



Pyrford Church of England Primary School

17 November 2017

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Good morning. Well it is definitely a fresh morning! No doubt the day will bring much excitement especially as the children are wearing mufti. Thank you to everyone for supporting the day by sending in donations for the Christmas Fayre. It is also Children in Need day and whilst we aren't directly raising money for the charity, we are acknowledging the day by talking about it with the children and the kitchen are making Pudsey Bear biscuits for lunch.

Another thanks to parents who warmly supported the book sale we held this week. We sold just over £1600 of books which in turn gives the school over £1000 to spend on books for the children. This type of event really helps to boost our resources.

The author Kerry Gibb visited the school this week and had a captivated audience. The children loved her visit and were mesmerised when she was reading from her book and describing characters. The children also asked some fantastic questions.

Following the display in church last weekend of the Remembrance mosaics, we have been contacted with an offer to display them in the Lightbox Gallery in Woking. The children were thrilled to hear that their work had been so well appreciated and even more excited at the prospect of it possibly being put on display in the future for more people to see. Year 5 are culminating all the work they have been doing about World War I with a visit to the Imperial War Museum in London next week.

We have lots of experiential learning activities taking place next week, including an able writers author day as well as a Roman and Celts day for Year 3. Reception classes have also been enjoying their Igloo role play area - it has been the highlight of their week! Please see the pics of it overleaf.

This week has been Anti-bullying Week and we have spent a lot of time talking to children about what this means and who we should talk to. Hopefully the children are all fully aware of our job to keep them safe in school and that we are always here to support them and listen to them. I was impressed with their understanding of the school and its support systems when I led assembly on Monday.

We held prospective parents talks and tours this week with over 100 people visiting. The House Captains in school did a fantastic job of showing visitors around the school and explaining everything that happens here. The children spoke about the school with such pride and many of the visitors made a point of telling me how impressed they were with the children.

Finally, just to thank everyone for bearing with us this week. We have had a lot of sickness in the school along with Scarlet Fever and Hand, Foot and Mouth. Whilst our staff are fairly resilient to germs, even they have been struck down this week and we've had a lot of staff illness. However we've covered all lessons from experienced staff within the school. In fact, I'm writing this early as I need to make sure I'm fully up to speed with my Year 6 maths teaching for Laurel class this morning! Hopefully we'll be back to a full house next week.

Wishing you all a good weekend.

Kathryn Krynicki
Headteacher

Congratulations to our Golden Book winners

Squirrels - Henry Pocock for tidying up and helping without being asked to!

Hazel - Annabel Hutton for being a kind and thoughtful friend.

Beech - Oscar Murray for being a very kind friend.

Chestnut - Grace Freeman for super neat handwriting.

Oak - Finlay Hallows for super writing.

Cedar - Millie Henson for trying her best all the time.

Hawthorn - Sophia Seedat for an amazing drawing of Florence Nightingale.

Elm - Fatima Hussain for fantastic effort and progress, especially in spelling, reading and maths.

Juniper - Daniyal Khan for great effort in Maths. Fantastic column addition work.

Maple - Dua Atiq for thoughtful work about Paul's conversion on the road to Damascus.

Alder - Daniel Lambkin for a great effort in sketching facial features in Art.

Larch - Beau Robinson for a great effort in sketching facial features in Art.

Cherry - Momna Najaf for a diary entry which conveyed emotion and contained accurate complex sentences.

Rowan - Katie Bushen for writing two fantastic contrasting diary entries.

Willow - Toby Rubie for a fantastic diary entry as a character from the piano.

Laurel - Maddy Rashbrook for an excellent river poster in topic, full of interesting information.

Holly - Fatima Ahmed for an informative and beautifully illustrated poster on the Amazon river.

