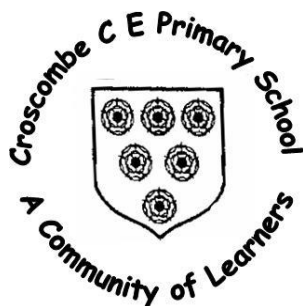


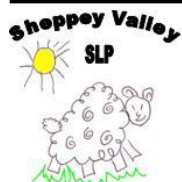
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21st November 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

Children In Need – Thank you to everyone who participated in last Friday's Children in Need. We raised £76.50.

Acorns Class – Last week, we all went to the allotment with Craig who showed us what vegetables and even flowers we could eat. We are looking forward to making some squash soup and the children had the task of really trying to 'squash' a 'squash' - they couldn't but we enjoyed eating celery and trying mint and lavender. We climbed, ran and played, helping each other on the swings and enjoying our snack of raisins.

Mrs Chester



Chestnuts Class – This week the children have been innovating and writing their own version of a wishing tale in literacy. They have taken a model of the Cinderella story and made it their own! Ask them to tell you their tales! They have also been investigating the relationship between weight and movement and concluded that you need more force to move a heavier weight. **Mrs Hooper/ Mrs Bloom**

Year 5 Primary Dance Festival – Thursday 28th November – Our Year 5s will be attending Whitstone all day next week. Please remember your child requires a packed lunch and the parents performance show will be between 4.00 pm – 5.00 pm. **Year 5 Children are to be collected from Whitstone school at 5.00 pm.** Please ensure you return the consent form asap to Croscombe school office.

Head Teacher's Availability - Mr Heath will be available next week in Croscombe on Tuesday and Friday and then will be at Stoke St Michael on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Mr Moore, our senior teacher will be available as usual.

Conkers Class – Conkers marked National Kindness Day by making Kindness Rocks. The children used acrylic paint pens to create animal designs on one side of their pebble and a heart (with our school colours) on the other. The Federation is participating in a kindness project with other local schools, who have produced their own Kindness Rocks. Expect to see the decorated stones popping up around the community in the near future.

Mr Moore



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Academy Portraits (School Photographs) – Please remember you can order online with free delivery back to the school up until Thursday 28th November.

Reminder - We are a healthy school and encourage our parents and pupils to think about the benefits of a healthy, balanced diet. Please provide healthy snacks such as fruit, bread sticks, cereal bars etc. **Water only** in water bottles please.

Yours sincerely



Mr S Heath
Executive Head Teacher
Croscombe and Stoke St Michael Primary Federation

Useful Dates

25.11.19 - Dragonfly Leisure (formerly Writhlington)
Gym Club 3.30 pm – 4.30 pm (**2 spaces available**)
26.11.19 – Swimming for Yrs 3 & 4 am
27.11.19 – Forest School Yr 2 am & Yr 6
28.11.19 – Primary Dance Festival Year 5s to Whitstone
– all day
28.11.19 – Chestnuts Parents Afternoon (Mrs Bloom) –
from 3.40 pm
29.11.19 – Allotment – Acorns am
29.11.19 - Celebration Assembly (3.00 pm weekly –
parents welcome to attend)



Celebration News

In each class we celebrate children for showing progress in their learning and for shining in a particular area. Celebrations for last week (week ending 15.11.19):

Acorns

Mathematician – Joe - for sharing ideas with addition by creating number sentences using objects.

Topaz Power

Reader - Eliza R - for being responsible for learning all her lines for the Nativity play in a week!

Diamond Power.

Writer – Herbie - for being brave and courageous in all areas of school especially writing (with a broken arm). **Emerald Power.**

Chestnuts

Writer – Marina - for excellent use of description to develop characteristics. **Topaz Power**

Mathematician – Rohan for showing excellent improvement in his ability to use written subtraction methods. **Sapphire Power**

Reader – Mya - for being brave and sharing her opinions during guided reading. **Emerald Power**

Conkers

Mathematician – Lily for facing a challenge. **Diamond Power**

Writer – Jake was also facing a challenge in literacy. **Diamond Power**

Josh G, Bruno and Archie – For completing the mental maths next level

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Celebration assembly awards last week

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