

The Blue Letter: 2nd December 2022



Learning, Loving, Growing,
Together with God.

Dear Parents and Carers,

And just like that it's December!

Nativity Play - Our performances of Grandpa's Christmas Story take place in Church on Wednesday at 2pm and 6pm. We look forward to seeing you there. If you need to bring younger siblings to watch, please try to bring them to the afternoon performance rather than the evening one. Also, please take them out if they get noisy - it not only helps everyone to hear, but means the performing children don't get distracted.

On Wednesday the children will bring their costumes home after the afternoon performance. Please can they be back in Church **not before 5.50pm**. When you arrive in church, please ask your child to sit with you until the teachers are ready for them and not to run around. Thank you for your support. There is no charge to attend the performance, however, we do have a collection as you leave. This year the money from this collection will be given to the Connor Saunders Foundation to help them continue to provide defibrillators for schools and playgrounds.

Christmas Cards- If the children would like to give Christmas cards to each other, the post box will be in the front office from Monday. Please make sure cards are labelled with the class name as well as the child's name. Year 6 will then ensure they are sorted and delivered to the classrooms.

Chestnut Tree House Reindeer Run - Our Reindeer run takes place on Thursday and children are welcome to wear festive clothes that day as long as they can safely take part in the run wearing them. Fundraising envelopes can be returned at any point until Wednesday 14th December. You can either ask friends or relatives to sponsor your child or make a donation.

Outdoor Learning- There is no Outdoor Learning next week. The final session for Year 4 is on Thursday 15th December. During Outdoor Learning this half term, the children have been working on our contribution to the Christmas Tree Festival that is taking place in the Church next weekend. We are looking forward to seeing our tree displayed with the others. Do go and have a look.

Diary

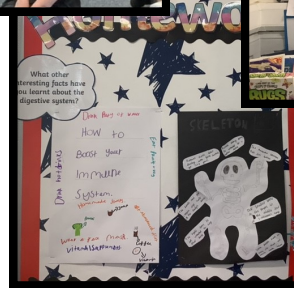
Monday 5th December	Fox Class PE
Tuesday 6th December	Owl Class PE
Wednesday 7th December	Nativity Performance 2pm Nativity Performance 6pm
Thursday 8th December	Owl class PE Squirrel Class PE Chestnut tree house reindeer fun run event
Friday 9th December	Squirrel Class PE

Advance Dates

Thursday 15th December - Year 4 Outdoor learning
Sunday 11th December Christingle Service at Church
Monday 12th December - Christmas Craft day in school
Tuesday 13th December - Squirrel Class theatre trip
Tuesday 13th December - Year 5/6 Football tournament (selected children)

Wednesday 14th December - Christmas breakfast
Thursday 15th December - Chartwells Christmas lunch
Friday 16th December - last day of term
Tuesday 3rd January - INSET Day
Wednesday 4th January - children return to school

Homework Showcase!



Achievers

Well done to all our achievers this week:

Summer, Mollie, Michael and Millie were given their pen licences this week - well done! It was also lovely to see how pleased everyone was for them.



Well done to Giovanni and Alex on their martial arts grading.



Squirrel Class: Alexis, Leon, Freya, Ferne and Emily

Fox Class: Gio, Annie, Joey and Nelly

Owl Class: Callum, Mollie, Millie and Michael