



Friday 19th November 2021

AUTUMN TERM NEWSLETTER 5

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Term 2 Our Christian value: RESPECT

1 Thessalonians 5:11 '... encourage one another and build one another up ...'

- We show respect for ourselves by doing our best
- We show respect for one another by valuing other people's ideas
- We show respect for our school and everything around us

Dear Parents,

We have had another busy week ending with a non-uniform day and an array of wonderful 'spotty' creations in aid of Children in Need.

We now turn our attention to the Christmas Fayre on Sunday November 28th from 11:00 – 3:00pm in the village hall. This is our main fundraiser for the school year. Finders Keepers are sponsoring our event.

Our new PTA committee have been working incredibly hard to ensure this event is a huge success for our school, the local community and surrounding areas. Sadly, this event could not be held last year but we have procedures in place to ensure we can hold this wonderful day as safely as possible. We have reorganised the village hall to maximise space so visitors can shop and socially distance if they need to. If you are able to support in any way, setting up or clearing away after please speak to a member of the committee or school staff.

RAFFLE TICKETS

Could sold and unsold tickets be returned to school asap please in readiness for the Christmas fayre on Sunday November 28th. Thank you for your support.

REMEMBRANCE DAY DONATIONS

Thank you for your very generous donations. We raised a grand total of **£281.61** which exceeds last year's total.

OAK CLASS NATIVITY

Our youngest pupils have been learning about the birth of Jesus, a core belief in Christian teaching. The stage is up and the costumes are being aired in preparation for their performance of the Nativity story. For a small class, their confidence and singing volume is something not to be missed! No tickets required.

The performance is in the school hall on:

TUESDAY DECEMBER 7th at 2:00pm.

AWARDS THIS WEEK

| | Values | Achievement | Handwriting |
|-----------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| OAK | Barney | Fletcher | Oscar |
| ELM | Jasper | Megan | Monty |
| CHESTNUT | Leo D | Harriet | Miriam |
| SYCAMORE | Lewis W | Finn | Emma |
| MAPLE | Pia | Isaac | Megan |

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Nov 28th CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Dec 1st FLU IMMUNISATIONS Yr R – Yr 6

Please use the link to register your child

Dec 6th SANTA visiting Croughton
(Round table visit – helpers required)

Dec 7th OAK CLASS Nativity 2pm

Dec 8th SCHOOL PANTOMIME am

Dec 10th CHRISTINGLE IN CHURCH

Dec 13th & Dec 14th

ELM & CHESTNUT CHRISTMAS SHOW
2:15pm

Parents welcome

Dec 15th SCHOOL CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Please remember to book lunch

Dec 16th Christmas Carol service (venue tbc)

SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 2:15

After school clubs

Information will come home shortly to outline our offer for extra curricular activities after school. We aim to start new clubs in January.

Please remain vigilant as it has been reported that Covid is now more prevalent in younger children. We continue to sanitise and deep clean in school. Thank you for your continued support.

Enjoy your weekend.

Yours sincerely
Helen Goulder

'To achieve, believe, succeed together'