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Newsletter



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Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Staff,

We would like to say a huge well done to all the children in Nursery and Reception for their wonderful Christmas performances this week, they were amazing! Also, a big well done to Year 1 when they undertook Christmas crafts with their parents this week too. We would also like to thank all the staff involved in getting the children prepared for their performances and for the Christmas crafts. We would like to congratulate our House Captains who were fabulous hosts and hostesses during the performances too! It certainly feels like Christmas is just around the corner and we look forward to seeing many of you at the church next week for some more Christmas delights!

Dinner money As we are coming to the end of our Autumn term, please make sure your child's dinner money is up to date. Thank you.

Bluebirds Invoices Autumn term invoices. Please make payment on Mychildatschool app, if you have any queries please contact the school office.

Non-Uniform and Toy day next Friday 22nd December it is our last day of term and children can wear a Christmas jumper to school, £1 donations will be for Save the Children charity. Children are also allowed to bring a toy or game into school. Please do not bring in anything electrical or of monetary or sentimental value, in case it gets lost or broken. We ask the children to think carefully about what they bring in - Is it something that can be shared with friends? Is it something they can play with for a period of time? Children must be responsible for their own toys or games.

Please be reminded that Monday 8th January is a Teacher training day and children return to school on Tuesday 9th.

Have a lovely weekend,

L Hoey

Headteacher

New Clubs

The following clubs are now available to book via the 'My Child At School' app:-

Monday - External provider—Key stage 2- Trampolining

Tuesday - Football - Years 1 & 2 - Mr Johnson - £1- 5 sessions **(Fully Booked)**

Wednesday - External provider—Key stage 2- Nerf Wars

Thursday- Girl's Football - Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Mr Knight- £1 - 5 sessions

Friday - No club's next half term

Starting week beginning 8th Jan and ending week beginning 5th Feb 24.



Christmas Festivities

*Two tickets will be allocated per child for the performance at All Saints Church.

*Year 2 and 3 will perform the same concert twice to accommodate the parents of both year groups. Year 4, 5 and 6 will perform the same concert three times to accommodate the parents of each year group. Therefore, if you have children in more than one of the year groups performing you will only need to attend one of the performances.

Poppy's thought of the week...

Gifts of time and love are the ingredient's for a truly Merry Christmas!

Years 2 and 3

Date-Tuesday 19th December

1pm- Year 2 parents

1.45pm- Year 3 parents

Venue- All Saints Church

Years 4, 5 and 6

Date-Thursday 21st December

11.30am- Year 4 parents

1.00pm- Year 5 parents

1.45pm- Year 6 parents

Venue- All Saints Church

Recommended Reads

Year 1 Not now Bernard by David McKee recommended by Eliza B

Year 2 Dog Man by Dav Pilkey recommended by Edward

Year 3 Room on the Broom by Julia Donaldson recommended by Orla

Year 4 The Christmasaurus and the naughty list by Tom Fletcher recommended by Eva K

Year 5 The InvestiGATORS by John Patrick Green recommended by Luca S

Year 6 The Demon Dentist by David Walliams recommended by Alfie D



Lorenzo N Year 3 Penelope B Year 3

Charlie E Year 6 Alyssa C Year 5

Harry C L Year 4

Happy Birthday





Celebrating our week



We are extremely proud of all the wonderful homework we have received this term from **Year 5**. So much effort has gone in to every piece we have received. They are simply amazing!



This week, **year 3** have enjoyed putting the finishing touches to their Egyptian calendars and Van Gogh inspired Christmas cards.



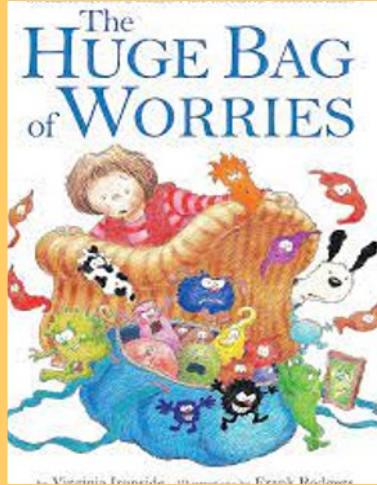
The children in **Nursery** did a wonderful job of singing Christmas songs to their grown ups at our Christmas Spectacular. They then shared different Christmas activities with them in Nursery.



In **Year 6** we created our own landscape in the style of Ted Harrison. We then transferred our image onto a transparent sheet and outlined our features using special ink tubes followed by posca pens. Absolutely stunning!



Year 4 have been making Christmas houses, complete with an electrical circuit, in their combined Science and D&T unit. We can't wait to see the finished product!



Year 1 really enjoyed hearing 'A huge bag of worries' in our PSHE lesson they shared their worries and we thought about how to deal with many of them.



Year 2 had a wonderful end of theme wow afternoon celebrating all that we had learnt about the UK. We loved trying out the Highland fling!

We have had such a busy week in **Reception** performing to KS1 and siblings, and to our parents and grown ups. We hope you enjoyed all of the lovely singing and the show overall - we worked so hard to make it a good one!