



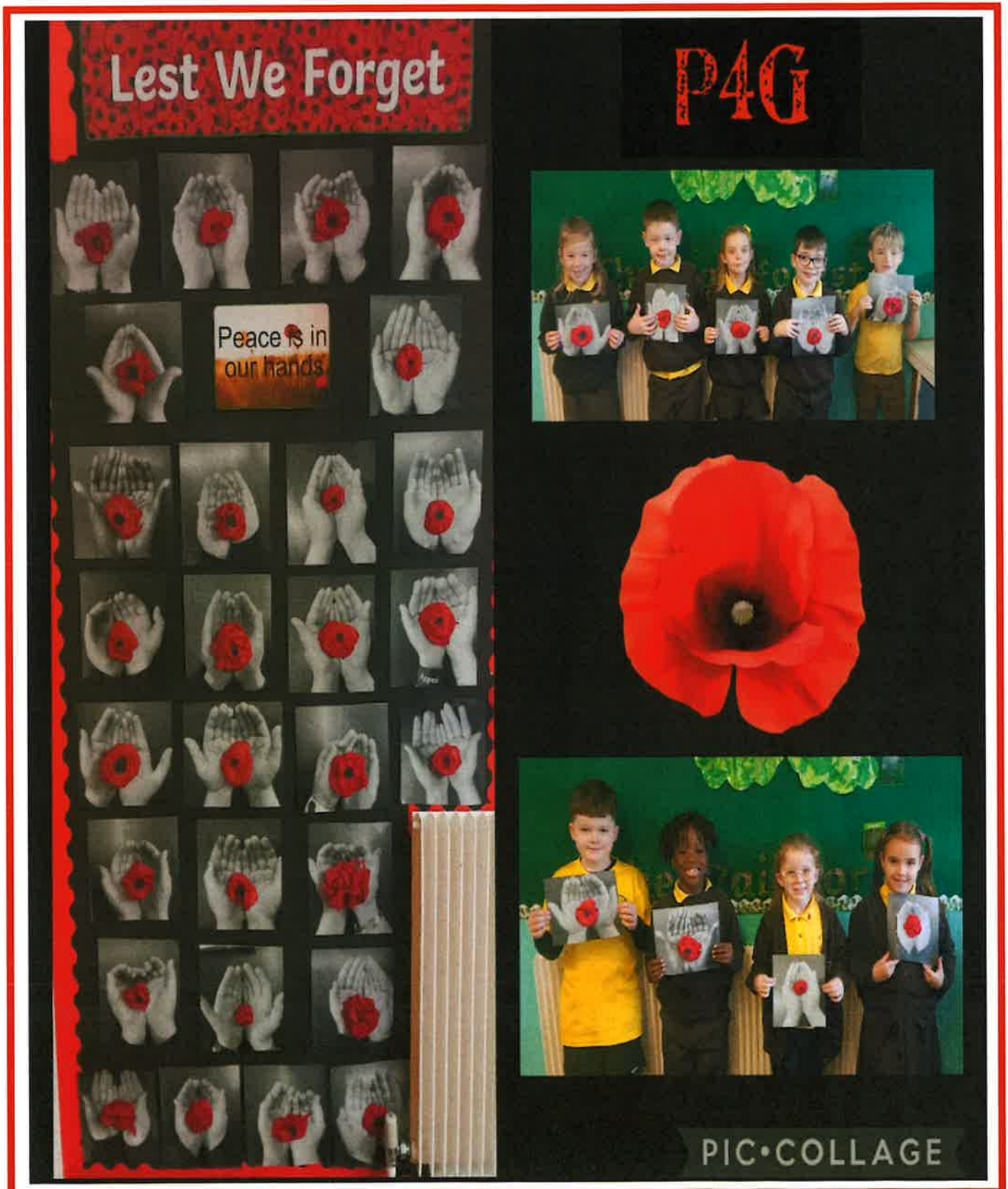
Buick Memorial Primary School Newsletter

