Friday 28th November 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

We had a wonderful end to the week when the Pied Piper theatre company came to put on an amazing production called 'Zoom'. The children loved the story of a little girl called Molly who helped a lost alien back to his planet. As always, we were so impressed with the quality of the acting and set design. It was lovely to have the whole school together and the children were so well behaved.

Earlier in the week Ladybird class had an amazing time at forest school. They were incredibly lucky with the weather and had great fun engaging in outdoor arts and crafts and exploring the environment.

With the start of December imminent, School Council decorated our Christmas tree this afternoon. We enjoyed listening to Christmas songs and getting into the festive spirit.

We look forward to seeing the children's reactions when they come to school on Monday as we have a surprise in store. The staff are going to be very busy after school this afternoon preparing for Christmas.

We hope you have a wonderful weekend.

Tanya Mooney

Key Dates Coming Up

Friday 5th December Pre-Booked PTA wreath making Tuesday 9th December 9.30-10.30 Year 2 Christmas show

Wednesday 10th December 6.00-7.30pm Year 1 Carol Concert at St Mary's

Church

Friday 12th December PM- Year 2 Choir visiting Sutton Lodge

Monday 15th December Whole School Christmas Lunch

Tuesday 16th December 9.30-10.30 Pre-Booked Reception Christmas Show

Tuesday 16th December PM- Year 2 Christmas Party

Wednesday 17th December 9.30-10.30 Pre-Booked Reception Christmas Show

Wednesday 17th December PM- Year 2 Choir visiting Signature Living

Wednesday 17th December PM- Year 1 Christmas Party

Thursday 18th December PM- Reception Christmas Party

Friday 19th December Whole School 1pm Finish- No Oscar Club

Christmas Art Fundraiser 2025 – Closes soon

The Christmas Art Fundraiser closes at midnight Monday 1st December. If you have lost your ordering codes, please click HERE to complete an online form and the company will locate it for you.

Reception and Year 2 Christmas Shows

Due to the large number of parents/carers who attended the Harvest assembly recently, we would like to ensure that we are well prepared and know how many people to expect for each performance and therefore ask you to complete our booking forms below by 10am on Thursday 4th December (Year 2) and 10am on Thursday 11th December (Reception).

Reception Booking Form https://signup.com/go/btXqHZL

Year 2 Booking Form https://signup.com/go/ZbuyszN

Please only book a maximum of **2 spaces** per child at <u>one</u> of the shows. You are able to book one adult at each of the shows if you prefer.

Please **do not** attend if you have not booked a space.

Year 1 children will be performing a lovely carol concert at St. Mary's Church on Wednesday 10th December at 6pm.

Save the Children's Christmas Jumper Day – Thursday 11th December 2025

Save the Children's Christmas Jumper Day is back again this year and we invite children to wear a festive top/jumper over their school uniform in exchange for a small donation the Save the Children on Thursday 11th December. Children should come to school in normal uniform

Please click **HERE** to donate £2 (or more if you're feeling generous...) and it will go straight to Save the Children. Please donate now and help us reach our target!

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/CJD250023833?utm_medium=FA&utm_source=CL

Safeguarding Notice

If you have any concerns about a child's safety or wellbeing in the school or community, please speak to one of our Designated Safeguarding Leads (DSL). DSL-Tanya Mooney, Head Teacher. DSL-Phil Copsey, Deputy Head Teacher or DSL-Kelly Grindle, Nurture Lead.

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