

# MANOR HILL NEWS

## 4th October 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

October is upon us we have had a lovely week learning together at Manor Hill. We focussed on Black History Month in our assembly this week. We learned all about why we celebrate this in school and all about the life of Betty Campbell, the first black Headteacher in Wales. The children showed mature and respectful understanding and we are look forward to learning about other significant individuals and celebrating their achievements.

Congratulations to Walliams House, the blue team, for earning the most tokens this week for displaying our Core Values.

A reminder to make sure that you have booked Parent Consultations via Arbor for 22nd and 23rd October.

Have a lovely weekend,  
Jess Chambers



**HERE EVERYDAY READY ON TIME**



We are joining with Staffordshire County Council to support our children to attend school everyday.

Attendance is vitally important to ensure that children can achieve their full potential.

We are excited to award hero certificates and stickers to our children and also have access to 'Helpful Heroes' a wellbeing programme to support any children who may require this.

Please see the Little Heroes leaflet that came home today for further information.

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## Learning Highlights

- Nursery have explored Autumn treasures this week developing their vocabulary, fine motor control and collaboration skills.
- Reception have been super musicians, using percussion instruments to keep a 4 part beat.
- In Key Stage 1 this week the children have discovered and planted some magic beans, inspiring their Jack and the Beanstalk writing.
- In Year 3 and 4, the children had a wonderful Stone Age forest school session, building dens inspired by their learning about the Palaeolithic period and enjoying a delicious stone age stew made of root vegetables.

We are wearing Yellow and non uniform on Thursday 10th October to mark World Mental Health Day. Donations will be made to Younger Minds- thank you.

**Wear  
it loud.  
Wear  
it proud.**

Wear yellow this World Mental Health Day, 10 October, and show young people they're not alone with their mental health.



## Discos

The PTA are organising two discos this term-

Spooky Disco  
24th October

Christmas Disco  
19th December

KS1- 4-5  
KS2-5.15-6.15

EYFS enjoy their discos in the school day.

## Flu Vaccinations

Please confirm, via the link sent to you, your consent or non consent for the Flu Vaccination before 7th October.

Nurses will be in school on 8th October to administer this to YR-4.

Thank you