



The Messenger

This Week in Churchfield

On Wednesday we welcomed new parents of children due to start school in September 2017, to our Open Morning. Don't forget that the deadline date for applications is 15th January 2017.

Garsington Opera for All have been in school this Thursday and Friday working with Willow and Yew classes. Using Drama and Vocal exercises, they have worked with the children to develop short scenes based on a Tchaikovsky opera, writing their own lyrics and composing original music for songs. The workshops were led by a director, composer and two professional opera singers. It has been an exciting two days which will lead next Tuesday to participation in a performance event at The Macmillan Theatre in Bridgwater. The children have greatly enjoyed themselves and we are grateful to members of *Garsington* for their brilliant work and enthusiasm.

And What Have We Got Lined Up For Next Week?

Book Fair—It is time for our first Scholastic Book Fair which will be held after school from Tuesday 4th October and up to and including Monday 10th October. We also have a special event on Friday 7th October as Clifford the Big Red Dog will be at the Book Fair for children to have photos taken with - so please come along and bring your phone or camera. Please support this event if you can, there are lots of lovely books and the school receives free books based on how many we sell. The Book Fair will be held in Elm class and we look forward to seeing you there.



Harvest Festival

The children will be celebrating Harvest in the church on Tuesday afternoon. Reception, Years 1 & 2's service will be at 1.30pm and Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 at 2.15pm. We will be collecting food for the local food bank. Each class will take a box of food to the church. Please send in something suitable for the food bank, such as tins, packets or dried food (in date), but no fresh food please.

Year 6 are visiting Highbridge Library on Monday.

Fir and Chestnut Classes are going to Tesco on Friday 7th to take part in a Farm to Fork trail about healthy eating.



We also have the African Choir visiting us on Friday. This will be a real treat.

Our kitchen are having a special themed menu on Thursday next week—'Howdy Cowboy' Cheesy Nacho starter, Bangers & Beans with crusty bread (or Veggie Ranch Burger with salad), decorated cowboy hat for afters—please book your meal at the office. This has replaced the previous fish finger option.





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Clubs

Spaces are still available in the following Clubs:

Football for Years 4 - 6 on a Monday

Football for Years 1 - 3 on a Friday (this will be moved to Thursdays from next week)

Tennis for Year 1 - 6 on a Wednesday

Dodgeball for Year 3 - 6 on a Tuesday

Please come to the office to complete a form with payment.



You will only be contacted if your child DOESN'T have a place on the course, so please remind your child on the day, that they have a Club after school.

Forthcoming Events

Monday 3rd October —Year 6 visit Highbridge Library

Tuesday 4th—Harvest Service in the Church

Tuesday 4th - Monday 10th October - Scholastic Book Fair in Elm Class

Thursday 6th October—Special themed menu—'Howdy Cowboy'

Friday 7th—Year 1 visit to Tesco for Farm to Fork Healthy Eating Trail & The African Choir are visiting school

Thursday 20th October - Larch & Oak Class Trip to Caerleon Roman Museum

Wednesday 2nd November - Years 1, 2 & 3 Flu Vaccination

Monday 7th November - School & Nursery's Family and Individual Photos

Thursday 17th November - Reception Vision Testing

Friday 25th November - Year 6 Trip to Coldharbour Mill

Inset Days: Friday 21st October, Tuesday 8th November & Monday 24th July

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Respect
Acceptance & friendship
Independence
Selflessness
Empathy & compassion

ASPIRE Learners:

Ask questions
Solve problems
Practise skills
Investigate solutions
Remember facts
Engage in learning

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