



End of Autumn Term 2024 News



Our church school creates a firm foundation where together, with God's help and with the help of others, we learn for life, achieve our best and grow in faith

We have reached the end of a very busy term and there is a great deal for us to celebrate – your children have worked incredibly hard and have impressed us with their dedication and endeavour to achieve their best. Picasso started the term with their residential visit to Grafham where they demonstrated team spirit and determination whilst climbing and sailing. Kandinsky class spent a brilliant day at Flag Fen, consolidating their history learning and Monet class enjoyed a workshop with a visitor from the solar farm. Van Gogh have spent many afternoons in the Wild Wood, exploring and building in this beautiful space.

At the Christingle Service this morning, I mentioned the dedication of our staff team; every member of staff gives their all, taking on roles and responsibilities beyond expectation for the good of the school and the children – my sincere thanks to each and every one of them.

The children continue to impress us with the care and kindness that they show to one another. The buddies have been exceptional this term!

Thank you

Once again we are so grateful for the generosity of our parent community – the Christmas sweets and treats as well as teabags and jars of coffee have been very gratefully received in the staffroom. Thank you!

Please do look at our photo gallery for the term at the end of this newsletter!

Menu

The current menu will continue into the Spring term, starting on week two when we return after Christmas. Please see attached for the new dates.

Clubs

Rise and Shine club

For the remainder of this academic year, our Rise and Shine Club will be run by staff from Daisies so **all children** will be in the hall and **not** in the Daisies building. Mrs Contessa has loved running this club but due to family commitments will not be able to run it for the remainder of the year.

Our families who currently go to Daisies for Rise and Shine will continue to be invoiced by them and children who attend the school Rise and Shine will continue to be invoiced by school.

After School Clubs

Clubs will start week beginning 13th January. All clubs run from 3.20pm – 4.20pm. Please collect your children from the playground as normal with the exception of Daisies who need to be collected at the nursery building. For all clubs please see attached flyers. We haven't received flyers from all of our clubs providers but will forward these in early January when we do receive them.

Please see below details:

Day	Provider	Focus	Years	How to book
Monday	Primary Sports Stars	Team Games & Ball Skills	Years 1 - 6	£5 per week Flyer to follow
Monday	Daisies Montessori	Construction	Years R, 1 & 2 (and older siblings)	See attached letter
Tuesday	Amy's Acros	Gymnastics	Years 1 - 6	£8.90 per week See attached flyer
Tuesday	Daisies Montessori	Puzzling	Years R, 1 & 2 (and older siblings)	See attached letter
Wednesday	HSSP	Football	Years 1 - 4	Flyer to follow
Wednesday	Daisies Montessori	Art/Craft	Years R, 1 & 2 (and older siblings)	See attached letter
Thursday	Talent Dance Academy	Dance club	Years 1 - 6	£5.50 per week See attached flyer
Thursday	Daisies Montessori	Board games	Years R, 1 & 2 (and older siblings)	See attached letter
Thursday	Primary Sports Stars	Multi-skills	Years 1 - 6	£5 per week Flyer to follow



THANK YOU to our special **STARS** committee for all the fun this term!

From the welcome picnic for our new Reception families, Camp fire cook out, Wreath making, the Elf Experience workshop, Raffle, Elfridges shop and Breakfast with Santa.! We are very lucky to have such a hard working group of parents! Thank you!!



Diary Dates Spring 2025

Dates highlighted in grey are local Church services and not school church services.

*Dates in **bold italic** are new dates since the previous newsletter*



Date	Event
21 st Dec 2024 to 5 th Jan 2025	Christmas Holiday
6 th January 2025	Training day – school closed
7 th January 2025	Spring Term Opens
3 rd February 2025	Young Voices 2025 at the O2
11 th February 2025	Vision screening for Van Gogh Class
12 th February 2025	Van Gogh and Monet trip to the theatre to see The Gruffalo
17 th February –21 st February 2025	Half-Term
27 th February	Year 6 Rotary Quiz 7pm
4 th April 2025	Spring term Closes
22 nd April 2025	Training day – school closed
23 rd April 2025	Summer Term Opens
5 th May 2025	May Day Bank Holiday – school closed
26 th May –30 th May 2025	Half-Term
2 nd June 2025	Training day – school closed
23 rd July 2025	Summer Term Closes

A few pictures from our busy Autumn Term 2024



**Picasso Class
Graham Residential**



**Kandinsky
trip to
Flag Fen**



**Royal British Legion
Poppy Appeal raised
£169.15**



**Picasso went to see The Lion,
the Witch and the Wardrobe.**

**Token reward – cookie
decorating**





2024 Nativity
Everyone loves a baby!



Santa Dash



**Our
Christingle
Service**

**The
collection
was £85.50**

Thank you



*We wish you all a
Merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year*

