

NEWSLETTER 12 – 2nd December 2011

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

Coventry Cathedral- Our house captains represented our school at Coventry Cathedral for a special service celebrating the 200th anniversary of Church Schools and the finale of the pilgrimage of the Cross of Nails. Schools from across the Diocese took part in the service that was led by the Bishop of Coventry.

Umberslade Farm Visit – On Thursday the Reception children visited Umberslade Children's Farm where they took part in their very own nativity with real farmyard animals bringing the Christmas story to life. They were able to see and interact with the animals and had a visit from a very special gentleman dressed in red! Thank you to all our volunteers for coming with us.

Choir – Our school choir sang to visitors at Coughton Court on Thursday as part of the Christmas celebrations at the house. They sang beautifully and the audience showed appreciation of their wonderful performance.

Christmas Post Box – The Christmas post box will be in use from Monday 5th December. Children should bring their cards into class and then they will be able to post them at registration. To assist our postmen, please remember to clearly mark envelopes with **FULL NAME** and **CLASS**.

Parking – There have been several instances when members of staff have not been able to park in the staff car park. Please use the car park by the fire station when bringing or collecting your child from school.

'Let's Grow' - A big thank you to everyone for the Morrisons Let's Grow vouchers - we collected 5171 and have placed an order for fruit trees, a cold frame, storage equipment and lots of packets of seeds!

Clubs Update

- Boys Football and Young Leaders club have now finished for this term.
- The last Girls Football, Cooking, Vital Statistics, AGS Science & Maths, Netball and Performance clubs for this term are next week (w/c 5th December).
- All other clubs continue into the last week of term.

Dates for your Diary –

- Reception and Nursery Christmas Songs – Wednesday 7th December at 9.30am
- Year 1 and 2 Nativity – Wednesday 7th and Thursday 8th December at 2pm
- Christmas Tree Festival at St Laurence Church – Saturday 10th and Sunday 11th December
- Torchlight Nativity– Saturday 17th December – 3.30pm starting at St Joseph's R.C church

Book of the Week – Mrs Walsh's class have been looking at non fiction books about nocturnal animals and have been finding out about the differences between non fiction and fiction texts.

Mr A Simms

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Christmas Fayre

This event is TONIGHT at school

6pm – 9pm

Hoping to see you all tonight at this event, there will be lots of stalls in the hall with some classrooms holding other activities, and of course – Santa's Grotto!!!

There will be a bar, and some of you have bought your food tickets in advance (there may be some available to buy)

We truly hope that everyone attending has a wonderful evening and don't forget that all of the money we raise will be used within the school.

Don't forget to get those raffle tickets in before the draw for your chance to win some fantastic prizes!!!

Coming up....

Holly & Wine Evening Thursday 15th December

The next BSA meeting is Tuesday 10th January at 7.30pm in the ICT suite at school – all welcome!!!

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