

Farnborough Primary News

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Reception Pixies class before their run

Sun shines on a spooky fun run

ON Wednesday 4th November there was a cross-country event in Farnborough Primary School's playing field. All of the children enjoyed it and had a lot of fun. They did get muddy but that is the whole point of cross country.

The Year 6 Dragons class ran this event and made it very enjoyable for the children. The year sixes were very good at cheering on the students and

keeping track of the amount of laps.

As it was held around Halloween, there were spooky decorations at every corner. This kept the children motivated and amused which pushed them harder to keep going and not stop.

Everyone had a good time and all the children enjoyed themselves.

We were able to get an interview with the head PE teacher, Mr Atkinson, who commented that they were lucky to enjoy a very sunny day and all the classes showed great enthusiasm during the event.

Mr Atkinson said, "To keep the event Covid-safe, we were really careful about keeping separated from all the other classes and we had the course marked out with safety tape."

We also asked him whether he thought it was worth the effort and he said, "Yes, I think it was worth the effort and I can't wait for the next dragons event. Watch this space."

Back from half-term

FARNBOROUGH Primary School's children came back on Monday 2nd November, after their October half-term.

Due to current circumstances, they still have class bubbles and cannot mix with the other years. This virus also prohibits them from playing certain games inside and outside of the classroom.

Fortunately, they still can play with each other and are introduced to millions of different topics to deeply discover into. All of the children are happy to be back at school and are excited for what the rest of the term will bring.

The KS1 children will continue with all their fun lessons and KS2 will extend to work on their topic, English, Maths and many more subjects they can learn.

Fantastic foodbank

FARNBOROUGH Primary School did an amazing job at giving food donations to the foodbank.

When you donate the food to give to the foodbank it goes through a long process. First, volunteers sort food to check that it is in date and pack it into boxes ready to be given to people in need.

Over 40,000 people give up their time to volunteer at foodbanks.

Then, care professionals such as doctors, health visitors, social workers and police identify which people are in need of coming to foodbanks to prevent starvation.

Finally, foodbank clients bring their voucher to the foodbank



Our foodbank collection

where it can be redeemed for three days' emergency food.

Now that you know where the food goes, you can feel very lucky that you have enough to eat and are able to live a healthy and happy life.

Support the Poppy Appeal

THERE are Poppy Appeal collections at Farnborough where you can buy keyrings, slap bands, bracelets, zippers and stationary.

The money raised from the Poppy Appeal goes directly to the Royal British Legion's work providing life support to anyone who is currently serving in the British Armed Forces, who have previously served, and their families.

In 2016, the Poppy Appeal donations managed to raise over £44,000,000 and it continues to raise more funds every year through poppy sales, runs and other charity events.

If you want to support Poppy Appeal then bring in money to school and Year 6's will come around the school and you will be able to get your gifts for being so generous and helping people who need it.