



Value of the Month
November
Patience

16-11-18 Autumn 2

A big thank for everyone's well wishes. It is good to be back and I am so happy to see the school looking wonderful and all the children settled and learning.

### Results from Last Year's Yr 2 class

We are pleased to share with families the results from last year's Y2 SATs and teacher assessments (summer 2018), which have now been analysed. The results show that we have continued our improving trend for good levels of attainment. When measured against all schools nationally, and against the local authority, children at Moss Lane have achieved very well, surpassing the national and local authority averages. In the Y1 phonics screening Moss Lane children achieved 87% this is higher than the local authority at 84% and national at 83%

	Moss Lane	Surrey	National
% of pupils at the expected standard in Reading	89%	79%	75%
% of pupils achieving greater depth in Reading	52%	32%	26%
% of pupils at the expected standard in Writing	82%	73%	70%
% of pupils achieving greater depth in Writing	34%	19%	16%
% of pupils at the expected standard in Maths	80%	79%	76%
% of pupils achieving greater depth in Maths	36%	25%	22%

We are delighted with these results, we will continue to work hard to help all the children to make good progress in their learning so that we can continue to maintain this success.

## **Welcome**

A very warm welcome to James Bingham (Parent), and Nicola Riley who have joined our board of Governors.

### **Harvest**

It's certainly been a busy few weeks! The Harvest Festival was a great success, full of beautiful poems and songs. Thank you for your generous donations. The Cellar in Godalming were incredibly grateful for all your contributions.

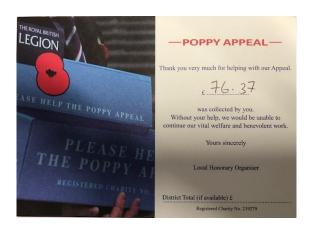






## **Remembrance**

Last week, all children took part in a special Remembrance assembly. Y2 went around each class getting donations for poppies which raised a wonderful £76.37. In class children have also been writing and reading remembrance/poppy day poems to commerate a 100 years.





# Learning at Moss Lane...

### **BEARS**

Bears explored how the Hindu festival of Diwali is celebrated. They made rangoli patterns using coloured pasta and made diva lamps from play dough and sequins. The children enjoyed hearing, and then retelling the story of Rama and Sita.

Bears have been showing off some fabulous early writing skills this week. Children have been identifying the sounds they can hear in words. Using post it notes, the children wrote and attached labels to objects they had sorted according to their initial sounds. Great work Bears!"





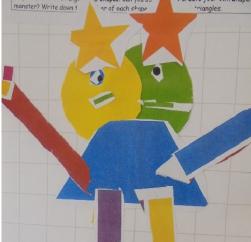


## **Learning at Moss Lane...**

### Year 1

Our Year 1s have been exceptionally busy over the last two weeks. They have been learning about 3D shapes and created their own shape monsters. They have also investigated their topic Whiz, Pop, Bang by learning about bonfire night and creating their own firework pictures. They have also been acting out scenes from the 'Whatever next' book. Lastly they have been travelling the world in Geography discovering what it would be like to live in hot and cold climates.















### **Learning at Moss Lane...**

### Year 2

Year 2 have had two thoroughly enjoyable days out at Witley Woods last week. They were lead by the forest ranger Al, who supported them with making shelters, fire building, plant/tree recognition and map reading.

All the children participated enthusiastically, learning many new skills through the day.

Their newly acquired shelter building skills were put into practice at snack time where they had to make their own shelter before snack time could start. Al checked how water tight the dens were too!

Everybody went home exhausted but very, very happy!



They have also continued to work on their topic 'Out of the Ashes' by designing and then building their own Tudor houses.







## **Dates for your Diary 2018**

#### **NOVEMBER**

Friday 24th Y1 Cake Sale

Saturday 24th Godalming Christmas Festival—Children singing

Friday 30th PTA Christmas Film Night—please see website for more info

#### **DECEMBER**

Friday 7th Mini Market —please see website for more info
Tuesday 11th YR Christmas performance to parents at 09.30
Wednesday 12th YR Christmas performance to parents at 14.15
Thursday 13th Christingle Decorating & Christmas Parties

Friday 14th Christmas Lunch

Tuesday 18th Y1 & Y2 Christmas Performance at 14.15

Wednesday 19th Finish for Christmas at 13.30

## **Dates for your Diary 2019**

#### **JANUARY**

Thursday 3rd Return to school

#### **FEBRUARY**

All week 18th—22nd HALF TERM

Monday 25th INSET NO children

Tuesday 26th Children back to school

#### March

All week 18th—22nd Book Fair

#### **APRIL**

Friday 5th Finish for Easter at 13.30

Tuesday 23rd INSET NO children

Wednesday 24th Children back to school

#### **MAY**

All week 27th —31st HALF TERM

#### **JUNE**

Monday 3rd INSET NO children

Tuesday 4th Children back to school

#### **JULY**

Wednesday 24th Finish for Summer at 13.30