



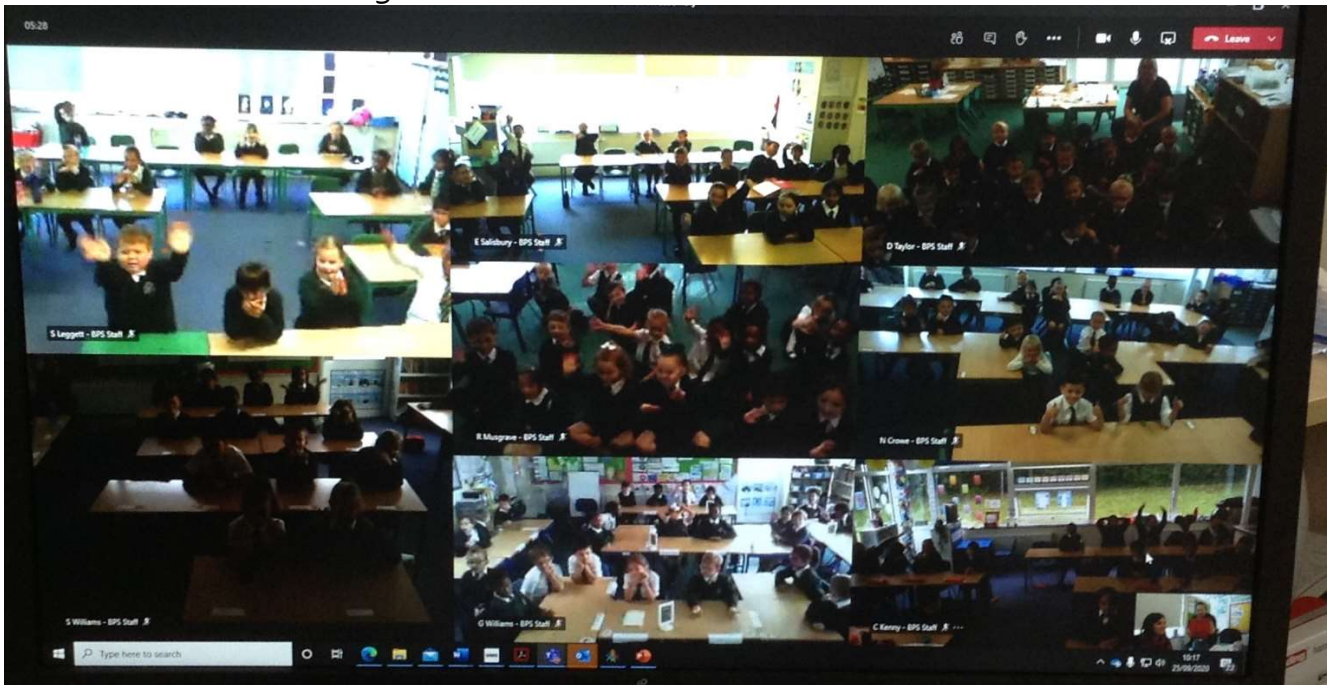
Blenheim Bulletin

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Autumn has arrived! Please make sure that your child is wearing a coat to school each day as the children spend time outside not just at playtime but during their lessons too.

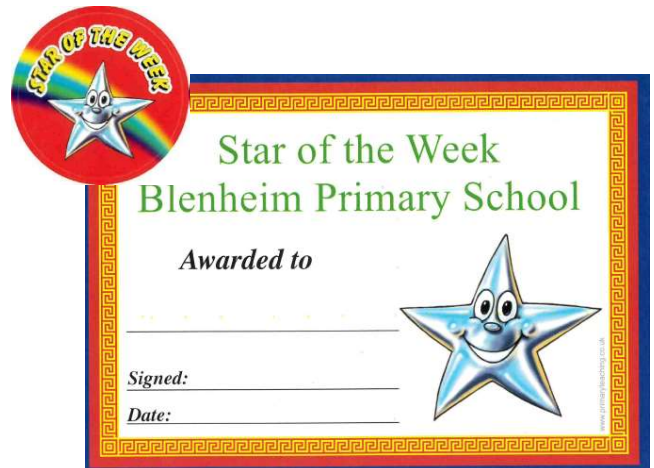
CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

Week 2 of our celebration assembly virtually via teams. As a school, using the wonders of modern technology, it is so lovely to be able to see all the children and celebrate their amazing achievements each week!



