

NEWSLETTER 10 – 20th November 2009

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

Football - Last week our football team played Claverdon school in a 7 a side match. Despite extremely heavy rain and muddy conditions the boys played very well but unfortunately lost 2-0. Thank you to parents for transport and support.

Windy Welly Wednesday – Mrs White's class had an extremely windy Welly Wednesday this week. After watching Mrs Crothall's professional kite flying skills, the children all demonstrated their own kites made from bin liners and string.

Headteacher Certificates - Children will now be awarded Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum certificates in recognition of their achievements in school.

Poppy Appeal – Thank you very much for all of the donations for the Remembrance Poppy Appeal , the total amount raised was £74.42.

Parents Evening – Mrs Walsh and Miss Preston will rearrange appointments for those parents that had their meetings cancelled due to illness.

Clubs – **Tennis** - There is no Yr 1 and 2 Tennis on Tuesday 24th November.

Young Leaders – Due to the football match, there will be no Young Leaders on Thursday 26th November.

Head Lice – Please check your child's hair regularly for head lice and treat where appropriate.

Woodwind Lessons – There will be no woodwind lessons on Tuesday 24th November. Lessons will continue the following week.

Message from St Laurence Church - The St Laurence Christingle Service will be held on December 6th at 4pm at St Laurence Church all welcome.

Charity Book Sale – There will be a book sale at Budgens on Saturday 28th November 10am–4pm in aid of CLIC Sargent, the children's cancer charity.

Book of the Week – Mrs White's class have read 'Owl Babies' by Martin Waddell. It is the story of three baby owls who wonder where their mother has gone when she leaves them to find food. The whole class enjoyed joining in the Bill says 'I want my Mummy'!

Mr A Simms



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“FUNDRAISING” - we are on target to be able to purchase an outdoor activity area and climbing wall for the school. With your help this could happen in the New Year!!! **PLEASE** try and support our Christmas events for the benefit of all our children.

Raffle tickets

You should all have received raffle tickets in your child's book bag this week for you to sell. Please complete the stubbs and return with the money, in a sealed envelope marked BSA Raffle, to the office. If you feel unable to do this, please return the booklets to your class reps. If you are able to sell more (at work or to friends & family), they are available at the office. Thank you for your help!

Tombola Day – Friday 27th November

We will be collecting any items you may have for our Children & Adult tombola stalls next Friday. Please bring them to the hall before school in the morning – thank you! In return, your child is invited to come to school in **NON-UNIFORM** for the day, the theme this year is “**TOPSY-TURVY**” (wear clothes, inside out & back to front).

Christmas Fayre – Friday 4th December 6pm

If you can offer any help setting up, or at the event, please see your class rep. Any cake donations will be gratefully received!

Children's Disco – Wednesday 16th December

Disco tickets will be available priced **£2.50** (to include a drink & biscuit) **NEXT WEEK ONLY** outside Reception from 3pm daily, or via your child's class rep. with the correct change. Family tickets are available for 3 or more children - please see us for more details

Reception/Key Stage 1 – 6.00-7.15pm

Key Stage 2 – 7.30-8.45pm

TheGivingMachine

Please remember to do your Christmas shopping online via the Giving Machine. Simply log on to **www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk**, choose to support our school and then shop in the normal way. It will not cost you anything extra, but the retailer donates a percentage of what you spend - EASY!

Phoenix Cards

The last date to order for Christmas is Thursday 26th November. Brochures are available from the office or see Gill Squires.

Dates for your diary

Christmas Carols & Bag Pack (at Budgens) – Saturday 5th December

The next BSA meeting will be on Monday 23rd November in The Frog at 7.30pm.

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