



Ash, Cartwright & Kelsey Church of England (Aided) Primary School

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Friday 16th September 2022

Newsletter Term 1 Week 2

Dear Parents/Carers

We have had another very busy week in school and the children have been exploring their topics in different ways. There has been great excitement in Robins as their class guinea pigs have started their transition to school – they will be visiting again next Wednesday and the class will have to think of names for them.

Fledglings have been busy learning outside and have been creating self and family portraits. Magpies have enjoyed learning all about dinosaurs, Hawks started their swimming lessons and have enjoyed designing and tasting sweets as part of their 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory' topic. Owls made lego labyrinths as part of their learning about 'Theseus and the Minotaur' and then designed mythical creatures to try and defeat Theseus.

Remember that the school is closed on Monday as it is the funeral of Queen Elizabeth II.

Best wishes and have a lovely weekend

Fiona Crascall
Headteacher



Birthdays to celebrate Magpies

Douglas

Happy birthday!



Photos of the week:



School starters

Our tours have started! Year R applications are for children born between 1 September 2018 and 31 August 2019. If you have, or know somebody who has a child who will start school next year, please ring the school office to arrange an individual look around with me.

More Important News

Tree in hall

Our tree in the hall is nearly finished. This was painted by local artist, Alison Craddock from the Little Studio to celebrate the Biblical underpinning of our school 'Let all that you do be done in love' Corinthians. The children have all thought about what love means to them and have written this on their own hand template (used as leaves and flowers) to take with them as they move onto pastures new. It looks beautiful and the children have loved reading the responses. A big thanks to Alison for her artistic input and the PTFA for funding this.



Car Park

I don't like to moan so hope that you listen when I do! We seem to have a number of parents who are dropping empty vapes into the school car park. Please do not drop any rubbish in our car park – we ask that you are respectful to our school environment. Thank you

Harvest

This year we will be supporting local Food Banks at our Harvest Festival. We will be collecting these items in school to be collected by the Food Banks. Please see message below:

Thank you so much for the support we receive each autumn to enable us to provide food to those in our area, in need. As you can imagine from the news, the level of need has increased significantly over recent months, and we anticipate that it will grow further over the winter.

Please find attached our latest shopping list for the 2022 harvest season.

Priority * UHT milk * Juice/squash * Tinned fruit * Puddings * Rice pudding * Custard * Tinned/cuppa soup * Noodles * Cooking sauces * Pot noodles * Small coffee * Deodorant

Yes please ✓ Tinned potatoes/tomatoes ✓ Nappies size 5-7 ✓ ✓ Brown sauce ✓ Ketchup ✓ Washing-up liquid ✓ Bleach ✓ Anti-bac spray ✓ Wet wipes



EYFS	Edie for being a super role model in Fledglings.
Year 1 Robins	Ronnie for making brilliant choices all week and trying her best in her learning!
Year 2 Magpies	Noah G for enthusiastic participation in his learning.
Year 3 Owls	Luca R for working hard to improve his writing and great adjective suggestions in our topic work.
Year 4 Hawks	Lexi for focussing well in all of the lessons and producing wonderful work in her book.
Year 5 Eagles	Tommy for putting excellent effort into his learning and sharing his knowledge of languages with us.
Year 6 Falcons	Sophia for having a fantastic work ethic all week – you have made great contributions and completed work to a high standard. Well done!

Attendance Award

Week Ending 16/09/2022	Magpies	99.05%
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Dates for your diary

27.09.2022	PTFA AGM in the hall
06.10.2022	Census Day – special lunch to be announced
12.10.2022	Year 6 Restart a heart training
21.10.2022	End of term 1
31.10.2022	Children back in school for term 2
