

A Delightful Performance

We kicked off the festive celebrations this week with our Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) Nativity on Tuesday and Wednesday. The performances were heartwarming, and we extend our gratitude to the families who joined us. It was a lovely to see our youngest pupils shine on stage and perform with such confidence.



Photo: Foxes class prepare for the Reindeer Run

Reindeer Run: A Trot with Antlers and Smiles

Despite the occasional rain shower, Thursday's Reindeer Run was a great success! Every child, including those in Nursery, adorned their antlers and took to the track with enthusiasm. We were joined by a representative from Thames Hospice, who has previously supported some of our families. Keep an eye out for a snapshot of this memorable event in the Maidenhead Advertiser.

Christmas Unwrapped Adventures

Wolves class embarked on a festive journey to St. Mary's Church as part of their "Christmas Unwrapped" event for local schools. Next Wednesday, Years 1 – 6 will be visiting the church for an advent service. We would like to invite parents and carers to join us. The service will start at approx. 1.30 p.m. Thank you Rev. Dave for inviting us!

Christmas Tree Competition

This year we are once again taking part in the St Luke's Christmas Tree Festival held at the church between Friday 8th and Sunday 10th December 2023. Our tree will be on display and has been decorated by all year groups using recycled materials. In 2021 and 2022, our school won the online vote for best tree. It would be wonderful to repeat this in 2023! You can visit the festival at St. Luke's church this weekend.

Virtual Christmas

This week Robins, Foxes and Otters classes enjoyed taking part in a virtual Victorian Christmas workshop run by Reading Museum. During the session the children learnt about how the Victorians started many traditions we still hold today such as the Christmas tree, Christmas crackers and Christmas pudding. The session was fully interactive and ended with the singing of traditional Victorian Christmas carols.

Owls out in the community

Our Owls class took a stroll to the local postbox to send off their letters to Father Christmas. They also visited the local community center, spreading holiday joy through song to some of the older members of our community.



Photo: Children in Owls preparing to post their letters to Father Christmas



Photo: Children preparing to sing at Woodlands Park Community Centre

We still have a number of events taking place next week

A delicious Christmas lunch awaits our pupils on Thursday, adding a touch of festive flavor to their day. On the same day, we invite everyone to don their most festive sweaters for Christmas Jumper Day.



Photo: Our St. Luke's competition entry

When you collect your child on Thursday afternoon, be prepared for a festive treat—pupils will be singing carols on the playground from 3.15p.m. Bring your singing voices with and join in! The PTA will also be selling festive refreshments.

Early Finish on the Final Day

As we bid farewell to this term, please note that we will finish slightly earlier at 1:15 pm on the final day of term, Friday 15th December.