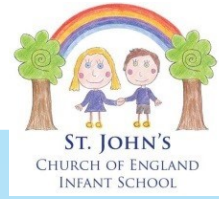


St John's C of E Infant School

Newsletter 15th November



Latest news

Well, what a busy week! So many events all sandwiched in one week.

Year 2 children were absolutely fantastic at the memorial on Monday to represent us all in marking Remembrance Day. Our peace leader laid the school wreath beside those from all the other organisations in the village. We marked the two minutes silence which ended as we listened to the last post.

On Tuesday we wore odd socks for Anti-bullying week to show that we are all different and everyone deserves respect. On Friday, we raised funds for Children in Need by wearing our own clothes. Thank you everyone for such a tremendous week, you have all done so much thinking of others this week.

We are planning to open the bookings for this year's Christmas performance "A Miracle in Town!" We will send you a link in an email on Wednesday 20th November to book your tickets when it opens at 5pm. As we are a little smaller in numbers this year, we are pleased to say that you will be able to book up to four tickets in total per family. You may spread the 4 tickets over the three days in whatever combination you choose. The tickets are free but there is a donation section if you wish to. All donations made here go directly towards new costumes, props, and scenery so that we try to ask very few people to provide costumes.

There are lots of advertisements for things in our community section of the newsletter this week. Including Hen House after school club are having a teddy bears picnic on Thursday 28th November. If you were thinking of trying it out this might be a good day to do it!

Have a wonderful weekend.
Mrs. Marion Stevens

2024

- 22nd Nov—Open Day
- 7th Dec—Xmas Fair 2-4
- 10th Dec—Xmas Play
- 11th Dec—Xmas Play
- 12th Dec—Xmas Play
- 17th Dec—Xmas Lunch, class parties
- Christmas Jumper day
- 20th Dec—Church Service
- 20th Dec—End of term—2pm

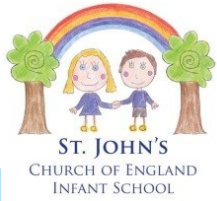
2025

- 6th Jan—INSET day
- 7th Jan—Start of term

For these and other dates.

[Online Calendar](#)





"Peace be with you."

John 20:21

Values News

This term our focus value is peace, very aptly planned to align with remembrance and Christmas.

This week we discussed whether we would like to live in a place that was at war. We all agreed that we would not like that and that we would prefer to live in peace. A peaceful place would be calm, quiet, and relaxing. Where do you find peace?



Celebrate Success

This term

Rabbit Class star learners so far have been: Clara, Harry and Kara.

Fox class star learners so far have been: Wilf, Mollie and Stanley.

Badger class star learners so far have been: Tommy, Arthur S and Eddie.





ST. JOHN'S
Parent Teacher Association

PTA News

Thank you all for supporting Children in Need this week we raised £110 which is fantastic. Thank you also for providing bottles for the bottle tombola it is much appreciated and don't worry if you didn't manage on Friday we will continue to accept more donations of bottles

Please see our separate letter for more PTA News.



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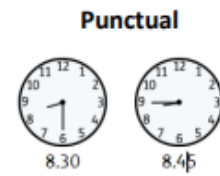
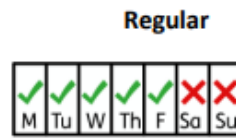
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7TH DEC	FREE ENTRY	2-4 PM
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HOT FOOD | MULLED WINE | GAMES
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School Attendance



As of September 2024 there are new school attendance guidelines from the DFE. [DFE guidelines](#)

Please see attached to this weeks email the [new attendance policy](#). There is also a new request for absence form to complete if your child is having time off from school for anything other than illness or a medical appointment.

You may find this NHS website page useful for information about school attendance. [Is my child too ill for school?](#)

Safeguarding



Safeguarding

If you are concerned about the safeguarding of a child at any time, please contact Surrey children's single point of access C-SPA on

:0300 470 9100

For out of hours see our [website](#).

