

Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News



This term our Values focus on Compassion <https://crockerton.wilts.sch.uk/>

The children have done so well during this Christmas time again. It is the end of a long term, and these last few weeks are always busy and exciting. Potters and Thatchers children did brilliantly last week to share the Christmas story. Christchurch was a perfect venue. A huge thank you to the Friends who offered Mulled Wine and Mince Pies – about £300 was raised that will go towards Trip Travel for the classes.

Weavers and Foresters also held a wonderful Carol Service on Wednesday night at Longbridge Deverill's St Peters and St Pauls. I was sorry to miss it but Mrs Woodley was proud of you all – reading and singing confidently. Thank you for our Foodbank donations – the money and food will be passed onto the Foodbank today!

Today, the children have been thinking about Spirituality at Christmas - taking time to consider the importance of Christmas and how it can bring hope, love, peace, and joy into the world. Please do ask your children about their activities. This includes our Winter Walk looking at the wonderful local environment and signs of Christmas and Winter.

This week, we also had another Fire Practice. We had to remind the children about the importance of leaving classrooms silently and quickly. Lining up and responding to the register, quickly, loudly and by raising their arm too.

We had a wonderful Christmas Lunch for staff and children on Tuesday. The children thoroughly enjoyed the food – some saying that the gravy is better than at home! Mr Lesley, who has been working in Foresters recently, actually enjoyed his very first British Christmas Dinner! Thank you to all staff who worked their lunch time to serve up around 65 Christmas Lunches – and then cleared the classrooms, ready for the afternoon.

A huge thank you for all the cards and gifts given to staff this Christmas – it is very kind and generous of you all. Staff have enjoyed a steady flow of biscuits and chocolates in the staffroom, this week!

Have a wonderful Christmas – May this Christmas holiday sparkle with joy, overflow with love, and bring harmony to all! I am certainly looking forward to spending some quality time with my whole family.

We return on Tuesday 6th January (We have a staff training day on Monday)
A reminder please to rename all uniform and coats so that it can be returned to your child.

Be joyful. Grow to maturity. Encourage each other. Live in peace and harmony.
2 Corinthians 13:11