



Joy Lane Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

3/11/17

Attendance from 16/10/17 – 20/10/17

Klee – 96.5%	Kline – 98.5%	Kandinsky – 98.6%
Vallotton – 96.7%	Van Gogh – 93.9%	Voysey – 95.2%
Potter – 97.4%	Picasso – 98%	Postgate – 97.4%
Renoir – 94.3%	Rousseau – 97%	Rodin – 98.2%
Hepworth – 97.9%	Heron – 96.6%	Hockney – 96.7%
Dali – 96.8%	Da Vinci – 98.3%	Oysters – 93.6%
Bailey – 96.9%	Banksy – 96%	

Attendance Teds are awarded to the classes shown in green in recognition of the highest attendance for their Key Stage.

House Points from 9/10/17 – 13/10/17

Endeavour	Victory	Mayflower	Discovery
158	156	113	130
Well Done Endeavour who are our Term 1 winners!			

Letters sent out this week

Swimming Information Booklet
Fireworks Night Cake Competition

Important Reminders

- Please put your child's name in all uniform so that it can be returned if found.
- Remind your child to bring home their water bottle so that it can be washed.
- Please send your KS2 child in with a healthy snack for break time.

Year Group Messages

Year 4:

On Friday 24th November 2017, Year 4 have a Turbine Workshop and are on the hunt for some equipment please!
Clean jam jars (approx 65mm diameter) Sturdy, flat cardboard Lollypop sticks

Year 6:

Isle of Wight Residential Trip – To secure a place for your child please send in the deposit of £65 by Monday 6th November 2017.

WWII Evacuee Day – Year 6 will be enjoying a World War II themed day on Monday 13th November 2017. We are asking pupils to come dressed as an evacuee for the day. Throughout the day we will be learning about the lives of children during the War, exploring their daily lives and empathising with their struggles. We would love to hear any stories that our pupils have heard from relatives or friends who remember those times or have a look at

any resources that the children could bring in that would enrich our discussions. As part of the day, we will be making our own gas mask boxes so these will be provided. In addition, the School kitchen will be cooking traditional wartime fare for lunch so the children do not need to bring packed lunches on this day. To cover the extra costs of the day, we are asking for a £1 donation towards resources. We look forward to a day of drama, discussion and bringing History alive!



Oysters SRPB:

Sensory Room Makeover! – The room has been completely refurbished and equipped with some fantastic sensory equipment for the children. The heated ball pit is amazing where the children can also control the colours of the wall lighting. Keep an eye out for the photos on Class Dojo. This wonderful resource will be so beneficial to the children’s sensory needs.

Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
Saturday 4 th November	Fun Morning for Reception 2018 children – 10am – 12noon

Music & Sports News

Music: Fifteen musicians are representing Joy Lane Primary School at the Reception 2018 Fun Open Morning on Saturday 4th November. This newly formed band and choir have performed in our music assembly in preparation for Saturday.

On Friday 10th November Joy Lane will be welcoming thirty-five Year 5 musicians from across the Coastal Alliance Primary Schools to join twenty-five Joy Lane Year 5 musicians to rehearse for our forthcoming performance at The Kent Headteachers’ Conference at The Ashford International Hotel on the 23rd November 2017.

Sports: Our girls team played St Mary’s Primary School on Wednesday losing 3 - 1. The score didn’t reflect the excellent performance by the girls and they are all raring to go again next week when they play Hampton Primary School away.

Hampton Primary School v JLPS Boys Team: 3 - 2

Forthcoming Class Sharing Assemblies

Friday 10 th November	Rousseau Class
Friday 17 th November	Renoir Class (Children in Need)
<p>Parents and carers are invited to their child’s Class Sharing Assembly which will be held in the Upper School Hall at 10am.</p> <p>All the Class Sharing Assemblies are on the School’s website for your information.</p>	

Announcements

Remembrance Day:

There will be poppies on sale during break-times and lunchtimes supporting The Royal British Legion Appeal. We have also been given a limited stock of wristbands & reflectors which will be sold for 50p each and friendship bracelets and snap bands for £1.

Card Machine:

Our card machine has now been installed in our main School office and you may use this to pay for the following: School dinners, Extended Services, Nursery, Trips, Uniform and Swimming (*minimum payment £10*). We are delighted to be able to offer you this additional payment method.



Scholastic Book Club

The Christmas Scholastic Book Club leaflet is here with all books half price or less! Stock up on Christmas presents or choose a book to read with your child during the festive season!

Free books for your school!

For every £1 you spend within the leaflet, our school will receive 20% of the order value back to spend on FREE BOOKS to restock the library and classrooms.

Shopping with Scholastic has raised **£539.54** in Scholastic Rewards in the last year for **Joy Lane Primary School** to spend on books and resources.

Why not try ordering online?

1. Visit (<http://clubs-school.scholastic.co.uk/joy-lane>) to use our School Group Order. By using this link, the school will still benefit from free books!
2. Select the books that you'd like to order and add them to your basket.
3. Checkout and choose the 'school delivery' option. Your books will still be delivered to the school for free!

OR – follow the instructions below:

1. Fill in the order form on the back of the leaflet.
2. Then pop the order form into an envelope either with a cheque made out to *Scholastic Ltd* or your card details.
3. Return the envelope to the school office by the order deadline of Wednesday 22nd November 2017.

Please note: Unfortunately we do not accept cash – only cheque or credit/debit card details please. (*Please note that your payment will be sent *after* the books are delivered.)

Your books will be given to you via your school child 1 – 2 weeks after the closing date. Please let me know if you need to pick them up from the office instead.

FJL Fireworks Display:

A big thank you to the Friends of Joy Lane for organising this event. It was an amazing evening, supported enthusiastically by the Joy Lane Community and the positive feedback was well received by all.

New Parent Governor:

We are delighted to announce that Mrs Helen Polley was successful in the recent Parent Governor Election. We welcome her to Joy Lane Primary School's Board of Governors.