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18th October 2019

Dear Parent and Carers,

As we draw to the end of a jam-packed half term, staff and friends are already busy planning for the run up to Christmas! Everyone has certainly earned the half-term break.

The children made us very proud on our visit to the church this week. They enjoyed having the opportunity to explore the building and ask lots of questions. A big thanks to the children in Robins and Eagles who walked really sensibly alongside the younger children. We are looking forward to visiting again in December.

Ducklings

Evie for always being really kind and helpful

Puffins

Annabel for working really hard on her spelling

Robins

Verity for working really hard all work, particularly on her writing

Eagles

Liam for making good decisions at playtime

Writer of the Week

Puffins

Annabella

Eagles

Chloé D

Music Star

Lucy H, Jasmine, Millie, Charlotte, Isabelle B, Isaac, Chloe G, Jude, Chloé D, Freya Noah and Elizabeth

Attendance

We still remain below 98% 😞

This week: Robins had the best attendance this week with 97.74%.

There will be a special reward for the first class achieving 100% after 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 4th-10th December. The school receives commission to spend on books so any support is greatly appreciated.



It would be great to see as many parents as possible at the Friends of Yaxham Primary School Annual General Meeting in November. 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.

NHS

Just a reminder that you must opt in or out online for hearing and vision checks as well as immunisations.

Thank you for all of those eagle-eyed parents who have spotted my random mistakes in the diary dates over the last few weeks, my only defence is writing this on a Friday! Please do

check if you think something isn't quite right or doesn't include a time! We will always try our best to give you as much notice as possible for special events.

Best wishes for a restful half term, we look forward to seeing you back on Monday 28th October.

Jennie Müller

Dates for your diary:

Friday 18th October 2019 School closes for half term

Monday 28th October 2019 Children return to school

Wednesday 30th October 2019 Eagles Swimming

Thursday 31st October 2019 KS2 Cross Country (Invite only)

Friday 1st November 2019 NHS Immunisations

Monday 4th November 2019 YR & Y6 Height & Weight Screening

Reception Hearing & Vision checks

Wednesday 6th November 2019 Eagles Swimming

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

Wednesday 20th November 2019 Eagles Swimming

Wednesday 27th November 2019 Eagles Swimming

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

Wednesday 4th December 2019 – Eagles Swimming

Scholastic Book Fair – Books will be on sale daily until 10th

December

Nativity Dress rehearsal 2pm

Nativity Performance 6pm

Thursday 5th December 2019 - Nativity Performance 6pm

Friday 6th December 2019 – Family Friday 2.30pm

Wednesday 11th 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

The Bright Party

Thursday 31st October

5.30pm - 7.00pm

All Saints Church, Mattishall

Free refreshments,
games, crafts,
sweets & treats

For anyone of any age
(children must be accompanied by an adult)

We love dressing up but
no Halloween costumes please

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**