

All Saints & St Richard's Church of England Primary School



School Newsletter

24th November 2017



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the Christmas festivities we look forward to lots of fun and interesting activities and opportunities for the children. Next Wednesday Kestrels class will spend the morning with children at Herstmonceux School where they will enjoy some sporting games and activities provided by specialist coaches. This is the first of our planned joint sessions which will happen every term across the school. We are hoping to build and develop strong partnership links with Herstmonceux, with the children at the forefront of this.

Please keep an eye on our website and Newsletters for information about what is coming up this term. **Next Thursday both Sparrowhawks and Buzzards classes will join Reverend Mitch at St Richards church for a special Advent service. This will begin at 2.15 and will finish at 3.00. Please could parents pick up children from St Richards Church at that time.** If you are unable to transport your child back to school for Rugby Club and Choir, please see school office. We will do our best to see if any parents who are returning for siblings, can accommodate your child. You can then collect as per normal from school after their club session.

As the weather is turning a little colder now, please can you ensure that the children come to school with a warm coat and anything else that they need (hats, gloves etc). There is now often frost and ice on the roads outside school so it is imperative that we are all doing the best with parking outside and ensuring that the roads and footpaths are safe for the children, as they come and leave our school. Please will bear this in mind as you park outside school in the future.

Kind regards

Mr Davison



**Teacher
Appreciation**

Christmas Services 2017

SUNDAY 3RD DECEMBER

6.30 pm Advent Carol Service - St. Richard's

THURSDAY 14TH DECEMBER

2.30 pm Service of Lessons and Carols - St. George's

SUNDAY 17TH DECEMBER

4.00 pm Christingle & Carol Service - All Saints'

CHRISTMAS EVE

Sunday 24th December

8.00 am BCP Holy Communion - St. George's

10.00 am Benefice Holy Communion - St. Richard's

4.00 pm Crib Service - St. Richard's

11.30 pm Midnight Mass - All Saints'

CHRISTMAS DAY

Monday 25th December

8.00 am BCP Holy Communion - All Saints'

10.00 am Christmas Family Communion - St. Richard's

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Come and join us at Christmas

Buzzards were fortunate enough to enjoy a trip to Glyndebourne a couple of week's ago. This is one of the comments from the trip from Darcy!

Glyndebourne

I loved the trip to Glyndebourne it was a really fun day that not many people would get the chance to experience. When we got to Glyndebourne we found our seats and we were on the top row so we had a really good view. The opera was about young children that had to move because of the war back in their own country, because they sang the story I didn't understand what was happening in parts of the opera. The set of the opera was based in the street and in the country. I really enjoyed the singing it was extremely good and very loud. At the end of the show everyone seemed to really enjoy it as they clapped for a very long time. The bus journey back to school was great fun, it would be nice to go again.

BY DARCY

Attendance Trophy

This week's trophy goes to Barnowls for 100% attendance. Well done Barnowls!!
Who will be next week's winners!!!



KS1 Nativity Performance

Our KS1 Nativity will take place on Thursday December 14th at 2pm & Friday 15th at 6pm. This will be all of the children in Kestrels and Barnowls. 2 tickets per family.

Thank you
Miss Horton &
Mrs Whittaker



Christmas Jumper
Muffi Day on Tuesday
19th December – please
bring in £1 – all
proceeds to school
fund.



Emergency Procedures for School Closures due to adverse weather/flooding.

Should we feel it necessary to close our school due to an unplanned incident, such as bad weather or burst water mains.

Please see the steps we will take to inform you should this be necessary.

- **the closure will be listed on the County Council website**
- **local radio stations (BBC Radio Sussex, Arrow FM, Bright 1064, Sovereign Radio, Seahaven Radio, Heart FM, Uckfield FM) will be informed and they will announce the school closures.**
- **An email will be sent to all parents via our message system.**





GOLD AWARDS



24th November

Tilly Mercer
Honor Sparks
Ruben Montebello
Megan Morgan
Oscar Mercer
Dexter Wayne
Ned Chapman

1st December

Albert Kirby
Millie Mason
Laci-Mai Fisher
Henry Fisher
Oliver Pachner



Firstly well done to Beccy and Faye for organising the Autumn Party!! We raised £300 for the school..



Our present buying afternoon is on the 12th, please remember to send children in with some money, any help from parents would also be great..

Please let school office know if you can help.



As it's Christmas and almost everyone is buying on the internet, please go through 'easyfundraising' as most retailers will give us cash back to go towards our new library

Many thanks for your continued support!
Tasha

2017:	New Term 2	
1 st December	Muffi Day – (unwanted gifts) PTA organising	
6 th December	P.E Coaching Day @ Herstmonceux for KS1 children.(Years 1&2)	
7 th December	KS2 Advent Service @ St Richards 2.15pm start – 3pm Parent drivers required – see office	
12 th December	PTA – Present choosing and wrapping – helpers required to wrap.	
13 th December	School Panto – ‘Aladdin’ – based at school – 2pm until end of day – for all children.	
13 th December	Special OAP lunch for Choir singers. During school time	
14 th December	KS1 Nativity Performance – 2pm 2 tickets per family – see office	
15 th December	KS1 Nativity Performance – 6pm 2 tickets per family – see office	
17 th December	Christingle/Carol Service @ All Saints @ 4pm – All welcome	
19 th December	Muffi Day – Christmas Jumper day – please bring in £1 – all proceeds to school fund.	
19 th December	School Disco – PTA – KS1 – 3.30pm - 4.30pm KS2 – 4.30pm – 5.30pm	
20 th December	Church Service @ St Richards 1pm start – children can go home straight after. END OF TERM.....	
	Happy Holiday – Merry Christmas!!!!	
2 nd January 2018	Staff Inset day	
3 rd January 2018	Children return to school	