*I am
the Light
of the World*
John 8:12



In assembly next week we are thinking about Jesus saying
I am the light of the world

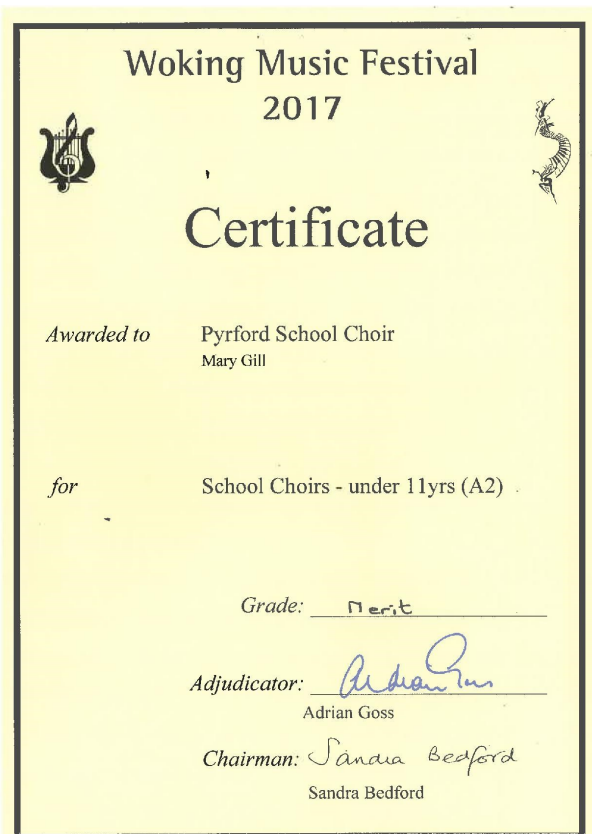
Icy blasts have swept over Hazel class and have created the perfect conditions for building an igloo. Thank you to all the parents who brought in milk bottles, especially Charlie Wilson's mum who brought sack loads from Waitrose coffee shop! Also thank you to Mrs Beal and Miss Wyborn who gave up their free time to stay late into the night to finish building it for the children.



On Tuesday evening 50 children from our school choir took part in the Woking Music Festival. There were 5 different school choirs taking part and each choir went up on stage to perform 2 songs. They were then judged and awarded a certificate and a grade. We did not win the competition (maybe next year!) but all the children sang beautifully and were a credit to Pyrford School.



Up Periscope! Year 6 can see around corners!



CONSULTATION ON THE SCHOOL'S ADMISSIONS ARRANGEMENTS FOR 2019/20

The governors are consulting as they propose making changes to the arrangements, mainly relating to church attendance (criteria 6 & 8).

To increase the school's inclusivity they wish to widen the definition of church from 'Anglican' to 'Christian', defined as being any church which is a member of Churches Together in Britain and Ireland. At the same time, the requirement to be a member of a church electoral roll would be removed, as the 12 months' attendance required in relation to school admission is longer than that required to join the church electoral roll.

In order to ensure greater accuracy in the worship attendance records and in the interests of fairness and clarity for parents, governors wish to introduce a Supplementary Information Form which requires a parent(s) to have their form signed by the minister/churchwarden twice each month of the relevant 12 month period, to prove their church attendance. This will give parents control over the monitoring of their attendance at church and enable them to demonstrate that they have met the requirements of the school's admissions policy.

Governors also wish to remove Tots Praise from the list of services deemed to constitute worship within the Ecclesiastical Parish of Wisley with Pyrford. Tots Praise is essentially a social gathering for young children, whereas the school's admissions policy is concerned with the attendance of parents at church for the purpose of worship. After consultation with the church, the active worship element of Tots Praise was not considered of sufficient substance and governors believe that 4 O'clock Church is now a valid service for those unable to attend church on a Sunday morning.

Additional maps have also been added to the Admissions Policy for the purposes of clarity, together with reference to the Parish Finder section of the Church of England website 'A Church Near You' in relation to determining parish boundaries, <http://www.achurchnearyou.com/parishmap.php>

The Admissions Policy and the Supplementary Information Forms are available on the school website - click the link on the home page.

Any comments should be addressed to the Chair of Governors, Mrs Julia Lamaison, and delivered to the school address below.

Comments can also be made by email to c.anderson@pyrford.surrey.sch.uk marked for the attention of Mrs Lamaison.

The consultation period ends on Wednesday 10th January 2018.

