

Wootton St. Peters C of E Primary School

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Our Vision: **Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built. We explore the values** of *perseverance, compassion and courage* to open up horizons of hope and aspiration.

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SCHOOL NEWS

20/12/24

Upcoming Dates:

Monday 6th Jan- Inset Day. Tuesday 7th Jan- School starts 8.30am. Monday 13th Jan- PC Ben Talk Yr1-Yr3 Wednesday 15th Jan- Radley Reptile Visit. Wednesday 22nd Jan- Moonstone Puberty Workshop. Wednesday 5th Feb- Moonstone Puberty Workshop. Friday 7th Feb- NSPCC Number Day Monday 17th- Friday 22nd- Half term Monday 24th Feb- School starts 8.30am

Parents/carers-

This has been a very long but very rewarding term. So much has been achieved since September and your children have been working very, very hard. They show the values of perseverance, courage and compassion on a daily basis in all aspects of school life, which make our school a very special place to be part of.

Thank you to so many of you for the kind gifts and Christmas messages you have shared with the staff, they are very much appreciated. Also, thank you so much for the support that you give to the school - donations, attending events, helping out with transport, donations towards educational visits and experiences - school would not be the same without.

Thank you to the Governors for the support and challenge you provide. You are volunteers and you help to ensure that our school is as good as it can be.

All that is left for me to say is have a very Happy Christmas and we look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 7^{th} January.

Carols by Candlelight

This was a beautiful service. The singing was wonderful. Thank you to Stephen Coe for the sermon, Mr Herrington for the piano playing and to Ms Le Breton for the excellent preparation.

Christmas Dinner

This was a joyous occasion. Special THANK YOU to Tracy for battling against having the electric hob failing at a crucial

time but still managing to produce a delicious Christmas Dinner. The food was delicious and we all had a blast!

Best wishes, Charlie Pitt















Attendance This Week

Little Gems – 89.54%

Opal -- 80.00%

Jade - 98.58%

Moonstone – 82.63%

A Message from St Peter's

On behalf of everyone at St Peter's we would like to wish you a very happy, relaxing and peaceful Christmas. We would be delighted to welcome you to St Peter's for any of our Christmas services below:

Sunday 22nd December: Christmas Praise at 10.00 am: Mike Varnom with music by Paul Herrington – a service of readings telling the Christmas story and carols, both modern and traditional accompanied by instrumentalists and singers

Tuesday 24th December: Christmas Eve – 3.00 pm and 5.00 pm: Christingles: Mike Varnom – a short service for all the family including carols and all children receiving a Christingle, after which "Away in a Manger" is sung by candlelight. The collection is passed to The Children's Society to support their work with vulnerable children

Wednesday 25th December: Christmas Day - 10:30 am: Family Communion: Revd Stephen Coe – come and celebrate the birth of Jesus with us at our Family Communion service

Safeguarding information

The Designated Safeguarding Leads are Mr Pitt, Miss Phillips and Mrs Shehan (Thursdays only). Should you have any concerns please do contact us. Here is more information about how to keep your children safe onl<u>https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/</u>