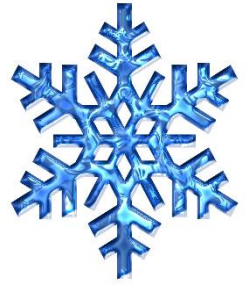




Newsletter:

Friday 24th November



Please take a moment to read our news and notices!

Poppy Day & Children in Need



A big thank you to everyone who donated to these charities on behalf of the school. **We raised £59 for the Royal British Legion and £120 for Children in Need.**

A great effort for our small school!



Franks Coffee Truck



Just a reminder that Frank's Coffee Truck will be with us on **Thursday 14th December**. Parents are welcome to enjoy their coffee on the playground. Please remember that all drinks bought raise money for the school!

Whole School Nativity

This year the whole school will be performing our Nativity "Whoops-a-Daisy Angel" on Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th December. A letter regarding ticket allocation will be coming home today. Please note we can only offer 2 tickets total per family (ie 1 for each performance or 2 for one of the performances). In the event we have spares we will allocate on a first come first served basis.

Winter Weather

It seems that winter has finally arrived, please make sure your child has a named coat suitable for the weather with them every day and hat, gloves etc when necessary. The children will have break and lunch outside every day, so need to have warm layers.

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Class News

Robin and Owl Class have been lucky enough to attend 2 events together in November:

On Friday 10th November they participated in the Holmer Green Sports Partnership Multi Skills Festival at Holmer Green Senior School. Everyone listened well and tried their best, participating in a range of sporting activities. It is a great opportunity to meet peers from other schools and the coach journey is always a highlight!



Last Friday, 17th November the whole school went to the Pantomime at the Village Hall "oh no they didn't", "oh yes they did". We were joined by Lee Common School and watched the M&M Productions performance of Robin Hood. It was a huge success with lots of audience participation and even teachers dancing with the cast!

Neither of these events would be possible without the support of PSALMS, so we would like to say a huge thank you to them. Not only for the funding but also the organisation of the Panto, car park and coach marshalling and liaising with the production company.



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ROBIN CLASS

In class Robins have been very busy. We have enjoyed baking gingerbread men and poppy biscuits and Forest School on a Friday is always a highlight of the week – last week we explored the frosty grass and experimented with mud painting.

The class are working hard with their phonics, this week sees the start of learning digraphs (two letters, one sound).



OWL CLASS

Owl class have had an exciting few weeks.

During our Literacy lessons we have been reading the Enormous Crocodile by Roald Dahl, we retold and acted the story out. Now that we know the story really well, we are beginning to write our own version of the story.

In maths we have been looking at 2D and 3D shapes. We have enjoyed looking at symmetry and the properties of the shapes.

Our nativity is coming along well, with lots of wonderful singing and now that the stage is up, we are practicing our acting skills too.

During our wellbeing sessions, Year 2 have been learning French Yoga and Year 1 have been creating bookmarks and books with mud painting.

We are very much looking forward to our trip to Waddesdon Manor with Lee Common School to see the Christmas Display. Thank you to everyone who has returned forms and paid the voluntary donation. Unfortunately, at present we have only received payment from half the class, for the trip to go ahead as planned we would really appreciate if those who can, make this contribution. If for any reason you are unable to make the contribution please contact the office.



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PSALMS NOTICES

🎄🎄 We are only two weeks away from our Christmas Extravaganza, so please make sure you have Sunday 10th December, 1-4pm in your diaries and bring along friends and family! - There is still time to sign up and help if you can. 🎄🎄

👤 The slots for Santas Grotto will be available from next week! 👤

📺 Any donations of toys, books and party bag fillers would be hugely appreciated. Please hand these in by Fri 1st Dec 📺

✳️ Your child will come home with a white bag containing; Raffle tickets, a paper plate and a donation envelope for any unwanted foreign currency. Please get your child to be as creative as they like with the plate and hand it back in to school by Thursday 7th Dec - to be entered into the annual plate decoration competition - these will be judged at the fete and a prize will be given to the winning child from each class. ✳️

📺 Please return Raffle Money and filled in slips by Thursday 7th Dec - if you need more raffle tickets please ask your class rep and any unwanted tickets please return as we can use these on the day of the fete. 📺



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Please take a moment to check our diary dates:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
Wednesday 6th December	Owl Class Trip to Waddesdon
Sunday 10th December	PSALMS Christmas Fete 1-4pm
Tuesday 12th December	Nativity Performance 1.30pm
Wednesday 13th December	Nativity Performance 9.30am
Thursday 14th December	Franks Coffee Truck Christmas Lunch
Friday 15th December	Elf Day
Tuesday 19th December	School Closes for Christmas Break 1.15pm
Monday 8th January	School Re-opens for the Spring Term

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