SCHOOL DATES FOR 2017—2018 ACADEMIC YEAR

Description	Date	Time
Willow & Cherry to Imperial War Museum	Tue 21 November	
Secret Santa Donations to school	Wed 22 November	at drop off
SEN Parents Meetings	Wed 22 November	15:30 - 17:30
Rowan Class to Imperial War Museum	Thu 23 November	
Y3 Romans & Celts Day	Fri 24 November	
Friends' Christmas Fayre	Sat 25 November	
Christmas Tree Sale	Sat 2 December	10:00 - 13:00
Bag 2 School collection	Mon 11 December	
KS1 Christmas Production	Tue 12 December	14:00
Squirrels Sing Christmas	Tue 12 December	15:15
Larch class to Guildford Museum	Wed 13 December	
KS1 Christmas Production	Wed 13 December	10:00
Squirrels Sing Christmas	Wed 13 December	15:15
Alder class to Guildford Museum	Thu 14 December	
FS Christmas Production	Thu 14 December	14:00
KS2 Carol Concert in church	Fri 15 December	14:00
KS2 Carol Concert in church	Mon 18 December	19:00
Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day	Tue 19 December	
Christmas Lunch	Tue 19 December	
FS & KS1 Christmas Parties	Wed 20 December	14:00
Junior Christmas Disco	Wed 20 December	18:30 - 20:00
School Christmas Service at CoGS	Thu 21 December	09:30
Last Day of Autumn Term	Thu 21 December	finish at 13:30
Christmas Holidays	22 December to 3 January	
INSET Day	Thu 4 January	
INSET Day	Fri 5 January	
First Day of Spring Term	Mon 8 January	
Primary Admissions deadline	Mon 15 January	
Yr 3 class to Pizza Express	Tue 16 January	
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Yr 3 class to Pizza Express	Thu 18 January	
Yr 5 to Shah Jahan Mosque	Thu 25 January	morning
o2 Young Voices Concert	Tue 30 January	
Spring Half term	12 - 16 February	
Yr 6 Greek workshop	Thu 22 February	
Yr 4 class to Synagogue	Wed 7 March	
Yr 4 class to Synagogue	Thu 8 March	
Yr 2 to Brooklands Museum	Wed 14 March	
Yr 5 Residential to Fairthorne Manor	Mon 26 - Thu 29 March	
School Easter Service at CoGS	Thu 29 March	09:30
Last Day of Spring Term	Thu 29 March	finish at 13:30
Easter Holidays	2 - 13 April	
First Day of Summer Term	Mon 16 April	
Yr 1 to Nower Wood	Tue 17 April	
Reception to Ladyland Farm	Fri 20 April	
Yr 5 Viking workshop	Mon 23 April	
Yr 4 Residential to Hindleap Warren	Mon 23 - Wed 25 April	
Yr 3 (part) Residential to High Ashurst	Mon 30 April - Tue 1 May	
Yr 4 Tropical Zoo	Wed 2 May	
May Bank Holiday	Mon 7 May	

Description	Date	Time
Yr 3 (part) Residential to High Ashurst	Tue 8 - Wed 9 May	
SATs Week	14 - 18 May	
Yr 4 Bikeability Course	Wed 23 - Thu 24 May	
Summer Half term	28 May - 1 June	
Yr 6 Bikeability Course	Mon 4 - Fri 8 June	
Yr 2 to The Lookout Discovery Centre	Tue 12 June	
Yr 4 to Wisley	Wed 13 June	
Yr 6 Residential to Gaveston Hall	18 - 22 June	
PTA Masked Ball at Brooklands	Fri 22 June	
Yr 3 class to Henley Fort	Mon 25 June	
Yr 6 Leavers' Service at Guildford Cathedral	Mon 25 June	12:30
Yr 3 class to Henley Fort	Tue 26 June	
Yr 3 class to Henley Fort	Wed 27 June	
Yr 5 Bikeability Course	Mon 2 - Wed 4 July	
Seconday School Induction Days	Tue 3 and/or Wed 4 July	
Yr 2 Pedals Course	Thu 5 July	
FS & KSI Sports Day	Tue 10 July	am
KS2 Sports Day	Thu 12 July	
Leavers' Service at CoGS	Fri 20 July	09:30
Last Day of Summer Term	Fri 20 July	finish at 13:30
INSET DAY	Mon 23 July	


Angels
Family Fun

You're invited to:

- An incredible display of over 100 angels created by our church schools
- Free, child-friendly, angel-themed crafts
- Join our choir to sing a fabulous finale of 'Hark! the Herald Angels Sing'

