# NEWSLETTER - FRIDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER 2024



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# Learning and living as children of God

(Ephesians5:1)(You are God's children whom he loves. Try to be like God)
OUR SCHOOL VALUE THIS TERM IS FRIENDSHIP



#### Sun Shine Awards

Reception: Max, Class 1: Ellen, Class 2: Poppy J, Class 3: Thomas,

Playtime trophy goes to Class 3.

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The school sports award goes to James.

Kelly has joined school for five weeks of dance. The children across school all enjoyed dance and had a wonderful time.



Ellie-Kate shared the wonderful poem she wrote in class using some fabulous adjectives and similes! Well done!



Please remember to keep snacks for breaktimes as healthy options. Thank you

## After School Club T1

09/09/24-14/10/24 Camp Kindness Yr 1 3.15- 4pmFULL 10/09/24-01/10/24 Drama Club Yr 4,5&6 3.15-4pmFULL 10/09/24-08/10/24 Dungeons & Dragons Yr 3 3.15-4pm FULL

11/09/24-16/10/24 Sports Club Yr 3&4 3.15-4pm FULL 12/09/24-17/10/24 Sports Club Yr 5&6 3.15-4pm FULL 12/09/24-17/10/24 CTFC Football Yr 1-6 3.15-4pm FULL

### Future Dates/Notifications

27/09/24: Macmillan Coffee morning 9-9.45am

02/10/24: Harry Potter KS2 trip departing at 8.15am

03/10/24: Flu Immunisation in school

04/10/24: School Photos

18/10/24: Harvest Festival @ 2pm

23/10/24: Celebration Assembly @ 2.50pm

23/10/24: End of term 1 24/10/24: INSET DAY 25/10/24: INSET DAY

Flu Immunisation in school on the 3<sup>rd</sup> October please accept or decline on the portal.

Well done to Filip who has been awarded two swimming certificates and is now working on his Level 2 Learn to Swim. Well done Filip!



Class 2 have had a great start to their drawing unit. They have been looking at two different artists and creating some artist studies about them.



Head Boy & Head Girl Blog!



School has had an eventful week, the ceiling collapsed in parts so we all had a day off! We celebrated World Rhino Day with Class 3 having cookies baked by the head boy! The quarter Marathon was well represented by lots of children from school - it was fun but tiring!

Poppy has been awarded her Level 3 Learn to Swim and a number of special rosettes for taking part in the Cotswold Vale Pony Club show! Fantastic work Poppy, well done!



Congratulations to Ellie-Kate who has just been awarded her Level 1 Learn to Swim Award and is now working on her Level 2! Well done!



A big thank you to Jenny Jenkins who came to talk about her childhood to Class One as part of their history unit of work. The class were fascinated by Jenny's stories, they asked an impressive range of questions and could identify similarities and differences between their own lives and Jenny's.



#### Honours List

Each week, awards for children's achievement will be presented in Celebration Assembly. We will also recognise children who have demonstrated our value for each term in the everyday life of our school – our value for Term 1 is Friendship.



# Award winners for w/c 16<sup>th</sup> September - 27<sup>th</sup> September 2024

#### Achievement:

Reception - Archie & Charlotte for super reading in phonics.

 $\underline{\mathit{Class}\ 1}$  - Felicity & Filip for amazing Rainbow bear story recounts.

Class 2 - Ernie for his incredible work in Maths.

<u>Class 3</u> - Rose & Olivia for their super poetic descriptions of a bird.

#### Values:

Reception - Kit,

Class 1 - Calon & Wilfred,

Class 2 - Alex & Leo,

Class 3 - Thomas & Ellis,



The Deerhurst DnD adventuring party have been busy having a party with magical creatures and received mysterious parting gifts of potions, wands and a ball.



Reception have enjoyed playing the nesting dolls to explore capacity and size noticing when they are using maths vocabulary to describe.

A huge well done to all the children who ran at the weekend in the quarter marathon. You were all amazing!



Class 3 have been learning how to use figurative language for descriptions. They read 'I Am Cat' by Jackie Morris and used it as a model for their own poetic writing to describe animals. You can read their finished poems on the Class 3 page of the school website.



Little Deers have enjoyed watching all the wonderful weather we have been having and spotting the different wildlife. They have discussed how the weather can make us feel and how happy we are when the sun is shining! Our colours have been focusing on all things Autumnal and they have been very busy with our numbers and shapes.









#### Little Deers Autumn Trail

Please do come and join us for our annual Autumn Trail. Enjoy finding all the displays around the village followed by cake, crafts and a raffle at the village hall.



### SAFE GUARDING CORNER

https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-childrensafe/online-safety/parental-controls/

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Parental controls can help you to:

- plan what time of day your child can go online and how long for
- create content filters to block apps that may have <u>inappropriate content</u>
- manage the content different family members can see.

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