

8th December 2023

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A Loving Place, Where we CARE, Learn and Grow Together

This week all of our classes have been busy making decorations and goods to sell at the Christmas Fayre this Friday.

There have been some really creative ideas for the class stalls, year six have made gorgeous little snow baubles, year 3 have been creating delicious chocolate reindeer and in Foundation they made reindeer food this week (which was super exciting)

Children will also have the chance to meet Santa in his grotto, visit the Christmas Photo Booth, and visit lots of other stalls too. Hot food and drinks are also on sale - so please do come along and join in the festivities if you are able to!

Also, don't forget to buy your disco tickets for next Friday! It promises to be a festively fun event for all!

Have a lovely weekend

Mel Nugent
Headteacher



Our School Rewards

The Golden Book

We are very proud of all our children at CtS, a special well done to those that received Golden Book certificates this week!

This Week's KS2 Winners	
 Mustard	Rayhaan
 Rosehip	Selin
 Catkin	Isaiah
 Barley	Christos
 Wheat	Allan

This Week's KS1 Winners

 Daisy	Zahra
 Poppy	Arlo
 Pumpkin	Ava W
 Acorn	Lyla

This week the theme was:
Being Motivated
The CARE Value Achieved was:
Aspiration

Attendance Bear

KS1— Daisy 97%
KS2— Mustard 97%
Well done!!



Times Tables Rock Stars

TT Rockstars Year 3 – Jeremiah
Year 4 - Abigail Year 5 – Torres
Year 6 – Christos and Jayden



The House Cup

The team that have earned the most points this week is the **YELLOW** Team
WELL DONE Yellow TEAM!

Governors



On Thursday 7th December, Louise Worrall, parent governor, foundation governor, David Cousins and I had the privilege of accompanying the school choir to the School Leaders Annual Service which was held at Christchurch cathedral, Oxford.

Our school was chosen from over 200 schools who are part of the Oxford diocese. The children sang two songs, Hope for Everyone by Matt Maher and Light of the world, in addition to taking part in the whole service.

Our children sang wonderfully, joyfully and with great confidence. In addition to their performances their behaviour was outstanding, and this was commented on by several members of cathedral staff and ODBE officials.

Louise and I felt hugely proud of them, they proved to be great ambassadors for the school.

Janet Hatfield
Co-Chair of Governors



Eco Warriors



5 Pillars For Fulfilling our quest for sustainability across ODBST



Community: Learning about living our collective values with authenticity and pride

Every ODBST school has an annual school-wide community objective to enhance their sustainability and resilience, achieved through external partnership working.

Environment: Learning to grow a better world and biodiversity on the school site

Every ODBST school has a gardening club and school allotment/growing areas. Enhance the biodiversity on your school site and surrounding areas. Eco mark at every school.



Curriculum: Learning through rich experiences and opportunities

All ODBST learners have an entitlement to learn about sustainability. Every child will have at least 10 outdoor learning experiences, every year, intrinsically linked to their curriculum.

Innovation: Learning, Inspiring and collaborating

Every ODBST school attends the CPD program focused on Environmental Sustainability and/or climate change curriculum.



Climate positive: Learning to reduce waste and carbon consumption across our Trust community

Every school has its own campaign to reduce waste, energy and/or water consumption through staff and pupil behaviour.



This week the **Eco Warriors** would like to share the Green Pillars with you.

These were agreed in the Summer term at the Eco Summit, that brought together the ECO Councils from all the ODBST schools.

This year, we are working hard to ensure that we are meeting the pillars in school.

Autumn Term 2023

December

Tuesday 12 December
Rocksteady Concert

Wednesday 13 December
Christmas Jumper Day and
Christmas Lunch

Thursday 14 December
EYFS / KS1 Nativity, please book
at reception

Friday 15 December
Flu Vaccinations

Friday 15 December
End of Term Disco

Wednesday 20 December
Carol Singing at 4pm

Friday 22 December
Last day of term!

January

Monday 8 January 2024
Inset Day

Tuesday 9 January 2024
School reopens to students

Thursday 11 January
Young Voices Trip

February

Monday 17 – Friday 21 February
Half Term!

Photo Booth

Tattoos

Sweets

Drinks

Glow Sticks

All extras 50p - £1 each

Friday 15th

December

EYFS/KS1: 3.30 - 4.30

KS2: 5.00 - 6.30

End of Term Disco

£2 per person
includes a drink
of squash and
a biscuit

