



Twyford St Mary's School Bell



18th October 2024

Dear TSM families,

What a busy week we have had this week at school. On Monday, Willow class welcomed members of the Jude's Ice Cream management team to their class to showcase the exciting new flavours and pot designs they have been working on over the past few weeks. I think Jude's were very impressed by the flavours and designs on offer and after much deliberation choose a winning design from Sienna. They really liked her idea for carrot cake flavoured ice cream and who knows we may see it on the supermarket shelves in the future. The team also kindly bought a host of ice cream flavours along with them for the children to sample! You can read more about the event from our budding journalists below.

Then on Thursday, the whole school walked over to St Mary's Church for our annual Harvest Festival. It was great to see the church so full and I thought the children put on a brilliant performance and also delivered some powerful messages about the work of the basics bank. Thank you to everyone that made a donation for our collection for them.

Next week doesn't get any less busy with Year 6 very excited to head off on their residential to Calshot and Sycamore class showcasing their Egyptian museum to parents.

Have a great weekend.

Neil Tunncliffe
Headteacher

★ Star of the Week! ★

Ash	Kiaan	For being a wonderful role model during the Harvest Festival.
Beech	Barnaby	For creativity and artistic skills in making his Harvest Artwork.
Sycamore	Aoife	For singing her heart out during the Harvest service and bringing joy to all those around her
Willow	Clara	For being an excellent reader in our Harvest service and representing our class beautifully.
Yew	AJ	For originality and high quality writing when completing a biography on Harriet Tubman.



Roll of Honour

Ash	Evie	For showing respect and listening in PE.
Beech	Toby	For showing our core value of joy during our harvest service with some brilliant singing!
Sycamore	Madeleine	Doing a fantastic job of exploring the features of Ancient Egyptian death masks and showing tremendous perseverance when designing her own.
Willow	Ayla L-D	For showing amazing independence in her maths this week and demonstrating excellent perseverance in her learning!
Yew	Eva Lucy Ollie	To the spiritual ambassadors for showing super teamwork preparing the Harvest Festival script and courage when leading our service so brilliantly.

This week in worship.....

We have continued our theme of love. We learnt that the word love is found over 300 times in the bible. We then discussed how we can love people that are far away from us and as we zoomed out on a map from Twyford we found out about children who have aunts, uncles and grandparents who live all around the globe but still loved them. We linked this to the story of the prodigal son and how the father in the story loved his son regardless of the mistakes he made or where he was in the world. On Thursday the whole school joined in our fantastic harvest celebration at St Mary's Church.

Ordering of School Photos

The last order date for ordering school photographs for school delivery is

5th November !



Scopay

Please ensure that all accounts are settled before the end of next week for Activity After School Clubs (Dodgeball, Friendly Football, Hockey, Homework club etc). Thank you!



Dinner Accounts (Sycamore, Willow and Yew)

Please ensure that dinner accounts are topped up with money / credit, so that it covers dinners for each week. **We ask that dinner accounts DO NOT go into arrears.**



Willow Class - Jude's Ice Cream Visit

"On Monday, Jude's Ice Cream MD came! It was so exciting and fun. They judged our hand-made ice cream pots and Sienna won! She got a Jude's Ice Cream Recipe book, water bottle and 3 Jude Vouchers! They brought Ice Cream that we were allowed to eat including Mint Choc Chip, Rose and Blue Vanilla! The Mint Choc Chip was the BEST. We all got a voucher as well and some people got Ice Cream pens. We all LOVED it!" Written by Henry and Esme, Willow Class.



Harvest

"On Thursday, we went to the church to perform at our annual Harvest Festival. Ash class sang an amazing song about what they do at Harvest time. Beech shared their favourite foods to eat. Sycamore put on a play on about the Bible story of 5 loaves and 2 fishes. Willow told us about local food and that some food has to come from far away so that we can enjoy food like Chocolate and Mangoes!

Finally, Yew class told us about the Winchester Basics Bank. A special thank you to Mr Tunnicliffe for his spectacular introduction and not forgetting Ms Cardinal and Spiritual Ambassadors (Eva, Lucy E and Ollie) for putting the whole Harvest Festival together!" By Anna M and Flora L, Yew Class.



Diary Dates

18th October - PTA Event, Glow Party Disco, KS1 4.15pm-5.15pm, KS2 5.30pm-6.30pm

21st - 25th October - Year 6 Residential Trip to Calshot

25th October - Last day of Autumn 1

28th, 29th, 30th October - October Half Term Holiday Club

4th November - First day of Autumn 2

4th November - Firework Spectacular, 5pm @ Hunter Park

29th November - INSET Day 2 - School closed to pupils

2nd December - INSET Day 3 - School closed to pupils

6th December - PTA Event, Christmas Fair and Non Uniform Day - Details to follow

11th December, 10am-11am - KS1 (Ash & Beech Classes) Nativity Performance 1 at the Church

12th December, 2pm-3pm - KS1 (Ash & Beech Classes) Nativity Performance 2 at the Church

12th December - Egyptian Workshop – Sycamore Class (Letter sent to parents 11/10/24)

17th December, 9.30am-10.30am - KS2 (Sycamore, Willow & Yew) Carol Service at the Church

20th December - PTA Event, Elf Emporium - Details to follow

20th December - Last day of Autumn 2

6th January - First day of Spring 1



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Please note that **NO** refreshments are available to purchase, except purchase of biscuits or sweets in the tuck shop.

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Please note that unfortunately dogs are not allowed on the site, except for assistance dogs.



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