

High Littleton Church of England Primary School Friday, 24th November 2023



Winter is coming...

Last Friday, we had the most wonderful Ramble in Greyfield Woods to mark 'Children in Need'. All of the children completed the walk and in doing so amassed nearly 10,000 steps (leg length dependent!). I am delighted to announce that your generous donations amounted to a little over £200 which goes directly to the charity. There is still time to donate via this <u>link</u>. Thank you to our local builder 'Biggs' who made a generous donation towards new high vis



jackets for the school, which were tried and tested on the ramble!

We also marked anti-bullying week by wearing odd socks for the day which reminds the children that it is okay to be different. The children had lessons and a collective worship dedicated to the theme where they discussed ways to cope with bullying and how best to support friends.

Well done to the Girls' Football team who performed so well at the annual tournament. There is a palpable positive vibe around girls' football here at High Littleton and I know several girls have recently joined a local club!

Many thanks to Mrs Platten who took a team of Year 4s and 5s to a cross-country event at Downside School! Well done to all of the children and congratulations to Roxy who won her race.



What's involved?

From the 1st and 24th of December, children can unlock the doors on their Winter Calendar/s by completing at least one exercise a day and collecting DoodleStars. Unlocking the doors will reveal surprise in-app rewards!

I would also like to thank the PTA who has supported us in purchasing over £1000 worth of books for our class book shelves! Please do support the PTA by attending the upcoming events so that we can continue to call upon them as a financial resource.

I was delighted by the number of children who completed our autumn DoodleMaths

Doodle has noticed that our l. Look out for the Calendar e they have completed their

and DoodleTables challenges. The team at Doodle has noticed that our school is using the platform extremely well. Look out for the Calendar which the children can open each day once they have completed their daily star challenge.



Christmas at High Littleton

All event tickets can be purchased via the <u>link.</u>

For calendar updates, please click <u>here.</u>



Date	Event	Class involved
Wednesday 29th November 7:30pm	PTA Wreath Making Workshop	Parents/Carers
Thursday 30th November 4:00-4:30pm	Paulton Benefice Carols @ Holy Trinity, Paulton	Y3
Friday 1st December	Christmas Arts Day Non Uniform Day (Bottle donations for tombola)	Whole school
Saturday 2nd December	Christmas Tree Delivery (pre-orders only via <u>link.</u>)	N/A
Tuesday 5th December 2pm Wednesday 6th December 6pm	Owl Class Nativity (School Hall)	Owl Class
Thursday 7th December	Theatre trip to Bristol Old Vic Consent/payment via Parentpay	Reception/KS1
Friday 8th December	Theatre Trip to The Egg Theatre Consent/payment via Parentpay	KS2
Saturday 9th December 4-6pm	PTA Christmas Fayre	N/A
Monday 11th December 2-3pm	KS1 Christmas Concert @ Holy Trinity, High Littleton	KS1
Tuesday 12th December 5:30pm	KS2 Christmas Concert @ Holy Trinity, High Littleton	KS2
Wednesday 13th December	Christmas Dinner Day Pre-orders via Parentpay	Whole School
Thursday 14th December 3:15pm-5:30pm	PTA Film Night (tickets to be purchased via <u>link.</u>)	Whole School
Friday 15th December 2pm	Senior Citizens Party in School Hall—	Y6
Sunday 17th December 6-7.30pm	Carol Service @ Holy Trinity Church, High Littleton	Mike Clay's Christmas Choir

PTA

Tickets for all PTA events can be purchased via the <u>link</u>.

- Purchase your tickets for the Christmas Fayre Santa Grotto via the link above
- PTA Film Night—all tickets to be ordered via the link above
- Raffle tickets stubs and money can be returned to the school office via the envelope provided. Please ensure all are returned by 8th December.
- Send in your Jolly Jam Jars via the school office



Sport Events

Girls Football

On Monday the 20th of November, 8 of our High littleton Y6 girls took part in a football tournament on the Norton Hill astro turf. Mr Gunning supervised and coached the team.

The girls participated in 3 football matches; their first game losing 2-1 against Paulton with Heidi scoring, their second match, they drew 0-0 against St Nicholas and their third match, winning 3-0 against Welton with Florence scoring one and Isabella scoring two. High Littleton did great and will have a lot more games to come.

Written by Bella and Florence

Year 4/5 Cross Country

On Tuesday, a group of 10 Year 4s and 10 Year 5s were invited to the Primary Schools Cross Country event in the grounds of Downside School. The children took part in a 1200m race against 7 other local primary schools.

High Littleton Children placed highly at the event; a special mention to Roxy who placed 1st in the Year 5 girls race, as well as Daisy who finished top 5. Sienna also placed in the top 5 of the Year 4 girls race.—well done!

Thank you to all the parents who supported with lifts and the children for their participation and effort.



Attendance

Please see below attendance for each class from September to today:

Owl	97.7%
Hedgehog	97.6%
Fox	94.5%
Badger	98.6%
Otter	97.7%
Robins	97.2%
Deer	98.4%
Total	97.3%



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Please check out the website. Click on the link below: www.highlittletonschool.com

Dates for your Diaries 2023-2024

Please click on the link below to take you to the 'Diary Dates' page and scroll down to see Club dates!

'Diary Dates/Clubs'

High Littleton Primary School is committed to working towards race equality, promoting positive approaches to difference and opposing all forms of racial prejudice and discrimination. Language or behaviour, which is racist or potentially damaging to any ethnic or racial group, is not tolerated and will always be challenged. We recognise that British society is made up of people from many different racial, cultural, linguistic and religious backgrounds and that all pupils must be fully prepared to live in such a diverse society.

Senior Citizens Party



Senior Citizens Party Friday 15th December 2023

1.30pm - 3pm



Guided tour of the school by Year 6 pupils Carol concert Tea/Coffee Mince pies

If you would like to come to our Senior Citizens Party, please contact the school on 01761 470622.



