



November 16<sup>th</sup>

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## Important Dates

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November**

Non-uniform Day – Bottle  
Tombola Donations

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> to Friday 30<sup>th</sup>**

November  
Breakfast Club Toasties

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> to Friday 14<sup>th</sup>**

December  
Breakfast Club Crumpets

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November 5pm to  
7pm**

Christmas Fayre

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December, 10am**

Whole School Trip to Pantomime

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December, 7.30pm**

Disco at The Green Dragon

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December, 1.30pm**

Class 1 Nativity Dress Rehearsal

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December,**

**1.30pm and 5.30pm**

Class 1 Nativity Performances

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December**

Whole School Christmas Lunch

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December**

Links Christmas Party

## Weekly Winners

**Patch:** Hollie

**Hamish:** Nathan

**Zara:** Hope

**Percy:** Sebastian

**Leafy:** Freddie P

Dear parents, staff and governors

“Chaos often breeds life, when order breeds habit.” Wise words from Henry Adams (1907) describes our week beautifully.

With key staff absent, the remaining staff rallied round unselfishly and professionally and ensured that Class 1 had the best possible week and the very best opportunities, although we are very much looking forward to order next week!

It was lovely to see an array of colours as we dressed up for Children in Need today - many thanks to all for donating to this worthy cause. In my 25 years in the teaching profession I have seen too many children in this country who need emotional help and support in so many ways and I am glad this charity goes some way to making a difference. I do apologise that my wardrobe contains only grey and blue clothes!

As the autumnal weather arrives please ensure that all coats, hats, gloves and scarves are named and ensure that children in class 2 and 3 have outdoor shoes to wear on the grass during break time.

I also wanted to make you aware that there have been a couple of cases of chicken pox in school this week. The Health Protection Agency guidelines state that if your child develops chicken pox they should be kept at home for five days from the onset of the rash.

### Roman Road Tag Rugby Tournament

My Wyeth and I took ten children to the Roman Road Tag Rugby competition on Tuesday. The tackling, enthusiasm, team work, commitment and passion was evident in every second they played on the pitch. Charlie, for the second year running, was named as player of the tournament, which was very impressive.

The team consisted of Charlie, Ted, Amy, Jacob, Sammy, John, Oliver, Alisa, Freddie and Scarlett. A fantastic effort.

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## Fundraising Total **£824.61**

Coberley Village Fete  
**£50.00**

Welcome BBQ  
**£315.00**

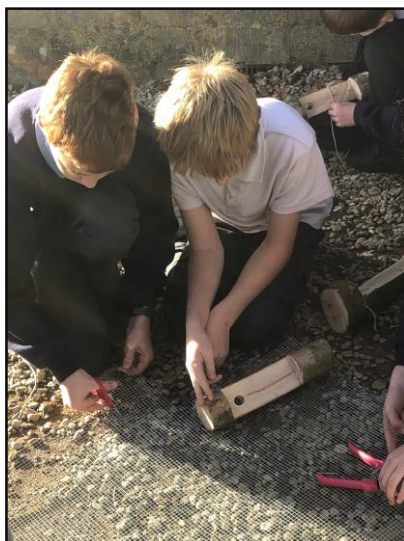
Harvest Festival –  
Cheltenham Open Door  
**£104.00**

Non-Uniform Day in aid of  
Gloucestershire Deaf  
Association  
**£61.00**

Cookie Sales  
**£160.01**

Children in Need  
**£134.60**

Year 6 completed their bird feeders this week, which are fantastic. The team work and perseverance involved was incredible. We have placed one outside the office and we are starting to note down which birds are in the locality which we feel may be the next school project...



### **Christmas Fayre – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November, 5pm to 7pm**

Please can all Christmas lights and decorations be brought into school by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November at the latest.

Please could all bakers ensure that cakes are brought to school by 3pm on the day of the Fayre.

Please let Mrs George know if you can lend or provide us with any of the following items:

- White fairy lights (named)
- Extension leads (named)
- Santa outfit
- Elf outfits (x2)
- Gazebos (x2)
- White sheets
- Sheep skin rugs
- Old spare silver & white decorations



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Highlights on the night will be:

- Raffle
- BBQ, mulled wine, mince pies
- Homemade Soup
- Tea, coffee, hot chocolate & cakes
- Santa's Grotto
- Face painting
- Nail bar, glitter tattoos
- Glow sticks
- Carol singing at 6pm
- Christmas trees for sale.

## **Sealed Bids for a 5 day stay at El Valle Villa in Murcia**

We have decided to hold a sealed bids auction for the 5 day stay at El Valle Villa in Murcia. The accommodation comprises of three bedrooms, 2 bathrooms and sleeps up to 8 people, it also has its own private pool! Flights are not included. The villa can be booked between October and May.

If you would like to be in with a chance of winning this amazing prize, please write the amount you would like to bid on a piece of paper clearly marked with your name and phone number and return it to the school office in a sealed envelope. You will also be able to enter on the day of the Fayre and the winner will be announced at the end of the Fayre along with the raffle. Good luck to everyone!!

## **Non-Uniform Day – Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November**

We will be holding a non-uniform day on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November. Children may come to school in their own clothes in exchange for a bottle donation for the Tombola Stall which we will be running at the Fayre.

Please note that any donations of beer, wine or spirits must be brought to the school office by an adult and not sent into school with your child. Many thanks for your support.

## **Pantomime**

Please remember to send in your pantomime ice cream orders to Mrs George as soon as possible.

## **Christmas Party at the Green Dragon – Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm**

Please remember to order your tickets for the Christmas party being organised by Laura Delport. Tickets are £25.00 each to include drink on arrival, food and disco. To purchase tickets, please contact Laura Delport: [laurajdelport@icloud.com](mailto:laurajdelport@icloud.com), Emma Lowther: [emlowther@hotmail.com](mailto:emlowther@hotmail.com) or the school office: [admin@coberley.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:admin@coberley.gloucs.sch.uk).

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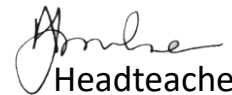
## **Knex Club – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> November**

Please note that Mr Gait-Carr is unable to run Knex Club next Wednesday.

## **Breakfast Club and Links Specials**

Miss Chowdhury will be offering the following in Breakfast Club and Links over the coming weeks.

- Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November to Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November – Breakfast Toasties
- Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December to Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Breakfast Crumpets
- Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December – Links Christmas Party, 3pm to 5pm

  
Headteacher