

Term 2 newsletter 2024

Dear parents,

As we begin term 3, we hope you all had a wonderful Christmas with your children.

Term 2 is always a busy one filled with exciting experiences for the children in preparation for Christmas.

The term began with remembrance which is always a special occasion for us to remember the fallen. House Captains were invited to the remembrance service at the church. In addition, the whole school gathered at the memorial.



Christmas started with the Early Years and KS1 Christmas Nativity. The children were amazing! I was incredibly proud of all of them for having the courage to go on stage in front of everyone. The children sang beautifully too!

Leeds Castle kindly wrote to us and offered a free invitation to visit. The whole school took the opportunity to enjoy this offer on Monday. Everyone had a fantastic time!

Other Christmas activities have included the villagers' tea party, the Family Trust Christmas Show, and of course our Christmas parties, Christmas lunch and our Christingle are still to come!



During term two we have also had various sports events. KS2 played football against Bower Grove and we also had an interhouse sports competition at school. This involved lots of multi skill games for each class. Eyhorne won! Well done Eyhorne!

As you know there have been further physical changes in school. We had replaced fencing alongside Cherry Class garden. We have also added an additional fence to provide Oak Class with a secure garden space. We also had a new shelter built between the hall and the cloakroom. This provides an outdoor learning space for any class to use as well as a space to store our muddy wellies! There has been a lot less mud in school which the cleaners have really appreciated!

During term three we are going to replace the fencing that runs alongside the public footpath between Beech class and the hall. This will further improve security on school site. Please continue to check our website for term 3 events!

We wish you all a Happy New Year!

Mrs Bradley-Wyatt and the Hollingbourne Team.

