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NEWSLETTER 12 - AUTUMN TERM Friday 8th December 2017

Dates for diaries

Mon 11 th Dec	Any more pine cone decorations to be returned to school by Mon
Mon 11 th Dec	Choir singing at Wells Cathedral
Tues 12 th Dec	Children's Christmas Lunch - children to wear a Christmas jumper or hat to school if they choose
Thur 14 th Dec	Christmas concert for the local villages at 10:00am & choir visit to Torrwood care home in the afternoon
Tues 21 st Dec	Class 1 'Story Sharing' afternoon @ 2:00pm
Weds 20 th Dec	Class 5 Performance of The Tempest – Class 5 Parents invited at @ 2pm
Thurs 21 st Dec	Last day of term
Mon 8 th Jan	First day of Spring term

Nativity Service

The 'Manger Tom' Nativity Service at St Thomas' Church yesterday afternoon was really wonderful. We are so proud of the children for all taking part and singing so beautifully. It was great to see so many parents, relatives and friends of the school at the church and to receive so many lovely comments afterwards. Our huge thanks to Mrs Jenkins, the staff and everyone at St Thomas Church for all their hard work and preparation.



Choir visit to Wells Cathedral

Mrs Jenkins would like to remind parents that children in the choir will be returning to school after the afternoon rehearsal at approximately 3:45 – 4:00pm.

Inverse advent calendar - reminder

Your child will now have been given their advent calendar number to take part in our Inverse Advent Event if they would like to do so. As a reminder, your child has been invited to bring in an item on the day they have been allocated, to add to a class Christmas hamper that we will deliver to a local food-bank.

Non-perishable food items are great but if the children could think of an inexpensive treat - a small box of chocolates, biscuits or perhaps hand-cream or some such cosmetic gift - then the Class' hamper will feel more like a Christmas gift. Class 5 have been working in groups to think of a favourite meal to collectively donate to the hamper. We hope that in choosing an item to add to the bank, our children will feel more connected to our whole community and have an even better understanding of the gift of giving.

Crossing Patrol

We are still looking to recruit for this role in school. If you feel you, or someone you know, could offer a small amount of time in the morning, afternoon or both, please do come and speak to us.

ORBIT Booking for Spring Term

Please remember to complete your bookings for sessions for next half term via Tucasi. If you have not yet registered your child, but wish to book, please contact the school office who will be happy to provide you with a registration form or you print off and the attached emailed form.



ORBIT Bookings for this term

Places are still available this term on some evenings so if you would like some extra time for a bit of Christmas shopping please book via Tucasi. Again, if you have not used Orbit before then we will require a completed registration form before you can be set up on the online booking system.

The Tempest – performed by Class 5

Class 5 have been putting together a performance of The Tempest to present to their parents, siblings and School Governors on Wednesday 20th December at 2pm in the School Hall. More information will be sent out in book bags soon.

HSA news

The HSA organised a really successful wreath making evening after the Nativity Service yesterday. A great evening was had by all who attended and there was an array of wonderful wreaths at the end. Thank you to Kirstie for organising this. We are all looking forward to the Christmas Fayre after school today.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'J. Williams'.

Julie Williams
Headteacher