NEWSLETTER - FRIDAY 14TH JANUARY 2022



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A Very Happy New year to All!



Sun Shine Awards (10/01/22-14/01/22) Reception: Alexander. Class 1: Gretel. Class 2: Edward. Class 3: Connie. Playtime trophy goes to Reception Class. W/C 10.01.22 School Sports Award goes to Nancy & Daniel. At the end of last term, the children were asked to design a maths mascot for the school. There were lots of amazing entries and wonderful slogans to go with.

After lots of voting, the winner was Sonny with his Resilient Rhino. Well done Sonny!

If there is anyone out there who is good at sewing, we would love to have four 3D models of our Rhino! Please contact me if you are able to help.



This term Class 2 have been learning about the Romans. They have been finding out about the Roman army and how they conquered land and became an Empire. Whilst doing this they created a Roman shield and practiced the tortoise formation.



After School Club T3

12/01/22-09/02/22 Netball Club Yr 2&3 3.20-4pm 10/01/22-07/02/22 Camp Kindness Yr 3 3.15 - 4pm Future Dates/Notifications 18/02/22: Non Uniform day 18/02/22: End of Term 3 28/02/22: Start of Term 4 24/03/22: Rags2Riches Collection

Class 3 have been busy writing their New Year resolutions. Look on the Class 3 page of the school website to read what they have resolved to do.



2022 at Deerhurst and Apperley has begun with a taster for all the children of Time to Shine Cricket. All classes were involved in a session with Olly, and enjoyed some cricketing action. Whilst observing the children there were definitely some budding cricketers out there and we will be doing more cricket in the summer terms and hopefully having an afterschool club too, so watch this space for details.



There are still children arriving late for school. Please try to be on time as late arrivals don't only impact on the child arriving but all others in the class. I appreciate there are times when holds up happen because of road works & this can't be avoided. Class One have been making models to help them remember The Five Pillars of Islam.



Reception have begun their literacy work all about dragons and they are going to investigate if dragons are real or not? The children have spent time over theast two weeks creating a wishing tree to show respect for others' wishes and choosing different threads for friendship bracelets. We decided to design a Holy Trinity bracelet using purple for God; red for Jesus and white for the Holy Spirit.



Netball club started this week with 15 children in years 2 and 3 taking part. It was a cold but sunny afternoon, let's hope for more of the same over the next few weeks so that we can get plenty of practice in.

<u>Honours List</u>

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 3 is Perseverance.



Award winners for w/c 10th January 2022

Achievement: <u>Reception</u> - Alexa & Martha for brilliant learning all week. <u>Class 1</u> - Harvey & Zahara for allways listening & working hard.

C<u>lass 2</u> - Class 2 for doing incredible work all term. <u>Class 3</u> - Class 3 for their hard work this term.

Values:

Reception - Alex Class 1- Hope & Gretel. Class 2- Alexander Class 3- Mary

Cross Country events start up again in February and letters have been sent out to parents of children in years 4, 5 and 6 with details. There is still plenty of time to sign up and you don't have to have done any running before.

<u>Little Deers</u>

They have been learning all about winter, here they are having their 'Frozen' day! They did science with melting ice and chocolate, and lots of sparkly dancing and fun. Look at our fabulous costumes, they love dressing up in Little Deers!