Sunday 3rd December
1:30pm – 3:30pm
In the Nave
Free
Open to All

Contact:
 Charlotte Potter, Head of Schools
 and Family Learning
charlottep@guildford-cathedral.org
 01483 547880


 Diocese of
Guildford
 THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND



Fabulously Festive CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Only 1 week to
go.....
please join us on
Sat 25th Nov
11am to 2pm

Pyrford C of E Primary School

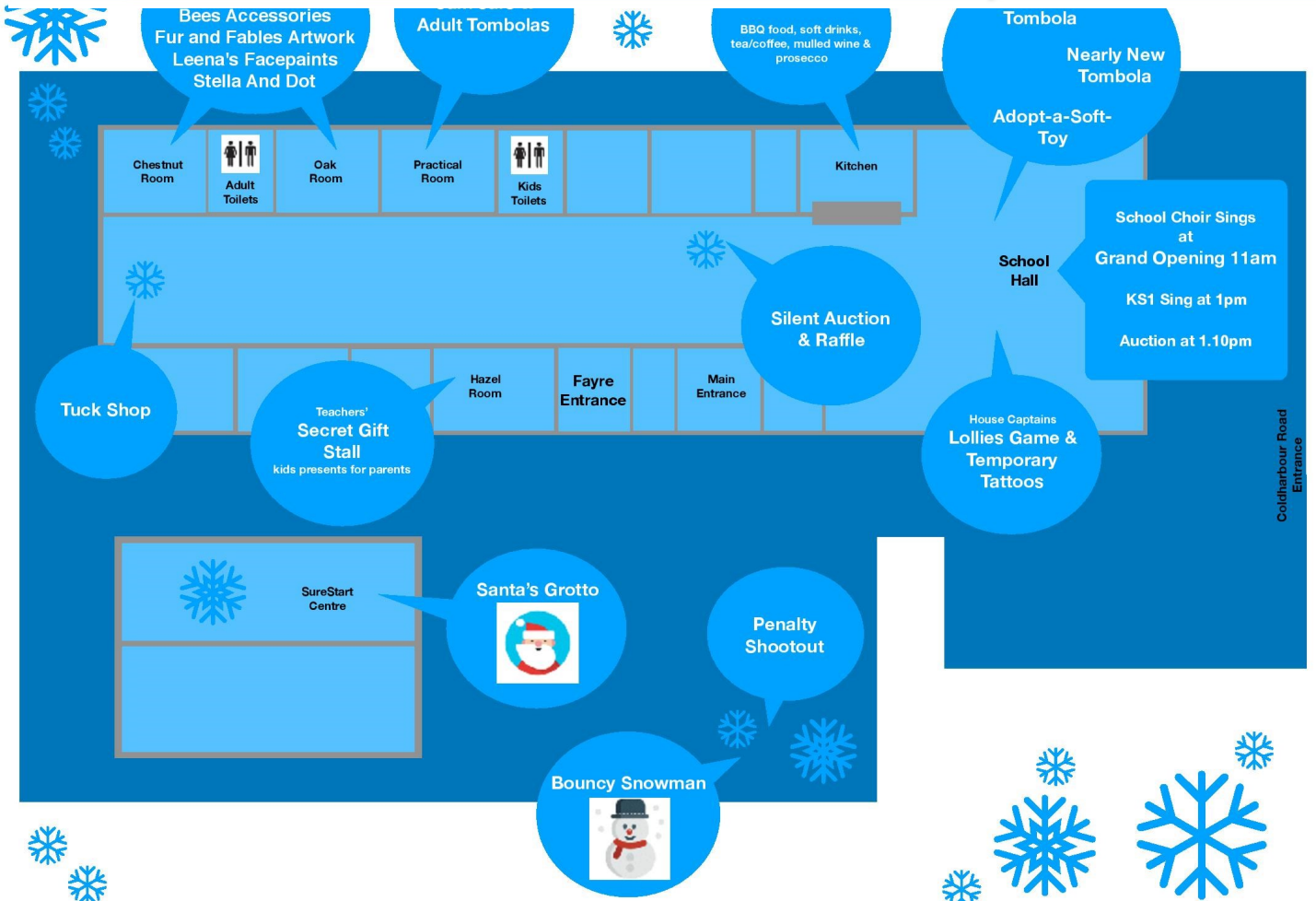
Don't miss out on all the festive fun we
have planned.....

