

The Blue Letter: 29th November 2019



Dear Parents/Carers

The School has been very busy this week with preparations for our nativity play; 'Lights Camel Action'. The children (and staff) have been working really hard and the show is looking really promising. To ensure it reflects the work they have all put in we'd appreciate your help with the following

- Please bring all costumes into school on Monday 2nd December please!
- Please ensure children with words have learnt them by Monday 2nd December please.
- Please bring your children back to school on Thursday for the evening performance. We would like them back at 5.45pm (at the church) in their costumes.

We are putting on two performances both on Thursday 5th December at 2pm and then again at 6pm we hope you'll come and watch!

Once the afternoon nativity is finished, we will return to school and children will be released to their parents if they are here with their costumes. We hope you will then come up to the community room for our Christmas fair. Drama Club will still take place but in Owl classroom.

Monday 2nd December	Costumes need to be in school today Words for the nativity need to be learnt by today Create Club—finishes at 4.15pm Singing club—finishes at 4pm
Tuesday 3rd December	Fitjoy Club - finishes 4pm
Wednesday 4th December	
Thursday 5th December	Nativity - 2pm Christmas Fair Drama club (Owl Classroom) finishes at 4.15pm Nativity - 6pm Arrive at Church at 5.45pm in Costume
Friday 6th December	

Deadline Reminders

Chartwells food survey - **Saturday 30th November** westsussex.mealselector.co.uk

Key stage 2 orders for Christmas lunch - **Sunday 8th December**

Key stage 2 swimming forms - **end of term**

Key stage 1 meal choices **Friday 13th December**

Collective Worship

Next week our theme is Advent and we think about the value of Hope as we prepare for Christ's birth at Christmas. We will be singing Gabriel's message and our bible verse is from Isaiah 9:6:

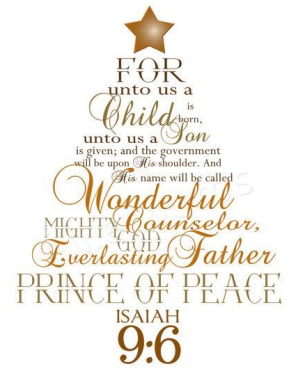
A child is born to us!

A son is given to us!

And he will be our ruler.

He will be called, "Wonderful Counsellor,"

"Mighty God," "Eternal Father," "Prince of Peace."



Advent Calendar thank you



Lucas and his mum would like to thank all the generous parents and children who donated advent calendars for the women's refuges. They will be received with such joy.

Clerk to the Governors

We are looking for a Clerk to the Governing body. This is a paid role which would involve attending meetings three or four times a term, taking minutes, preparing agendas and dealing with the relevant paperwork. Training is available from County.

Cobnor 2020

The residential trip for Owl Class is now less than 6 months away! We have received the bill from the centre and we will be paying this from school funds before the end of term. We will need the £200 from parents and carers paid by Friday 14th February. . As always cheques to be made payable to Boxgrove School fund. If you have any concerns or worries about paying, please do come and speak to Mrs Dommett.

Last Chance to Paint

Owl Class are really excited to share the news that some of their art work has been uploaded to the gallery on John Dyer's Last Chance to Paint website. To see their artwork on line (and some of the other fantastic art work inspired by the project done by other children all around the world go to <https://www.lastchancetopaint.com/gallery/LastChanceToPaintArtGallery/index.html> and click on the world gallery online. Our art work is in 'Person of the Forest– Borneo', Children's art, age 9-12.

