



# Friday Letter for Parents and Carers



## Headteacher Update 22nd October 2021

### Diary Dates






#### November

5th Enterprise Open Afternoon  
 9th Parents Community Hub  
 10-11.30am  
 18th Children in Need- Wear  
 Something Spotty  
 19th Training Day

#### December

7th, 8th, 9th Parent's Evening  
 13th Christingle Assembly  
 20th Dec-3rd Jan Christmas  
 Holidays

Happy Halloween from all at Hob Moor Oaks! We've had a very spooky Friday today in school. Each class have created a themed pumpkin display and placed them around the school with a clue of where to find them. We've had...

-  'Keeping fit and healthy is important' located in the gym
-  'I like to swing and look at the disco ball' located outside the white room.
-  'Can you find our pumpkin sleeping? Watch out for Olivia creeping past!' Located by my office.
-  'Yum Yum it's time for lunch' by our school kitchen
-  'Somewhere you can relax and splash, you'll find it warm just like a bath!' by the swimming pool.

The children have shown enjoyment whilst exploring their senses today it has been wonderful to observe! Enjoy all the photographs on Tapestry.

Thank you to those parents who have RSVP'd to our Enterprise Event. It is important we have an overview of the visitors in school, please take a few minutes to complete this form before Thursday 4th November.

Please note the dates for Parent's Evening—We are yet to confirm the plans of how this is taking place but the dates will be over the 7th, 8th & 9th of December. Letters to book a suitable date and time will be sent nearer the time.

We are all very proud of the successful start our pupils have had during Autumn term. We look forward to continuing the hard work into Autumn term 2. Have a wonderful half term holiday with your children.



Olivia

### Branches



**A brilliant boo-tastic week in Branches!**  
 The children have been learning a Halloween story about a ghost who is afraid of the dark. They have been counting pumpkins in maths and matching quantities. The class has been getting ready for the pumpkin trail by making papier mache pumpkins and decorating them. They have also been carving pumpkins and making scary faces.

**An amazing last week in Branches class!**





Happy Birthday this week and next week to:  
Louie, JJ, Jos, Harry, Ignas, Ziggy & Ella



## Golden Leaf Awards 22nd October 2021

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| Seedlings  | Dylan for exploring different textures with confidence   |
| Acorns     | Oliver for telling a wonderful story during independent reading  |
| Blossoms   | Theo for a settled week in school and engaging in the activities in class  |
| Twigs      | Hussein for joining in with good morning and shaking his maraca at the appropriate time.   |
| Saplings   | Tallulah for great communication letting adults know how you feel  |
| Buds       | William for great engagement in turn taking games  |
| Branches   | Lucas for working independently while reading  |
| Roots      | Isaac for great engagement with Halloween crafts including role playing being a witch and using a magic wand to turn Sarah into different animals! |
| Boughs     | Poppy for being a fantastic waitress during snack shack including asking her friends what they wanted and setting the table                        |
| Trunks     | Jewelmaria, well done Gui Gui for now staying for the whole day at school  |
| Catkins    | Tyler for brilliant engagement in our Woodland learning session  |
| Oak Leaves | Joe for great maths work, Joe is making great progress with his understanding of tens and ones   |
| Oak Trees  | Theo for joining in enthusiastically in music this half term   |
|            | <b>Olivia's Outstanding Award</b>  |
|            | <b>Branches class - for successful transitions to and from the school kitchen to collect their lunches!</b>  |