Performances from the Choir and KS1
Tombola's galore
Delicious BBQ & refreshments
Minced pies and mulled wine
Santa's Grotto
Tuck Shop
Lollipop board & temporary tattoos
Soft toy adoption
Silent Auction and Raffle
Secret Santa & Christmas gift ideas
Face painting
Penalty shoot-out
Bouncy inflatable snowman



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for all your
support



	XMAS FAYRE SILENT AUCTION 25th NOV		email your bid(s)to mariefoden@live.co.uk
	Prize	Value	Restrictions
	*****STAR LOTS*****		
	1 Sony Cyber Shot Compact Camera WX500	£270	None
	2 Robin Hood Panto Woking, starring Shane Ritchie 4 tickets	£140	Maximum of 2 adults restricted dates and time apply- Dec dates 9th, 12, 13th, 19th 20th, 27th & 29th, Jan 2- 7th all performances
	3 Chessington World of Adventures 5 tickets - maximum 2 adults	£130	Valid for park opening 17 March 2018 until 31st October 2018
	4 London House 2 course meal for 4	£120	No restrictions call to book
	5 Creation Station half price 1 hr party plus goody bag	£110	See party pack
	6 M&S Hamper four wines plus Denbies Vintage wine tour for two people	£70	None
	Food & Drink		
	7 The Plough Inn Chobham, Fine Dining for 2 people	£100	Call to book
	8 The Maybury Inn - Gift Card	£25	No restrictions
	9 New Haweli Indian Restaurant West Byfleet two meal vouchers	£40	Mon- Thursday only excludes sea food, any starter, any main, any nan or rice
	10 The Anchor Pyrford Main meal for 2	£25	One main meal for two people maxium value £25
	11 Wine Hamper M&S 4 Bottles	£40	None
	12 Wine Hamper M&S 4 Bottles	£40	None
	Kids Health & Fitness		
	13 Martial Arts Academy Woking Leisure Centre 3 months membership	£170	Lil Nijas and Kids Mon, Tue, Thurs and Fri after 4pm Plus Saturday mornings
	14 Sport4kids	£130	One week pass Holiday camp 5+ Pyrford Primary valid until 31st August 2018
	15 Sport4kids	£30	4 x Football classes 18 months to 7 years

	Kids Education		
16	The Oxford & Cambridge Singing School	£80	For girls and boys age 7-13, St Nicholas Church, Guildford, 22nd Dec (all day) 23rd Dec (morning), mini concert for families at end of each day
17	Kumon English & Maths Tuition	£60	Call to book 1 month only new pupils only
18	E&E Performing Arts 1 week summer workshop	£70	Five day workshop book for Easter, Summer or October half term
19	Dance Shack	£108	One Term Free - new students only
	Trades & Services		
20	Eli - B	£40	Xmas Workshop 9th December Byfleet 2pm-5pm includes Mulled wine and Mince Pies!!!!
21	Maurice Mandry Christmas Tree Voucher	£25	To be used between 1st Dec and 24th December 2017
22	Rokers Animal Feeds & Tack Shop	£20	Voucher expires 31st May 2018
	Adults Health & Fitness		
23	David Lloyd Leisure	TBC	TBC
24	Infinity Zen Yoga	£50	One Hour Private Yoga Session
25	Woking 7 day pass 2 Adults	£85	Expires 30th December 2017
26	Nuffield 1 month membership & health MOT	£69	New Members Only
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29	Metafit 5 x30 min sessions, Ripley Court	£25	Mon, Thurs 7.15pm and Sat 9.30 am Ripley Court Tuesday 9pm Merrow Cricket Club
30	Top Golf Addlestone	£44	Voucher for two games for 4 people voucher expiry TBC
31	Twisted Stone Golf Club	TBC	
	Hair & Beauty		
32	Le Nails & Beauty West Byfleet	£25	No time restrictions
33	Synonymous Beauty	£110	Mobile hairdresser cut and colour - will travel to your home
	Keepsakes & Memorabilia		
34	Alphabino	£25	Framed Made to Order Personalised Alphabet Print
35	McClaren 33x23" Print plus McClaren storybook signed by Amanda McClaren plus McClaren cap, leather notebook, flask plus Fernando Alonso and Stoffel Vandoorne holographic photo	£150	See Prize Pack

