

Eldersfield Lawn CofE Primary

School 24th October 2024



Our School Vision is LIFE – Living and Inspiring Futures for Everyone
Our School Christian Values are – Hope, Community, Dignity, Wisdom, Joy and Peace
This term we will be focusing on Hope
May your unfailing love be with us, LORD, even as we put our hope in you – Psalm 33:22

MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Classroom News Highlights

Class 4 have been learning about how light travels in their science class this week. They have been conducting experiments in class.

Class 3 have had a fact finding week learning about the Iron Age.

Class 2 have finished their topic about the seasons in Geography with a 'Listening Walk' around school.

Reception have been using vegetable glue and learning about how our intestines work.

PTFA and Parent Forum

Thank you to both groups of parents who attended the meetings last week. The minutes will be uploaded to the school website shortly. Surveys will follow after the half-term to collect parents' views on school lunches and the school's vision and values.

School Council

The Junior Governors met for their first meeting today. Lots of good ideas were shared. The group will become involved in some of the focus areas raised from the Parent Forum, like the traffic concerns on the main road.

We wish everyone a lovely half-term!

CHRISTMAS FAYRE 29TH NOVEMBER

Please let the PTFA know
if you are able to help at the event



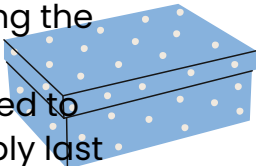
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SHOE BOX APPEAL

Information regarding the Christmas Shoe Box Appeal was presented to the pupils in Assembly last week. If you would like further information there are leaflets available in the school office. Please can shoeboxes be returned by 11th November.



CAKE SALE THANKYOU



Thankyou to everyone who was involved in our coffee morning today. We have raised £200 for Air Ambulance

JUNK MODELLING REQUEST



Reception Class are looking for items they can use for their Junk modelling project which will start after half term.

SPORT NEWS



Well done to Josh B who won his MMA competition in Torquay at the weekend.

Congratulations to two of our pupils who represented the school at the Handball Festival. They both showed great sportsmanship.

VISION DAY



On Monday, the House Teams worked together to share their thoughts about our school's vision of LIFE. The creative activities which were produced are being displayed in the school. You may have noticed our new LIFE tree this morning which we have placed near the Hall.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

October

25th TED Day

28th October – 1st November Half Term

31st Closing date for secondary school applications

November

5th Class 2 Parent Appointments 15:30 – 18:10

7th Class 3 Swimming lessons commence

8th Class 2 Multi Skills Festival @ HCHS

8th Non uniform day

11–13th Year 6 Bikeability

11th Class 4 Remembrance Service at 9am
(Class 4 parents welcome to attend)

12th Book Fair (Books 4 Bugs)

12th Nasal Flu Vaccinations

13th Class 2 Parent Appointments 15:30–18:00

14th Year 5 Bikeability

14th Year 6 Maths Challenge at The Downs

14th Year 6 Science Festival at Kings

Gloucester

15th Class 4 Trip to RAF Defford

15th Non uniform day

21st Midlands Air Ambulance Assembly

22nd Open Afternoon for Current Parents

14:30 – 16:00

25th Author Visit – Magic Can Be Dangerous
– all year groups

29th Christmas Fayre 5–7pm

NON UNIFORM DATES

8th November – Please send donations of new toys for the children's tombola



15th November – please send donations of bottles for the adult's tombola



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

An email has been sent out to parents regarding clubs after half term but please see a list of what's on:

Monday – Dodgeball & French

Tuesday – Rugby & Arts and Crafts

Wednesday – Yoga

Thursday – Football & Singing

REMINDERS



- Class 4 – All Bikeability forms need to be completed and returned by Monday 4th November
- Class 3 – Please return all Swimming consent forms by Monday 4th November
- If you would like to book your child into any of our after school clubs for after half term please do so asap so we can confirm numbers