



## 'Growing together at the Heart of God's Community'

10<sup>th</sup> January 2020 - Our "Value for life" is Friendship

*A friend loves at all times – Proverbs 17:17*



### Head Teacher's Hello:

A Happy New Year to you all. I can't believe that Christmas has come and gone so quickly! In school this week we have been discussing democracy and talking about elections and voting...yes we did mention the general election! As part of this, I have challenged all the children to find out who is the local MP in their area, this may need a little help from you. We are holding our own elections to decide what is the reward at the end of the term and how many golden tickets do we think we need, to achieve it. Results coming soon after the votes are counted. Can I just send school's grateful thanks to Mr Lyle for arranging to come with me to vet potential minibuses, we really appreciate the time given. The children are constantly asking me when will we have the minibus so they can play football and rounders matches. The little ones just want to ride in it! As you can tell we are getting very excited. More news soon. As always if you have any questions or concerns our door is always open. Mrs Mowbray.



**Thank you** to all parents, carers, grandparents and friends for all the Christmas wishes, cards and gifts they were all very much appreciated.



**Donations of PE Kit** – Can anyone help with donations of P.E. kits to help stock our spare kit bag? We had 14 sets 'different sizes' and are now down to 1! (white t-shirt, blue shorts, black pumps) If you have any kit that your child has grown out of, please donate to school, this would be great. Many thanks.



**School Meal Additional Support** – We want to make families who are claiming certain benefits aware you may be able to claim free school meals and other benefits within school for your children. This also applies to Reception, Y1 and Y2 children who are in receipt of universal school meals. If you feel this might apply to you please call into the office as soon as possible and they will be able to help you and guide you through the process.



**Choir** – Rev Jan runs the school choir and would like to build and develop it. The children have really enjoyed taking part in concerts during December and we are looking to secure more events for them to perform at. The choir meets every Wednesday lunchtime in school to rehearse. All children from Year 1 to Year 6 are invited to join.



**Church Robed Choir** – Rev Jan is looking to start a church robed choir at Glazebury All Saints Church. The choir will wear church robes and will sing in church on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of every month. The robed choir will practice in school at the Wednesday choir session and there may be an extra session during the week before the service. A separate letter has been sent out regarding this. If this is of interest to your children please complete and return the consent slip sent out with the letter to the school office.



**Elf Run – St Rocco's Fundraiser** – Thank you for your kind generosity to everyone who has sent in sponsorship money for the Elf Run. St Rocco's will be collecting the money from school next week if you have any remaining sponsor money please bring it into school as soon as ..



**Culcheth Day Nursery & Link Club** is now offering After School Club for Year 1 to Year 6 children on an ad hoc basis. You can contact the nursery for further details or arrange a booking on 01925 767615 or enquiries@culchethdaynursery.co.uk



**Family Service** - You are invited to a warm and friendly **family** service held at All Saints Church, Glazebury on the first Sunday of every month. The service starts at 10.30am, all children and families are welcome.



**Little Saints** – All Saints Church Glazebury welcome you to their Little Saints Service for small people, older siblings are welcome to come along and help. The next service is on January 18<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 12pm.



**Dates for your Diary** – We are currently in the process of updating the dates for your diary list for this term and it will be sent out with next weeks newsletter.



#### **Nut Free School**

Please remember we are a nut free school. Please don't send any products containing nuts to school in lunch boxes or snacks. Thanks in advance.

**What was the best thing you enjoyed this week?**

**Charlie - Year 6** – "This week we learned about pointillism which is an art style created by Georges Seurat."

## **PUPIL VOICE**

**Whole school attendance so far this academic year is 95.68%**

**Glazebury School attendance target is 96%**

**Attendance for Week Commencing Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

Mrs Ball - Reception attendance	<b>100% Well Done!</b>
Mr Snelson - Year 1 attendance	<b>100% Well Done!</b>
Mr Snelson - Year 2 attendance	<b>94.12%</b>
Mrs Goman- Year 3 attendance	<b>99.31%</b>
Mrs Goman- Year 4 attendance	<b>87.18%</b>
Mrs Smith - Year 5 attendance	<b>95.73%</b>
Mrs Wall - Year 6 attendance	<b>97.08%</b>

*Rewards*

**Next reward scheme to be decided!**



## Head Teachers Award

### **Olivia B**

For being so brave when she fell over in the daily mile.

### **Nico**

For being industrious when working with Mrs. Mowbray in Science and Religious Education.

### **Darcy**

For being so kind when Ethos group children asked her to help with the friendship photos.

### **Jessica**

For helping others and being a good friend, especially to our younger children.

### **Saul**

For kindness to others particularly his running buddy and for helping explain attendance to the whole school.

### **Charlie**

For being a great role model, particularly to our younger children at lunchtime.



## Personal Development Award

### **Class 1**

Xanthe and Jayden

### **Class 2**

Camilla and Tyler

### **Class 3**

Fynn and Thomas

### **Class 4**

Oliver and Harry