

Yaxham Church of England (VA) Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As another busy week draws to a close I am pleased to bring exciting news. Alfred Francis Deary arrived on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November at 5.16pm. He weighed 6lbs3oz. They are both doing really well.



On Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November we will be supporting Children in Need. Children can come dressed in their 'Spotacular' outfits for a £1 donation. We look forward to seeing some fantastic outfits and having fun while we raise money on the day.

Special Awards this week:



Lillie for working hard on her phonics and reading



Harry for super independent working skills





#### Robins



Fia for working extremely hard all week, especially on her handwriting

### **Eagles**

Gabija for writing so much in English



## Writer of the Week

**Puffins** 

Ben

**Eagles** 

Natalie

#### Attendance

We still remain below 98% 🙂



**This week:** Eagles had the best attendance this week with 98.46%.

There will be a special reward for the first class achieving 100% this half term.

# Other Messages

#### Scholastic Book Fair

If you are looking for great children's books this Christmas this year, the Scholastic Book Fair will be with us from the 4<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> December. The school receives commission to spend on books so any support is greatly appreciated.

### Foodbank

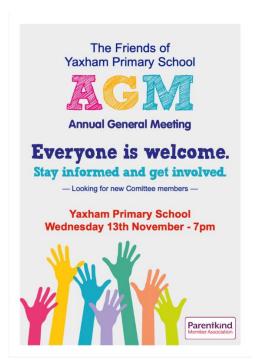
Our collection point is now ready in the school entrance and will be there throughout out the year. Please see the list below for suggestions of donations:

#### **URGENTLY NEEDED FOOD ITEMS**

- TINNED MEAT
- **PASTA**
- TINNED SOUP
- TINNED FRUIT
- TINNED RICE PUDDING
- LONG LIFE FRUIT JUICE
- SWEET TREATS
- SAVOURY SNACKS

#### **WE'VE GOT PLENTY OF**

- TEA
- TOILETRIES
- TINNED VEGETABLES



Please don't forget our Friends AGM on Wednesday, it would be great to see as many parents as possible. The committee is a fantastic support to the school and ensures we can do so much more than we would otherwise with ever tightening budgets. It is really helpful having a wide range of members with different skills and experience so please come along and find out more.



Our Friends have been busy planning events for Christmas. The disco will take place on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December. Tickets are available from the school office.

### Times Table Rock Stars

You may have seen that your child now has a login and password for TTRS. The government expectation is that children should know all of their times tables by the end of year 4. We spend a lot of time learning and practising times tables at school. This resource gives children a fun

way to practise at home but there is no compulsion to do so. In KS1 children will be given a login and password as they show that they are ready.

Best wishes,

Jennie Müller

# Dates for your diary:

Monday 11th November 2019 Remembrance Service – Parents Welcome 10.50am

Parents Evening 3.30-5.30pm

Tuesday 12th November 2019 Parents Evening 4.30-6.30pm

Wednesday 13th November 2019 Eagles Swimming

Friends of Yaxham Primary School AGM 7pm

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2019 – Children in Need

Wednesday 20th November 2019 Eagles Swimming

Ducklings trip to Norwich Playhouse

Wednesday 27th November 2019 Eagles Swimming

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2019 Decorations Day (for children) – Children to wear clothes you don't mind getting messy! (No parent's assembly)

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2019 – Eagles Swimming

Scholastic Book Fair – Books will be on sale daily until 10<sup>th</sup>

December

Nativity Dress rehearsal 2pm

Nativity Performance 6pm

Thursday 5th December 2019 - Nativity Performance 6pm

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2019 – Family Friday 2.30pm

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2019 – Eagles Swimming

Friday 13th December 2019 - 2.30pm Carol Service at the school, families welcome

Wednesday 18th December 2019 - Last Day of term

## Messy Church at Yaxham School



The after-school club starts again on Thursday 12th September, 2019 from 3.30pm-4.15pm at school

Dates for this term: 12th & 26th September, 10th & 31st October, 14th & 28th November, 12th December.

A time for Bible stories, craft activities and games

For more details ring Rev Sally 01362 692745



### ALL SAINTS' CHURCH MATTISHALL

9.00am -10.30am

SATURDAY - 7TH SEPTEMBER

SATURDAY - 5TH OCTOBER

SATURDAY - 2ND NOVEMBER

SATURDAY - 7TH DECEMBER

(£2 per family)

A fun time for guys to play with their young children and enjoy

bacon butties/toast/hot and cold drinks

For all males with babies and children upto and including School Year 1