During school hours you can contact the school Safeguarding leads Mrs. Stevens or Mrs. Ireland DSL@stjohns-farnham.surrey.sch.uk or

telephone 01428 713216

Headlice

Please keep checking your child's hair regularly so that we may reduce/remove the cases of headlice. Treating once is not enough, regular checks are necessary by everyone.



Hello!

Welcome to Mindworks Surrey, the new emotional wellbeing and mental health service for children and young people in Surrey.





Welcome to the Churt Parish Council website

Part of the Surrey Hills National Landscape and on the extreme west of Surrey adjoining Hampshire, Churt is an ancient village. Pre-census days, it was significant enough to have its own name. Churt today is one of 18 parishes within the Waverley Borough of Surrey. About 1300 people live in the parish and are represented by Churt Parish Council which comprises 9 elected members who campaign and work to improve services and facilities for the village, supported by our parish clerk.

Churt's new website is now live at www.churt.org

In addition to the Parish Council content, there is lots of new and useful information and content from our vibrant community, village organisations and community facilities.

There is new content on the beautiful National Landscape in which Churt is privileged to be located, useful links to services or to report problems, bus and train timetables, helpful maps to explore, local walks.....and lots more.

The News and Events page is in the format of a blog and you can sign up to get new posts emailed to you when they are published on the website.

Google is indexing the new website but it will take a little while for search engine results to fully align to the new website – so please be patient.

Churt Parish Council hopes that this new website will be a useful resource for all Churt residents, as well as those visiting us.




Churt News in Nature Autumn 2024

Published by Churt Environment Working Group




The Hunter's Supermoon over Churt on 17th October

Churt delivers again for Aurora hunters on 10th Oct

Elephant Hawk Moth caterpillars on the march



It wouldn't be Halloween without a spider – in this case a common orbweaver Garden Spider




A good conker crop but not many acorns




Frosted webs – a sure sign of autumn



Memory of a late summer evening! Stag beetles emerge from underground to mate for only a few weeks in summer – flying at dusk



At end October, Common Darter dragonflies were still active and mating at Thursley National Nature Reserve



Autumn colours have been good this year



Old Man's Beard is a food source for many moth species. It was used to make rope in the Stone Age



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Our Community

Artisan Christmas Festival Returns for 2024

Churt
**YULETIDE
BAZAAR**

*Churt Village Hall
Saturday 16 November
10.00am-5.00pm*



FREE ENTRY!

*A unique Christmas shopping event featuring
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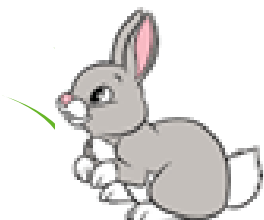
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St John's Infant School Teddy Bears Picnic!

Thursday 28th of November - £17.00

Bring your teddy bear to after school club and let them have tea with friends!

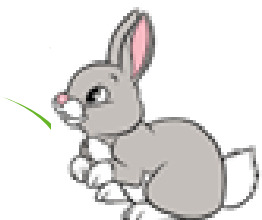
Children can join our afternoon of tea time picnic fun, games, show and tell and imaginative play.

From the end of school day until 6pm

Registration and booking essential.

We accept childcare vouchers, tax free childcare payments and the regular methods of payment.

BOOK HERE <https://wollahwollah.kidsclubhq.co.uk>
email - childcare@thehen-house.com



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WEDNESDAY 27 NOVEMBER, 5PM - 7:30PM

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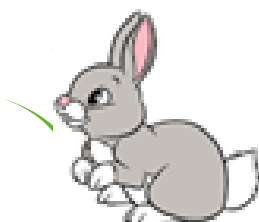
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Please [click here](#) to find out about our current vacancies and apply. Catering Assistants please apply to the [Surreywide](#) advert.

For more information, please call Vanessa on 07772 136 836



Our Community

We are still looking for a Crossing Patrol Officer who could support the children safely across Barford Lane in the morning and afternoon.

Surrey County Council

would accept a job share for this position. For more details [Click here](#)



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