COULSDON CHRONICLE - WEEK 11 - NOVEMBER 2025

Attendance Champions Week 11

1st Place - Year 3: 99.29%

2nd Place – Year 5: 98.15%

3rd Place – Year 6: 96.55%

4th Place – Year 1: 95.67%

5th Place – Year 2: 94.07%

6th Place – Year 4: 93.33%

7th Place - Year R: 91.58%

Parent Workshop on Monday 24th November

On Monday morning at 9.30am, a parent workshop is being delivered in school by representatives of the PINS project (Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools). This is a DFE project which aims to support the education and health needs of neurodiverse children in schools through a partnership approach working with local authorities and parent carer forums. All parents are welcome and we look forward to seeing you there.

Bradmore Green Library Car Park/Drive

We have noticed that some parents are now driving around the back of the Library car park at drop off and pick up which can cause a danger to the children. We would much prefer that you didn't do this, but if you do, please drive carefully and be mindful of children - some of whom are small and may not be easily visible in mirrors. Thank you.

Notes from the Head Geacher Dear Families,

It was nice to see so many parents at the fireworks display last weekend. Thank you all for your feedback on a great evening which was only made possible by an amazing team of volunteers. A huge thank you must go to the members of the Friends Committee and all the other volunteers who worked so hard to organise and run the event which was a great success.

I hope to see more families at the Old Coulsdon Christmas light switch on this Saturday. Our wonderful Christmas Choir will be singing at the event (at 3.30pm). Thank you to Mrs Jackson who has organised it - I know you will all be amazing!

There are lots of festive events coming up, and it has been lovely hearing Reception and Key Stage 1 begin to rehearse the Nativity. It promises to be a lovely performance.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Reflection

This week, we reflected on the story of Jesus getting lost in the temple. We had a very good discussion about Jesus being eager to learn and to teach and to find out more. We talked about the importance of education and the desire to learn. We reflected that we all have things we can teach others, and all have things we can learn from others.

The one who seeks wisdom loves life; the one who cherishes understanding will succeed.

(Proverbs 19.8)