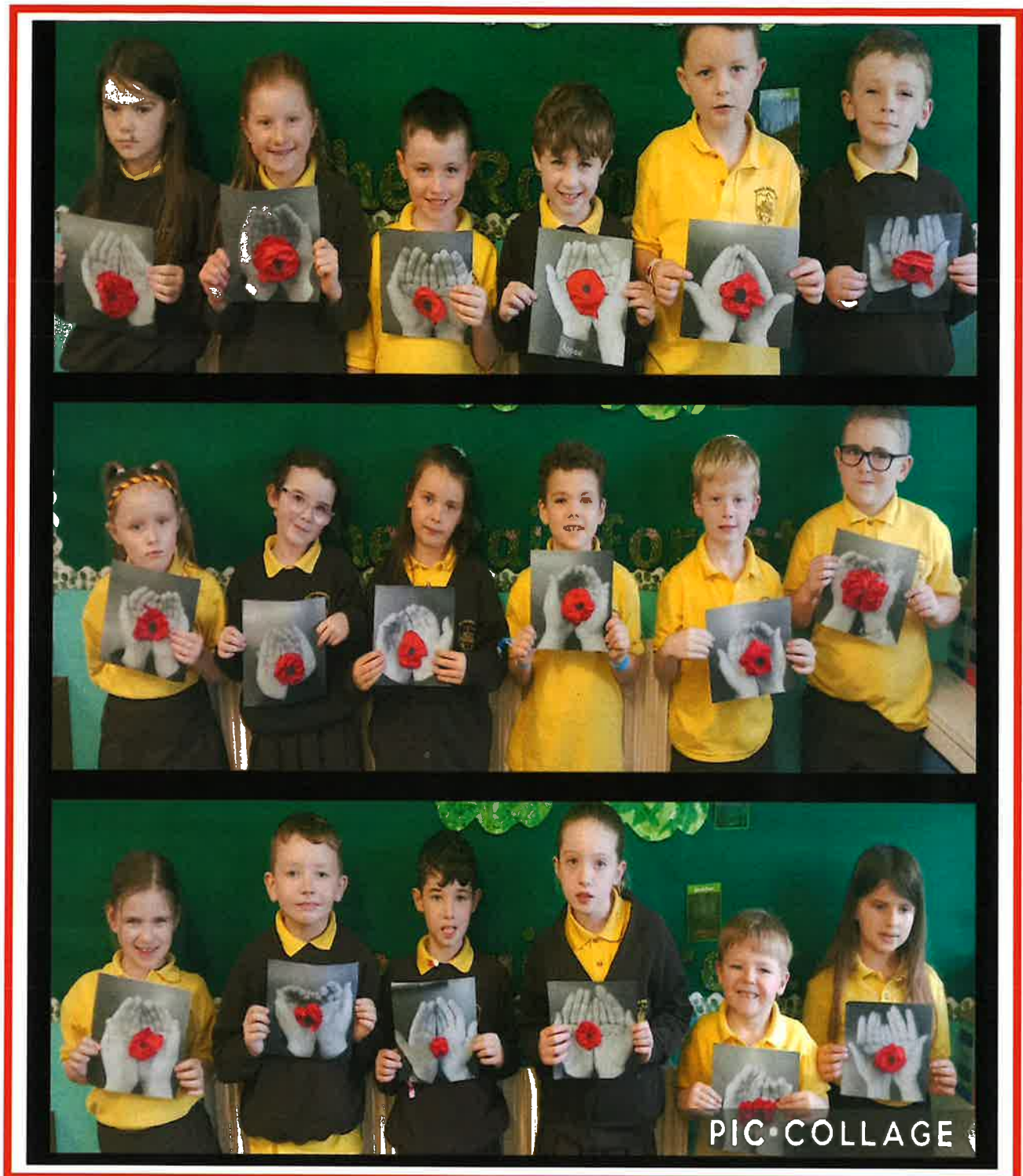
Friday 8th November 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, we have been selling poppies and various Royal British Legion accessories. Thank you for supporting this initiative. Our children have been learning about the importance of Remembrance Day and Miss Gibson's Primary 4 class made some beautiful displays to mark the occasion.





Dining Centre

On Monday 11th November we will be offering the New Week 2 Menu. School dinners remain at £2.60. If your child has any food allergies or intolerances, our Dining Centre must be informed, and a Special Diet Form completed and discussed with Janet Smyth, Head of Buick Dining Centre.

Child Protection

If you have any concerns about your child's safety in school, you can speak to Mr Beattie, (Designated Teacher for Child Protection), or to Mrs Shirlow, (Deputy Designated Teacher). If you are still concerned, you may contact the Acting Principal, Miss R Peters, who oversees the Safeguarding Team within Buick Memorial Primary School. Additionally, you may contact the Board of Governors.

