

Charlton Horethorne Church of England Primary School

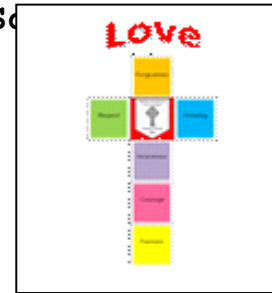
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Learning together in friendship and faith

10 October 2017

Dear Parents

A Few Updates, Reminders and Dates for Your Diaries

Stars of the Week – The following children have been recognised by their teachers as being the stars of the week in their class. Well done to:

Izzy A, Elodie, Noah, Amy, Gustav, Olivia, Henry, Lily L, Sophia, Harry, Jack, Albie, Jack L, Bea

Crossing Patrol – Monday 16 October - Please be aware that Mrs Skipper will not be manning the crossing patrol next Monday morning so please be extra careful escorting your children across the road. She will be back on duty in the afternoon.

Parents' Evenings – unfortunately the parents' evenings have been postponed until the third week in November. They will now take place on Monday 13 and Wednesday 15 November. Letters will be sent home nearer the time.

NSPCC Speak Out Stay Safe Programme – the NSPCC are visiting our school, with their mascot, Buddy, on Thursday 19 October. A letter to parents is attached with full details.

Harvest Service – please join us for our Harvest Service on Friday 20 October at 1.45pm in the Church. This year we would like donations of the following please:

Ladybird class – tins

Bee class – dried pasta

Dragonfly class – tea/coffee, hot chocolate

Reverend Sarah will ensure all donated items are distributed to a local food kitchen.

Half Term – Monday 23 to Friday 27 October

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Half Term Holiday Multi-Sport Club – a reminder please to return any booking forms for Mr John's holiday club by this Friday, 13 October. Please call into the school office if you require a copy of the form.

Inservice Training Day – Monday 30 October. Everyone returns to school on Tuesday 31 October.

Chipmunks – the next Chipmunks pre-school afternoon is on Wednesday 1 November from 1.45 to 3.15pm. Please invite family and friends with pre-school children, everyone is very welcome. The December session will be on Wednesday 6 December.

Bibic Bags of Help Collection – advance notice that we are, once again, taking part in this very simple fundraising scheme on Monday 13 November. This is a recycling scheme of good quality, clean, second hand clothes, shoes, handbags, bedding and curtains. All items should be placed in bags (these will be provided nearer the time) and brought into school first thing on Monday 13 November. The bags will be weighed on collection and the school will receive payment on the day. Please start sorting out your drawers and wardrobes and ask family and friends to do the same – the more we collect the more money we raise – it's as simple as that!

Children In Need Day – on Friday 17 November we will be fundraising for Children In Need – more details to follow nearer the time.

Treehouse Theatre Visit – We are very much looking forward to the Treehouse Theatre's production of Snow White on Wednesday 29 November.

Christingle – this lovely service takes place in Charlton Horethorne Church on Sunday 17 December at 4pm.

Christmas Production – There will be an open dress rehearsal on Monday 18 December at 2pm – parents with younger siblings are invited to attend this performance. This will be followed by two evening performances on Monday 18 December and Tuesday 19 December at 6.30pm.

Christmas Party – this will take place on Wednesday 20 December. Party clothes are compulsory!!

Carol Service – we end term with our Carol Service in the Church on Thursday 21 December at 1.45pm – everyone welcome.

Monday 8 January – everyone returns to school.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Vaughan
Admin/Finance Officer

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