



Forward March!

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Autumn Newsletter8

Friday 18 December 2015

Dear Parents & Carers,

Parking Promise

We are pleased that so many of you have signed up to our 2015 parking promise.

This should help to ensure Claypit Lane is a safe place for children and adults alike. If you have yet to return your signed promise, please do so in the New Year.

Christmas Celebration Event



Thank you to the Friends for organising such a fantastic Christmas Celebration event. We raised almost £800 on the night, helped enormously by the popularity of the wonderfully stocked hampers. If you came along, we hope you enjoyed the lovely festive atmosphere, mulled wine, singing and craft activities.

Farewell... and Welcome.

Huge thanks to Mrs Osborne and Mrs Lott who will be leaving their temporary Autumn term posts this week. They have been a real asset to the school this term. We are also sure this isn't the last we will see of them! The time has also come to say goodbye to Mrs Buchan after ten years at the March. She started back in 2005 when Tony Blair was still in power! We will all miss her and wish her continued success in her new role as Deputy Head at Fishbourne CE Primary School.

We would like to extend a very warm welcome to Mr Simon Townsend who will be joining Mrs Liz Pendry in Year 5 for the Spring and Summer terms. In addition, we are also looking forward to Mrs Metcalfe taking up her post as Headteacher in January. I know she is looking forward to getting to know all of the children, parents and staff and becoming one of 'us'!





Working with others Champions: 11th December 2015

Disagreeing Politely

Year	Name of child
Reception	Pellumi Oujalape
Year 1	Cash Lamb
Year 2	Maya Skipper-Wallis
Year 3	Florence Madden
Year 4	Anne Bahanan
Year 5	Tommy Sewell-Davies
Year 6	Adam Coles

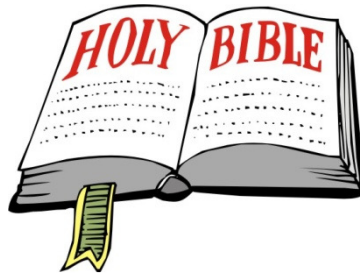
I have enjoyed working with you all this term in my role as Acting Headteacher. September seems like a lifetime ago now, and what a fantastic term it has been! Thank you for your continued support, smiles and hard work to enable the children to make the most of their time at school.

Thank you also for all of the cards and gifts this week-they are very much appreciated. I hope that you enjoy a happy and peaceful Christmas break. We look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 4 January 2016.

Kind regards

Steve Jackson,
Acting Headteacher

Fortnightly Bible Verse



Our theme this half-term in Collective Worship is **Peace**

Luke 2:4-7

⁴Joseph went from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to the town of Bethlehem in Judea, the birthplace of King David. Joseph went there because he was a descendant of David. ⁵He went to register with Mary, who was promised in marriage to him. She was pregnant, ⁶and while they were in Bethlehem, the time came for her to have her baby. ⁷She gave birth to her first son, wrapped him in cloths and laid him in a manger—there was no room for them to stay in the inn.



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CHILD(REN)'s NAME:.....

CHILD'S CLASS:.....

Your Comments:

YOUR NAME: