



NEWSLETTER



Friday 15th November 2024

Dates for the next week:

Monday 18th November	ALL of Willow Class: Forest School (Forest school clothing) Music lessons for Y1/2 DIVERGENT DRAMA day for Beech and Oak Class School clubs start: 3-4pm
Tuesday	Clarinet lessons (named children) Flu Vaccines this afternoon Netball club 3-4pm Paid for Gymnastics club 3-4pm
Wednesday	Willow Class: P.E kits Beech Class: P.E. kits Oak Class: Forest school clothing Groundforce Club today: 3-3.45 Paid for Clay Club today: 3-4.30 Paid for Fencing club: 3-4pm
Thursday	Paid for Tennis club 3-4pm
Friday	Donations for Christmas Fair: see below Piano and Guitar lessons (named children) Beech Class: P.E. kits Oak Class: P.E. kits



The PTA are asking if you might be able to make some donations for the Christmas Fair... we've listed everything in one place. If you've been meaning to clear out your toys before Christmas, your clothes drawers of too small seasonal clothing, we'd love to receive your donations!

As you'll see, we've also got a 'booze barrow' that can be won at the fair this year so also asking for donations of alcohol and/or mixers... (adult tickets only!!)

Any donation big or small will help. Thank you!

SWIMMING KS2

Oak and Beech parents; please make sure you have seen the swimming letter in your child's book bag.



This week the new Worship Leaders met for the first time in preparation for the Advent worship they are leading on the 29th November. Our new leaders are: **Harriet, Mathilda, Maisy, Charlie, Clementine, Jacob, Margot and George L.**

In worship on Tuesday, we learnt about Zechariah and Elizabeth and how they had **hoped** for a baby for many years. When the Angel Gabriel appeared to Zechariah, he was unable to believe his eyes and ears and doubted that at such an old age they would be parents.

On Monday we reflected together about Armistice Day, on Wednesday it was National Kindness Day, this week is Anti-bullying week and of course today it is Children in Need. If we were to think of a word to link these days – it would be **hope**.

Hope for a war to end and peace to be everlasting

Hope for all of humanity to show kindness

Hope for bullies to receive the help they clearly need and their victims to be supported and loved

Hope for children whose have family, medical, learning or emotional needs

Today we came together to consider how Children in Need inspire people to raise huge amounts of money, so that incredible charities can continue the work they do in supporting children every day.

As a school we have raised: £178.53 so far. Thank you



The children created House Team artwork in response to the poem A Garden of Kindness.

Kind hearts are the gardens
 Kind thoughts are the roots
 Kind words are the flowers
 Kind deeds are the fruits
 Take care of our garden
 And keep out the weeds
 Fill it with sunshine
 Kind word and kind deeds

Today we celebrated Golden Book worship. Congratulations to: George (Y6) for fantastic progress in the presentation of his learning and development of his cursive handwriting style. Congratulations to Jess for displaying kindness and care as a learning partner – you have made a real difference this week – well done. Well done and thank you to Jake (YR) who is AMAZING at tidying up and being helpful just at the right moments! What a great team player you are.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend - *Theresa Smyth* and the Singleton Team