The teaching teams each week will be choosing a 'Star of the week'...this week's stars in class were:

R Robins	Erlisa
1 Orioles	Frankie W
2 Toucans	John Joe
3 Thornbills	Teddy
4 Falcons	Cameron
5 Fantails	Tommy
6 Swans	Gabriel
6 Swifts	Connor



Children throughout the week can earn House Points and they are awarded in line with our core values of **honesty**, **kindness**, **effort**, **acceptance**, **integrity**, **respect**, **fun**, **creativity** and **responsibility**.

In our celebration assembly on a Friday, children who have earned 5+ house points in a day are entered into a lucky draw. This week's lucky winners were **DANIEL L** for EYFS/KS1 (Years R – 2) and **HARRY B** for KS2 (Years 3 – 6). Well done!



Honesty	Kindness	Effort
Acceptance	Integrity	Respect
Fun	Creativity	Responsibility

Furthermore, the children can nominate both children and adults if they believe that they have gone over and above what we would 'normally expect'. This week we had two nominations;

Swift Class nominated **CONNOR** for **INTEGRITY** because 'we are so proud of the integrity, maturity and bravery that he has shown and continues to show. We should all be a little more 'Connor'.

Children at Blenheim are also divided into House groups and we celebrate the winning house with the most house points each week. These are this week's results:



Well done Leeds – another win!

Wow – what amazing support this year...thank you for your very kind donations. We raised a staggering **£207.94**. Your money will help fund projects that provide nursing care, equipment, activity weekends, online support and counselling to children with a Genetic disorder.



Children today enjoyed a drink and cake in class to raise money for MacMillan, enabling the charity to be right there for people living with cancer. We raised an amazing **£221.97**. Thank you so much for your generosity and to the staff for providing the cakes for the children (and to Mrs Hagues for providing them for staff!)

Thanks must also be given to the parents who so willingly offered cakes for today's MacMillan Coffee Morning.

SCHOOL INDIVIDUAL PHOTOGRAPHS THURSDAY!



School individual photos will take place this coming **Thursday 1 October 2020**. Unfortunately, due to the class bubbles and how school is set, we will be unable to take sibling photos this time around. If restrictions ease throughout the year we will do our utmost to try and book the photographer for later in the year.

FRIDAY CLOSURE TIMES

As a reminder, the closure times on a Friday are as follows:

1.00pm	Years R Robins, 1 Orioles and 2 Toucans
1.20pm	Years 3 Thornbills, 4 Falcons, 5 Fantails and 6 Swans and Swifts.

If you are a working parent and require Friday afternoon club, please apply for a place by contacting the school office who will give you further information of how to book. If your child attends After School Care Club on Friday, they will automatically be given a place in the provision.

PE DAYS

Children on their PE days should come to school in their PE kits; shorts/joggers, house t-shirt, jumper and trainers. All PE sessions will be held outside wherever possible.

Monday	Reception Robins	Year 5 Fantails
Tuesday	Year 2 Toucans	Year 4 Falcons
Wednesday	Year 6 Swifts	Year 6 Swans Year 1 Orioles
Thursday	Year 3 Thornbills	

WATER BOTTLES

Many children are still not bringing a named water bottle into school. Please allow your child to bring a named water bottle to school.

REMEMBER TO SOCIALLY DISTANCE
AT ALL TIMES IN AND AROUND THE SCHOOL

