **are only from the following list:**

Fresh fruit, vegetables or dried fruit such as a small pack of raisins or a plain digestive biscuit.

Macmillan Coffee Afternoon Friday 29th September



You will be receiving an invitation from our year 6 children for our Macmillan Coffee Afternoon Friday 29th September 2.15 - 2.45. They will be making some items to sell and will be helping in the running of this event but we will still need lots of other donations from parents.

So if you would like to get involved either by baking or buying a cake, please send them in on the day. We do hope you can support this worthy cause which effects so many of us.

PLEASE REMEMBER WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL WHEN MAKING YOUR CAKES



Thursday 5th October 9.30am at the Church

On Wednesday 4th October during the afternoon, all the children will be making their own small flower arrangements for the church service. We are very lucky to have some of the volunteers who do the flowers at the church, to come and help with this. They are also very kindly donating some small dishes, oasis and some greenery but we will still need some extra small dishes/saucers and flowers so there are enough for everyone.

Any donations of flowers & dishes would be most welcome on the Wednesday.

There will also be an opportunity for you to send in a food donation and we are liaising with Revd Chris about this. More information to follow.

Just a reminder that all clubs start next week from Monday 25th September

Thank you.

Regards

Fiona Reid

Diary dates

- MacMillan Coffee Afternoon - Friday 29th September - 2:15pm
- Achievement Sharing Assembly - Every Friday at 2:45pm
- Flu Immunisation - Tuesday 3rd October - Information to follow
- Harvest Festival - Thursday 5th October - 9:30am St Nicholas Church, Fyfield

Share your views through Parent View

If you are unable to come to the parent forums you can of course discuss matters with your child's class teacher, Deputy Head or Headteacher or alternatively you can share your views through Parent View. Parents and carers can give their views of our school at any time of the school year *and* at the time of a school inspection using an online questionnaire called Parent View. Please register with an email address and a password at <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk>. Once your login has been activated, it only takes a few minutes to complete answers to 12 short questions about aspects of school life. Your views are important in helping inspectors make a decision about our school, and to help us know what is going well and what could be improved. If you do not have a computer or an email address or if you would like help to use Parent View, please come into school and ask at the School Office.