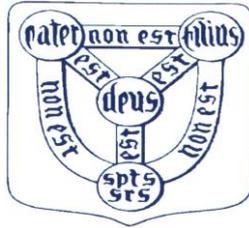


Shellingford CE (A) Primary School

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"Inspiring hearts and minds"

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Value for the next two weeks: Forgiveness

And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

The Lord's Prayer

Dear Shellingford School Family,

Thank you for supporting **THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION'S POPPY APPEAL**; a wonderful **£206.41** was raised by the school community. The Royal British Legion wish to send their heartfelt thanks for your very generous donations.

The **CHILDREN IN NEED** appeal raised a grand total of **£141.00**. Thank you also for supporting this very worthy appeal. Here is a photograph of Class 2 taking part in the Great Shellingford Pudsey Run:



We have had a very positive **ANTI-BULLYING WEEK** which this year has focused on '**United Against Bullying**.' Across the school we have been delivering lessons, assemblies and different cross-activities to encourage the children to think about how we can unite to address bullying both online and offline. We have also been discussing our child-friendly Anti-Bullying Policy, which is being displayed in each classroom and has also been sent home via the children's book-bags.

SCHOOL MEALS – SPRING TERM

OCC will be continuing to provide the option of packed lunches for children in the Spring Term. We will be setting up the meal plan for next term for parents to book meals and make their payment in due course.

RE AND WORSHIP QUESTIONNAIRES FOR PARENTS

Please can I ask if you would kindly set aside a few moments to complete our RE and CW questionnaire (attached.) All church schools receive an inspection to evaluate how well the school's Christian ethos and values impact on the development and achievement of the children. We would appreciate your views and welcome your suggestions. Please either email your completed questionnaires to the School Office or post them in the box by the school gate. Thank you.

SEPTEMBER 2021 FOUNDATION STAGE (RECEPTION) ADMISSIONS

A reminder for anyone with siblings or anyone with pre-school children that we are taking appointments to view the school for September 2021 Foundation Stage (Reception) places. Please contact the School Office.

Parents are required to complete an online application by the 15th January 2021 through the Oxfordshire Local Authority www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/admissions (please see the information attached). Shellingford is a very popular school and does get highly subscribed. Although there still appears to be a perception that there is a high demand for places this shouldn't put people off applying.

FRIENDS OF SHELLINGFORD SCHOOL (FOSS)

Our **Fancy Dress Competition** took place during half-term. Well done to the following children:

Class 1: 1st prize - George White

Class 2: 1st prize - Ella Cocks; 2nd prize - Finlay Jackson; 3rd prize - Seth Dorey

Class 3: 1st prize - Jemima Middleton; 2nd prize - Freddie Cocks; 3rd prize - Evie Dorey

Class 4: 1st prize - Annabel Whalley; 2nd prize - Saffron Middleton; 3rd prize - Ava Anderson

On the run up to the Christmas we will be holding a **weekly Festive Stall on Friday at 3.00pm** outside the school on the green. There will be tree decorations, wreath-making kits, cooking jars, sweet cones and other delights to buy – please remember to bring your money! Thank you for your support.

With best wishes,

Judith R Terrell

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