

Eldersfield Lawn CofE Primary

School 2nd October 2026



MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Harvest

Thank you for all your support to attend the Harvest Service in Eldersfield Church and during the coffee morning. We hope you enjoyed it! A total of £190.50 was raised for Tewkesbury Foodbank. This will be collected today along with the food item collections. We know the charity are always grateful of our contributions.

School Vision

A final reminder to please share your thoughts for our new school vision by Monday. Information was included in last week's newsletter.

Parent Appointments

If you have not already arranged your parent/teacher appointment, we encourage you to do so either today or Monday as the appointments have been scheduled for next week. If you require after-school provision for your child to stay on until after the school day has finished, or for supervision during your appointment time, please let us know in advance so the appropriate arrangements can be made.

PTFA Thank You

We would like to say a special thank you to Amy Kinahan, Vicki Wallace and Suzi Baimbridge for all of their hard work and continued support with the PTFA. Thank you also to the parents who regularly attend the PTFA meetings and help us. We are so grateful for all of the school fundraising and PTFA events you organise so thank you.

Goodbye and Thank You

Today, we say a special 'Thank You' and 'Goodbye' to Mrs Ann Rayer who has been a lunchtime supervisor at Eldersfield Lawn School over many years. We will miss Ann, but wish her well in her retirement.



STARS OF THE WEEK

Reception - Edison
Year 1 - Matilda
Year 2 - Tommy
Year 3 - Bertie
Year 4 - Lacey
Year 5 - Hugo
Year 6 - Margot



Housepoints



= 137



= 97



= 124



= 94

Class 4 Trip to STEAM

Class 4 visited the STEAM museum in Swindon this week as part of their WW2 topic. The pupils enjoyed an interactive day learning about the GWR Locomotive, Evacuees and Anderson shelters. Thank you to Mrs George and Mrs Carolan for organising the trip.



PTFA NEWS

We have had quite the social week this week with the PTFA! We had a lovely time on Thursday with welcome drinks for new (and not so new) parents and then a lot of fun at the monthly quiz at The Hunters Inn! Great fun raising money for our school and we are proud to say that Team PTFAers came in at an impressive last place!!

Many thanks to those that came to the AGM on Tuesday this week, Minutes will be emailed out next week including the treasurers report from 2025-26 and also the Chairs Report for the last academic year too. Last year we raised a fantastic profit of just over £3,000! Thank you all so much for your support! 😊🎉

We are very pleased to confirm that the PTFA Chair will be Amy Kinahan again this academic year with Suzi Baimbridge as Treasurer and Vicki Wallace as secretary.

A few reminders about some upcoming events now available on parentpay;

Christmas wreath making workshop with the guidance from a florist.

Spooky and Sparkly Disco

Also coming up is our
Harvest Stay & Play 16th Oct

Join us for an afternoon of fun with games, refreshments and Scarecrow making!

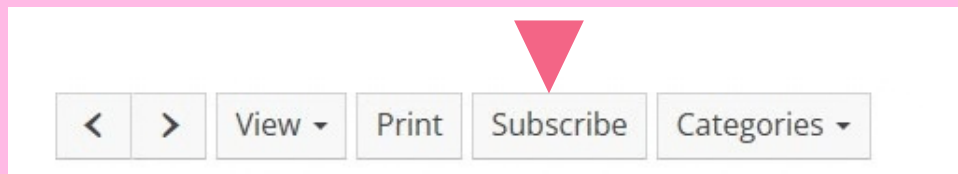
Our next meeting will be on 15th October at the Hunters Inn for 6:45pm. Please do join us to talk all things festive and Christmas planning!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SUBJECT TO CHANGE

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Please subscribe to our school calendar on our website to keep up to date on upcoming school events. Visit the Parents section and click on Calendar and subscribe (shown below).



October

- 6th Class 1 Churchfields Farm Visit
Class 2 Parent Appointments 1:20-4:30pm
Class 3 Parent Appointments 3:30-5:30pm
- 7th Class 3 Parent Appointments 1:20-4:30pm
Class 1 Parent Appointments 3:00-5:30pm
Class 2 Parent Appointments 3:30-5:30pm
Class 4 Parent Appointments 3:20-5:30pm
- 8th Class 4 Parent Appointments 1:20-4:30pm
- 15th Class 3&4 Cheltenham Literature Festival
- 16th PTFA Harvest Stay & Play
- 19th Year Football Tournament HCHS (Team Selected)
- 21st PTFA Spooky & Sparkly Disco 3:15-4:30pm
- 23rd TED Day

26th-30th Half Term

November

- 4th School Photographer (Individual & Siblings)
- 9th 12th Class 4 Bikeability
- 13th Reception Bikeability
- 19th Class 3 & 4 Primary STEM Challenge
- 27th PTFA Christmas Fair (times tbc)

December

- 1st PTFA Wreath Making for Parents (details to follow)
- 17th Sleeping Beauty Pantomime Classes 2,3&4 Roses Theatre
- 18th Last day of term finish 3:15pm

21st – 1st Christmas Holidays

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January

4th TED Day

5th Return to School

8th Class 4 Young Voices, BP Pulse Live

February

15th – 19th Half Term Holidays

22nd - Return to School

March

15th-19th Class 4 Residential

24th Last day of term

25th TED Day

26th – 9th April Easter Holidays

April

12th Return to School

May

19th School Photographer (Classes & Leavers)

31st – 4th June Half Term Holidays

June

7th TED Day

8th Return to School

July

21st Last day of Term