

November 22nd

Autumn Term 2019

NEWSLETTER

Important Dates

Wednesday 27th November

Class 1 & 2 Trip to We The Curious!

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Year 6 to Dean Close for performance of Annie

Tuesday 3rd December

Class 1 Recorder Concert

Thursday 5th December

Non-Uniform Day for Bottle Tombola Donations

Friday 6th December, 10am

Cinderella at The Everyman Theatre

Wednesday 11th December, 2pm & 5.30pm

Class 1 Nativity

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

Friday 20th December

Inset Day

Monday 6th January, 8.45am

First day of Spring Term

Weekly Winners

Patch: Jessie

Hamish: Esther

Percy: Oliver P

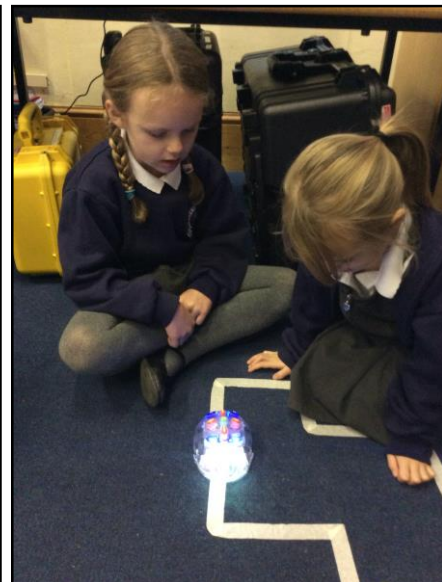
Zara: Evie F

Dear parents, staff and governors

As we edge towards December, it was important this week to remind the children about our lock down procedure and keeping safe in school. This time last year we were trying to avoid the wrath of an angry pheasant who was particularly troublesome - let's hope we are left alone this year!

This week has been a really successful week in lots of ways. The highlight of the week for the children and staff was cyber day on Wednesday. Mr and Mrs Houghton, Mrs Kerrigan, Mrs Clarke, Mr Fujioka and Mr Ivanov kindly gave up their time and brought in robots, VR equipment, logic puzzles and an assortment of other fantastic technology. From simple programming to advanced logic puzzles, the whole school were enthralled by the range of activities, particularly the virtual reality program which has endless possibilities for the future of education.

It was a fantastic day and the children have all spoken really fondly of their amazing experiences.





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Fundraising Total

£841.98

Easyfundraising

£397.65

Ice Cream & Cookie Sales

£155.22

Coberley Village Fete

£50.00

Harvest Festival

£86.32

Children in Need

£77.84

Rags2Riches Clothing Collection

£74.95



I have also managed to secure a partnership arrangement with Rendcomb College to enhance our science teaching. In the Spring term, we will be using their science facilities and resources once a week to inject the wow factor into science. I am really pleased we have managed to secure this resource, which will be a huge benefit to the children.



Yoga during Lunchtime Mindfulness Club



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It was a good experience to be on BBC Radio Gloucestershire this week and the BBC website, albeit for a humorous election story rather than to showcase our children and school. However, I did manage to promote our Christmas Fayre on 13th December and in particular Santa's grotto!

We sent letters out this week regarding images and social media. We are really looking forward to using social media in an exciting, modern and promotional way but we are taking the route carefully. We hope we have answered your questions directly this week and I also suggest that our social media policy and GDPR privacy statement, which are both on our school web site, should be read to alleviate any further concerns.

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

We are still in need of volunteers to give their time to help out with set up, manning stalls and clearing away at the Fayre. 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

Tickets are available for the Christmas Party at The Green Dragon on Saturday 21st December at 7.30pm. They can be purchased by contacting Laura Delpert on 0780375560, laurajdelpert@icloud.com or Nat Schuster on 07447 101001, schusternat@gmail.com




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