36	Birdworld Voucher	£26	adult to be used 10/2/2018-28/10/2018
37	Brooklands Museum family day pass	£35	Family ticket Expires 31/12/2018 exludes premium events
38	Chobham Adventure day pass	£21	Two adults 2 children voucher expires 28/01/2018
39	Hobbledown day pass	£56	Family 1 day pass valid for 3 months
40	Jakes World day pass	£30	Family day voucher 2 adults 2 children valid until 28/2/2018
41	Mizens Railway voucher family of four	£16	Afternoon of free rides exludes Halloween, Santa Special and Oktoerfest
42	RHS Wisley plus sticker & Explorer books	£25	Two adult tickets use by 11 October 2018
	Children's Activities		
43	Craggy Island Guildford	£29	One taster session - adults or children valid until 25/10/2018
44	Little Golfers, Sandown	£22	New customers only - 2x1 hour group gold lesson for 1 child
45	Pitstop Promotons Guildford	£25	2 x 15-minute private pay and race sessions for up to 8 people
46	Pitstop Promotons Guildford	£25	2 x 15-minute private pay and race sessions for up to 8 people
47	Mr Mulligan's Pirate Golf	£28	One round of golf for up to five peope 1 adult 4 children or 2 adults 3 children valid until 31/3/2018
48	Laser Quest Woking	TBC	
49	Safari Adventure Golf	£26	Family day pass
50	Rokers Little Angels Soft Play	£14	90 minute session for 2 chidren height limit 4ft 10"
	Other		
51	Plants Vs Zombies Garden Warfare PS4	£16	None

Fabulously Festive
CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Raffle & Silent Auction

RAFFLE £1000 OF PRIZES

TICKETS TO ALTON TOWERS & DICK WHITTINGTON PANTO GUILDFORD, BRAMBLE FARM TURKEY FRESH TO ORDER, AMAZON DOT ECHO, BEATS BY DR DRE HEADPHONES, LUXURY HAMPER & WINE HAMPERS PLUS LOTS MORE FESTIVE PRIZES...

SILENT AUCTION £3000 OF PRIZES

SONY CYBERSHOT WX500 CAMERA, FIVE TICKETS TO CHESSINGTON WORLD OF ADVENTURE, ROBIN HOOD PANTO TICKETS STARRING SHANE RITCHIE IN WOKING

FAMILY DAYS OUT AT BROOKLANDS MUSEUM, CHOBHAM ADVENTURE, MIZENS RAILWAY...

DINNER FOR 4 AT THE LONDON HOUSE WEST BYFLEET, MEALS AT THE PLOUGH INN COBHAM, NEW HAWELI, WEST BYFLEET AND THE ANCHOR, PYFORD

GYM PASSES FOR NUFFIELD HEALTH, WOKING LEISURE CENTRE & DAVID LLOYD PLUS MUCH MORE!

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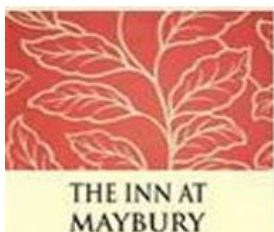


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Byfleet & Woking businesses supporting the school



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& Mini Farm


E & E PERFORMING ARTS

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More Surrey Businesses supporting the school.....

