

Castle Newsletter



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Dear Families

Hello, one and all and I hope you are enjoying the change of season. This week has seen us mark Remembrance Day with a live performance of the Last Post from an amazing trumpet player (who also plays for Madness!) Thanks to TA Clare for lending him to us.

The school shop has begun its official transformation to Christmas Pop-Up Shop. Massive thanks to the parents who have come along and helped and we will be there again on Wednesday for final coat. The plan is to open on 29th November for the final 3 weeks of term and our Christmas bazaar will be held there. More details will follow. If you have any Christmas items for us to sell at the shop we would love you to pass them on to school. We have been supported by Phoenix Trust who are providing some of the furniture at the shop and a group of Castle pupils were there to help this week.



Today we had a visit from 'Lion Learners' who brought a large number of animals into the school

with a focus on Maths. I hope they count them all back out at the end of the day.

School Photographer

The school photographer is due to be with us on 23rd November, an event that we sadly had to miss last year. We very much look forward to seeing the results.

Children in Need



Friday 19th November

In aid of Children in Need

Suggested donation of £1

Non-uniform day

Prize for the most creative hair!

Thank you Pupil Voice



Working Group To Set Up a Supplementary Afterschool Club at Castle

If you would benefit from your child(ren) attending a regular weekday afterschool club at Castle School and you would be interested in

making this happen, please contact Natalie Goodbrand by email ngoodbrand@hotmail.com or by mobile 07928 527126.

Natalie has two children at Castle School and works full time; she would like to work with Chris and a working party of parents to ensure that parents have more support after school if they need it.

Foxes Class News

This week in Foxes students have been learning about the Gingerbread man story. We made some gingerbread men and counted them, learnt to mix different colour paints and painted the characters of the story.



We also learnt about Remembrance Day and looked at war items from the Bucket. We tried on a real helmet from WWII and watched a poppy field being made in the classroom.



Bamboozle Christmas Concert Invitation

Artists Amy Whittle, Ines Sampaio Figueiredo and Grace Davey are going to be broadcasting half an hour of festive favourites from Bamboozle HQ live

from their you tube channel on Monday 13th December for families.

To join them, simply visit their YouTube channel at 6pm www.youtube.com/bamboozle1210

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The concert is also being recorded and will be made available anytime during the rest of the week.

Best wishes

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