



HEADLINES 28.09.2019

THIS WEEK'S...

SCHOOL VALUE

Respect

BIG QUESTION

Do you have to show respect to earn respect?

STAR ACHIEVERS

Our Lunchtime Supervisors!

BEST ATTENDANCE

Robins Class

E-SAFETY MESSAGE

Never share your passwords

LATEST NEWS

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- **European Day of Languages** took place on Wednesday of this week. The Children from years 2 -6 took part in a number of activities which included a variety of both European and other global languages. We would like to thank all the volunteers who gave of their time to share story books with classes. The children were interested, not only in the languages being shared through story but on finding out about the origins of the stories and cultures of different countries. Other activities the children took part in varied from saying hello in multiple languages to practising tongue twisters in French. Hopefully the children have come home this week and shared some of their learning with you.
- **National Poetry Day**, on 4th October, is a chance for everyone everywhere to read, share and enjoy poetry. The special thing about **poetry** is that it is often read aloud, repeated, and shared in groups. When children are listening to poems being read orally, they are building their listening skills. They learn to attend to the words they hear and to think about what those words mean together. It would be great to share some poems with your child at home. Try one of our favourites: [Strict](#), or [Chocolate Cake](#), by Michael Rosen.
- **Lego is needed** for a new Lego Club starting after half term! If you have any unwanted Lego, please send donations in to the school office.
- **Harvest Festival** will be on Wednesday 17th October at 9.10am and 2.30pm. Please click [here](#) to book a ticket online. Two tickets are available per family (not per child) and can be used for one assembly or split over the two assemblies. This year we will be supporting the Dorking Area Foodbank, a list of requested donations are attached - please can all donations be brought to school on Tuesday 16th October.
- **Thank you** to our wonderful Lunchtime team (plus Mrs Edwards, Mr Darke and various other helpers!) who have leapt into action whilst Barry is off and are managing all manner of manual jobs alongside their usual work. They say you never really appreciate how much someone means until they're not there... get well soon Barry, we miss you!

REMINDERS

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- **Ducklings Class information evening** is on Thursday **11th** October at 7:00pm (not 7th, as in last week's Headlines... sorry!)
- **Payments, forms and letters** can be posted in the secure locked letterbox outside the main office, to save you queuing. Please post any payments, forms or letters here in a sealed envelope ensuring you have put your child's name and class on the front. The letterbox is checked regularly throughout the day.

- **Health Reminder:** if your child is unwell with either diarrhoea and/or vomiting they cannot return to school until 48 hours after their last episode.
- **Headlice** have been reported in the school - please check your child's hair weekly and treat when necessary.
- **Nasal Flu Consent Forms** (Years R, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 only) - need to be returned to the school office by Monday, even if you do not want your child to have the vaccination.

SAFEGUARDING dsl@pcps.uk

- **Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub:** Please remember that the school has a duty of care to all children and takes safeguarding very seriously. From time to time, if we have concerns about a child, we may be required to refer them to Surrey's Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) for further support. For parents, this can often cause concern but it is important that parents understand this is our legal duty as a school, and is a source of advice for us to ensure we provide the best care we can - it does not necessarily mean that any further action will be taken.

COMING UP NEXT WEEK...

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
			Year 2 Forest Schools (½ class am)	Year 2 Forest Schools (½ class am)



SCHOOL CALENDAR
WEBSITE
RECENT LETTERS
USEFUL CONTACTS