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Christmas Trees

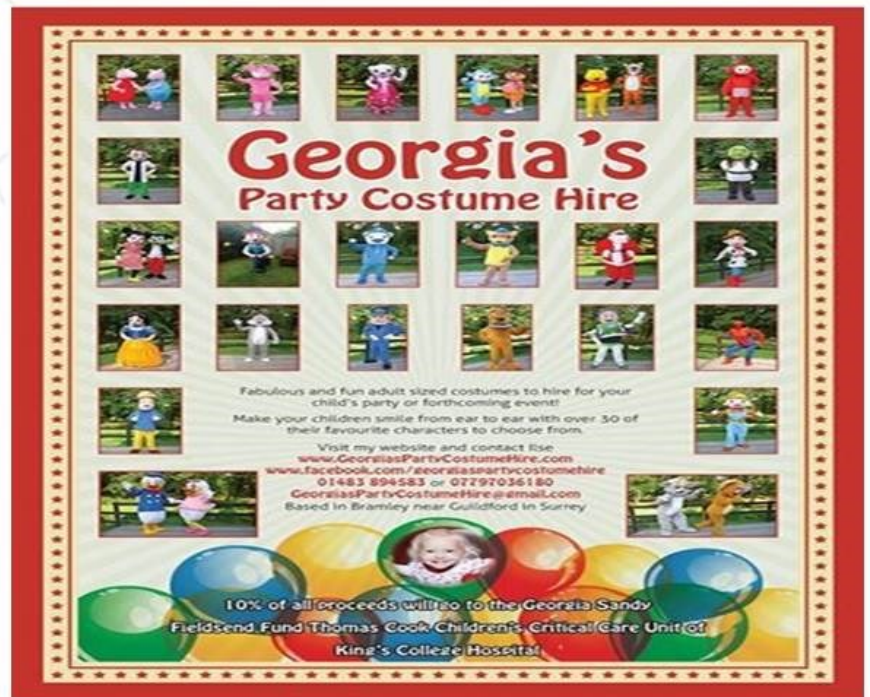
NEW VICTORIA
THEATRE
WOKING

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MARTIAL X ACADEMY

DANCE
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10% of all proceeds will go to the Georgia Sandy Fieldsend Fund Thomas Cook Children's Critical Care Unit of King's College Hospital

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50 local and national businesses are supporting the raffle & silent auction.....
Thanks to Pyrford Parents who have already been in touch, we are still looking for -

PERSONAL TRAINERS, CHEFS, TAXI DRIVERS, DRIVING INSTRUCTORS, PLUMBERS, GARDENERS, CLEANERS, ELECTRICIANS WHO COULD OFFER THEIR TIME AS A DONATION TO THE SILENT AUCTION

DO YOU HAVE ANY SPORTS MEMORIBILIA YOU'D LIKE TO DONATE OR NOT USING A GIFT CERTIFICATE? WE'D LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU CONTACT

mariefoden@live.co.uk

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Pyrford C of E Primary School's

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JAM JAR COMPETITION

This year's theme is:
"Fabulously Festive"

All you need to do is fill a jar with wrapped sweets, chocolates (NO NUTS) and small toys and then get your child to decorate the jar

Please can you put your child's name and class on the bottom of the jar

All jars can be won on the Jam Jar Stall at the Christmas Fayre

There will be prizes for the best boy and girl in each class, and prizes for the overall winners for KS1 and KS2

Please note that KS2 children will be doing this in school but KS1 and Reception can decorate their jars at home

Please bring it to school by Thursday 23rd November



URGENT

We are looking for **Qualified First Aiders** to volunteer at the Christmas Fayre on **Saturday 25th November**

If you are able to help, please contact **Sian Westen** at

sianwesten@btinternet.com

Help Raise Money for Our School!

This week you should have received a collection bag for you to fill with all your old clothes and textiles. All items will be redistributed to people who need them and in return we get 40p for every kilo of clothes collected, simple!

Please no uniforms, duvets, pillows or cushions.

Extra bags are available at the office.

Please bring your bags to the Practical Room by 9am on Monday 11th December.

Thank you!



Join us at our Christingle

Celebrate hope. Make children's voices heard.

We would love for you, your friends and your family to join us at our Christingle celebration so we can help to support vulnerable children.

Date: **SUNDAY 10th DECEMBER**

Time: **4 PM**

Location: **CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD**

Please contact: **GAY CLOTHIER**
07808 584 417
www.christingle.org

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Woking Symphony Orchestra

THE JAZZ AGE

18 November, 7.30pm
HG Wells, Woking

Bernstein Music from West Side Story & On the Town
Gershwin American in Paris
Ravel Piano Concerto
Piano: Angela Lau, Woking
Young Musician 2017
Conductor: Roy Stratford

Tickets Adults £14 U16 / Students £7 from www.wokingso.org.uk
wokingsymphony@gmail.com or HG Wells box office 01483 712710
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