



Diwali Celebration

On Wednesday the children spent the day learning all about the customs and traditions celebrated during Diwali - The Festival of Light. Ms Horne delivered an insightful assembly about Lakshmi – The goddess of good fortune, as well as explaining the significance of light in helping to find the way. The assembly concluded with a high energy Indian dance led by Miss Raby. The day also had a cross curricular theme – Rangoli patterns in Mathematics, clay tea light holders in D&T and of course, no celebration would be complete without a traditional lunch.

U11 Hockey vs Westbourne

Our u11 enjoyed a fantastic afternoon of hockey at Abbeydale sports club on Wednesday afternoon. Every player demonstrated commitment and enjoyment in a great battle on the pitch. Keep up the great work everyone.



Children in Need & Flood appeal

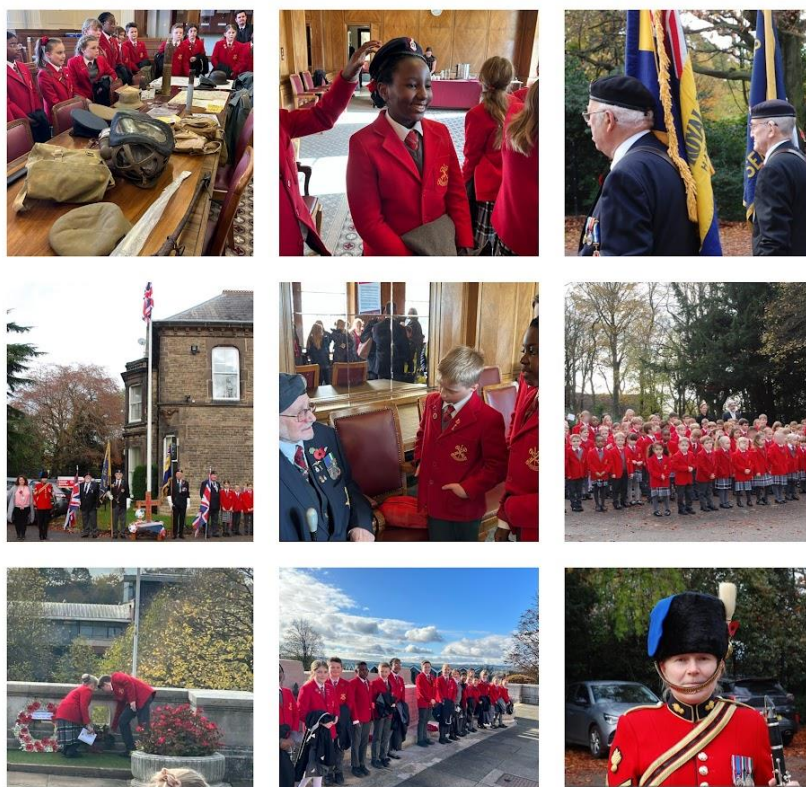
On Friday 17th November, the children are encouraged to come to school in non-uniform along with their Children in Need accessories in support of this year’s campaign. We are combining our appeal “Pudsey, puddles and prayers” in an effort to raise important funds for those people in our community who have been severely affected by the recent flooding, as well as Children in Need. All donations - no matter how small or great - are kindly received and can be sent in with pupils on Friday morning. Many thanks in advance for your support of these two very important causes.





Remembrance Service

Today we came together as a school to pay our respects to fallen heroes throughout the world and the United Kingdom. We were joined by 4 military veterans who took an active part in the service and remained in school throughout the morning to talk with pupils about Armistice Day – our pupils asked many insightful and curious questions. Our Year 6 children were invited to Chesterfield Town Hall to participate in the service of remembrance. They met dignitaries and pupils from other schools and we were invited to lay our school wreath at the memorial.



Coming up next week... Anti-Bullying Week 2023

Monday – Odd Socks Day

Tuesday – U9 Rugby Festival @ Barlborough Hall 2pm.

Wednesday – U11 Rugby vs Westbourne 2pm & U11 Hockey vs Sheffield Girls School 2pm

Friday – Children in Need – Chesterfield flood appeal non uniform day
School Council Meeting - 10am.