



Orchard Fields Community School Newsletter

Friday 23 November 2018

Important reminders

Medical appointments

Parents are requested to make medical appointments for children either in the school holidays, or at the beginning or end of the school day. Please be aware that eye appointments can be made after school with opticians in Banbury.

Main school gates – open at 8.15am

Please note that the school gates open at 8.15am and not before. Parents are reminded not to let their children push on the gates as it will risk breaking the gate mechanism and delay entry into school. Thank you for your co-operation.

Free Breakfast Club

The free breakfast club is open for children to arrive between **8.20am to 8.25am**. For safeguarding reasons, children will not be able to join the breakfast club after this time.

School Photograph Order

Please return school photo orders by Wednesday 28th November. After this date you may post your order direct to Horizon Photographic and they will post photographs to you.

Club Information

Please note that clubs do not run on a Wednesday and Friday each week.



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Christmas Events

Carol Concert – St Mary’s Church

Wednesday 5th December - 6pm – 7.00pm
(Children to arrive at 4.00pm)

Christmas Fete

Friday 14th December – 3.30pm – 5.00pm

Key Stage 1 Christmas Production

Monday 17th December – 1.30pm – 2.30pm

Key Stage 1 Christmas Production

Tuesday 18th December – 9.30am – 10.30am

Early Years Christmas Production

Tuesday 18th December – 2.00pm – 3.00pm

Christmas House Event

Friday 21st December – (time to be confirmed)

RECEPTION PLACES – SEPTEMBER 2019

Oxfordshire County Council are now accepting applications for Reception entry in September 2019. Parents are encouraged to apply on-line at www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/admissions as this is the most secure way of applying. If parents cannot access the online process, then a paper application form is available from the school office. The closing date for Reception applications is 15 January 2019

Donations

We would like to thank everyone who supported Children In Need this year and Macmillan Cancer Support. We raised a total of 228.70 for Children In Need and £61.85 for Macmillan Cancer Support.



Christmas Lunch Menu

Wednesday 19th December

Roast Turkey with Chipolatas, Sage & Onion
Stuffing & Gravy

or

Cheese & Leek Pasty (Vegetarian)

or

Quorn fillet (Vegetarian)

Roast Potatoes

Garden Peas

Carrot Batons

Brussels Sprouts

Chocolate coated Christmas Tree

or

Christmas Cookie and Jelly

or

Fresh Fruit

Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
Thursday 29 th November	Nursery Stay and Play – 10.00am – 11.00am
Tuesday 4 th December – Thursday 6 th December	Book Fair – 3.15pm – 3.45pm
Wednesday 5 th December	Carol Concert – St Mary’s Church – 4.00pm – 7.00pm
Wednesday 12 th December	Visit by local police (Year 4 - Mrs Palmer’s Class)
Friday 14 th December	Christmas Fete – 3.30pm – 5.00pm
Monday 17 th December	Key Stage 1 Christmas Production - 1.30pm – 2.30pm
Tuesday 18 th December	Key Stage 1 Christmas Production – 9.30am – 10.30am
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Free food available on some Fridays during term-time

Please note that the school does not take any responsibility for this food or any allergic reactions when the food has been consumed.

School Policies

If you wish to review a school policy, they are available on the school website: www.orchard-fields.oxon.sch.uk and on request from the school office.

School Uniform is available from Tesco and please click on the following link: <http://www.ff-ues.com>

Uniform can also be purchased from Cross Embroidery Units 5 - 6 Lower Cherwell, OX16 5AY (telephone number 01295 270555).

School ties and book bags can be purchased from the school office.

For further information about school uniform please see our School Uniform Policy on policies on the website.