

November 8th

Autumn Term 2019

NEWSLETTER

Important Dates

Wednesday 13th November

Year 6 to Elkstone Church

Friday 15th November

Children in Need

Monday 18th November

Rags 2 Riches Clothes Collection

Wednesday 20th November

Cyber Day

Wednesday 27th November

Class 1 & 2 Trip to We The Curious!

Wednesday 27th November

Year 6 to Dean Close for performance of Annie

Friday 5th December

Non-Uniform Day for Bottle Tombola Donations

Friday 6th December, 10am

Cinderella at The Everyman Theatre

Friday 13th December, 5pm

Christmas Fayre

Tuesday 17th December

Whole School Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 18th December, 3pm to 5pm

Links Christmas Party

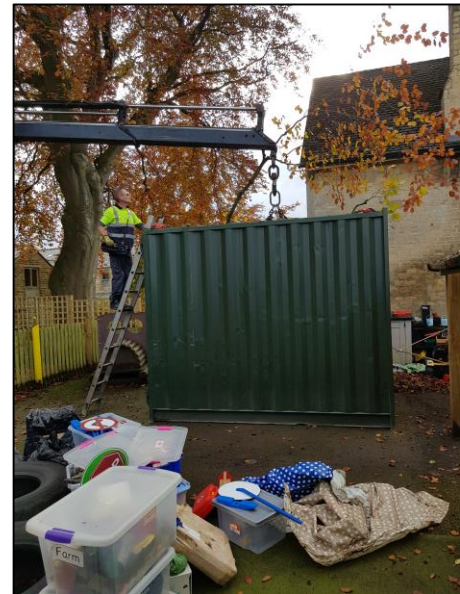
Thursday 19th December, 1.45pm

Carol Service at St Giles Church

Dear parents, staff and governors

Welcome back to the second half of the Autumn term - a particularly busy term as we build up to Christmas with the Fayre, pantomime, Nativity, carol concert and a myriad of trips and events. As the weather gets progressively colder please remember named hats, coats and scarves!

The EYFS outdoor area is beginning to take shape. We added some trellising and moved the water butt over half term and a new storage container arrived on Monday, which will provide superb dry and safe storage. A huge thank you to Steve Davis for helping Mr Wyeth and myself move it into position.



Weekly Winners

Patch: Bethany

Hamish: Oliver P

Percy: Isaac

Leafy: Esther

Zara: Iestyn

Over the last three years we have had a huge focus on reading. There is now a fantastic reading culture at school where children read for enjoyment and their understanding of text throughout the curriculum has improved rapidly. We have decided to change the guidance stickers in the back of the children's reading records to bookmarks which still provides key guidance to parents on how children can improve their reading and understanding of text. I hope you find these useful.



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Fundraising Total

£604.81

Easyfundraising
£389.03

Ice Cream & Cookie Sales
£132.26

Coberley Village Fete
£50.00

Harvest Festival
£86.32

Christmas Cards

You should have received a copy of your child's/children's Christmas card design this week along with details of how to order. Please ensure that your orders are placed before the cut-off date of Monday 11th November.

School Photographs

A reminder that you can order your school photographs on-line or via the school office. If you wish to order via the school office, please send in your completed form and payment by Monday 11th November.

Rags 2 Riches Collection – Monday 18th November

On Monday 18th November we will be having a clothing collection from Rags2Riches to raise funds for school. A collection bag and leaflet has been sent home in your child's bag today. Please can you fill the bags with any unwanted, good quality, clean, dry, reusable clothing and bring to school between Thursday 14th November and 9am on Monday 18th November. Thank you.



Class 2 Tasting Astronaut Neapolitan Ice Cream As Used On NASA Space Missions.!



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Christmas Fayre – Friday 13th December 5pm to 7pm

The Christmas Fayre is fast approaching and we are looking for people to volunteer their time to help out with set up, manning stalls and clearing away afterwards. Please can you let Mrs George know if you are able to help out with any of the following:

- Setting up on the day
- Baking cakes
- Loan of labelled Christmas lights
- Loan of gazebo's
- Manning a stall for 30 minutes
- Clearing away on the day
- Sourcing raffle prizes

There will also be a second hand uniform stall and children's book stall. If you have any donations, please bring them to the school office. Thank you for your support.

Christmas Party at The Green Dragon, Saturday 21st December

Laura Delport has kindly organised a Christmas Party at The Green Dragon on Saturday 21st December at 7.30pm. Please see the poster attached with this newsletter for further information and how to purchase tickets. Thanks to Laura and Natalie and to Tanya for designing the amazing poster.




Headteacher