If you have any concerns about a child out of school hours, you can talk to a Social Worker at the Social Services Gateway Team on 0300 1234 333.

Primary 7

Although the autumnal leaves are in abundance at Buick, our green-fingered friends in Primary 7K have been planting daffodils to brighten up the back entrance to the school. They chose this bulb because it flowers early in the year and it is a Spring time favourite. The lively yellow matches Buick Memorial school colours too! The hardy daffodil comes up faithfully every year - let's hope they will bloom here for many years to come. Roll on Spring!



Football

On Thursday, Mr Maybin's team ventured to Fourtowns Primary to play in a tournament. They lost 1-0 to Fourtowns, beat Gracehill 4-0 and The Diamond 2-0. Well done boys and girls!



On Wednesday, Mr Beattie's Teams played Carniny Primary in a friendly capacity. These team included lots of 'newbies' and they played incredibly well. We look forward to welcoming our friends from Carniny to Buick in Term 2.





Partnership With Parents



Parent Well

A source of inspiration



Supporting Emotions & Learning to Thrive

Screaming

Tantrums

Meltdowns

Explosive

Overwhelmed

Miserable

Look Familiar?

Small supportive group discussion and information sessions for parents on supporting primary school aged children with big emotions

Two-part workshop:

Wed 13th Nov & Wed 20th November

Book early as places are limited

10-11.30 am- via zoom

To book your place call 0808 8020 400

Dates for Your Diary - Term 1B

*These dates and times are provisional and subject to change.

Monday 11 th November	Mr Brown's Musical Pathways 3pm -3.45pm Choir Practice
Tuesday 12 th November	3pm -3.45pm Netball Practice 6/8
Wednesday 13 th November	2pm/3pm Ju Jitsu
Thursday 14 th November	P6 Swimming 8/10 Buick Football Tournament
Saturday 16 th November 2024	SEAG Paper 1
Monday 18 th November	Mr Brown's Musical Pathways 3pm -3.45pm Choir Practice
Tuesday 19 th November	3pm -3.45pm Netball Practice 7/8
Wednesday 20 th November	2pm/3pm Ju Jitsu
Thursday 21 st November	P5 & P6 to Ballymena North for Ulster Orchestra Schools performance
Saturday 23 rd November	SEAG Paper 2
Monday 25 th November	Mr Brown's Musical Pathways 3pm -3.45pm Choir Practice
Tuesday 26 th November	3pm -3.45pm Netball Practice 8/8
Wednesday 27 th November	9am - 1.30pm Netball Tournament at Seven Towers leisure Centre 2pm/3pm Ju Jitsu
Thursday 28 th November	P6 Swimming 9/10 Fourtowns' Football Tournament
Friday 29 th November	Nursery to The Ark Christmas Experience
Monday 2 nd December	Mr Brown's Musical Pathways 3pm -3.45pm Choir Practice
Tuesday 3 rd December	Citizenship
Wednesday 4 th December	2pm/3pm Ju Jitsu
Thursday 5 th December	P7 to Les Miserables at Dunclug College P6 Swimming 10/10
Friday 6 th December	Foundation and Key Stage 1 Performances- Buick's Little Christmas 12 noon finish
Saturday 7 th December	Cullybackey Light Switch on
Monday 9 th December	Mr Brown's Musical Pathways NO after school choir
Tuesday 10 th December	10am Carol Service at Cuningham
Wednesday 11 th December	Buick choir to Cullybackey Hub 2pm/3pm Ju Jitsu
Thursday 12 th December	Buick Choir to Cuningham Church
Friday 13 th December	Christmas Lunch
Monday 16 th December	Mr Brown's Musical Pathways Choir to Radio Cracker Crazy Critters visiting P3/2
Wednesday 18 th December	2pm/3pm Ju Jitsu
Thursday 19 th December	No Dining Centre or Buses
Friday 20 th December	No Dining Centre or Buses
	Buick closing at 12 noon NO PM BUSES OR CANTEEN
Christmas Holidays 23rd December 2024- 3rd January 2025	
Term 2 Begins on Monday 6th January 2025	

Kind regards, R. Peters (Acting Principal)