



Oakmeadow

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Friday 8th November 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you may well be aware we have had a significant amount of children off school with a sickness bug or related symptoms this week. We have put a number of measures in place to help control spread and have contacted Public Health today to check they are happy with our actions, which they are. Please remember that your child needs to stay off school for 48 hours **from the last bout of sickness** (not from when it started). If children are sent back in before this time we will have to call you to collect so that we can help prevent further cases. With any diarrhoea, Public Health recommended for us to pass on that requesting sampling at your GP would be a good idea to check for other causes however it does appear to them this is an early winter vomiting bug.

This week our annual fireworks event was a great success. Thank you to all those who supported this. We are very pleased to announce that at this year's Firework event we raised £3114.57! Thank you to the PTA for organising, and all staff that helped out, as well as Jack Flash Fireworks and Doc Ward for some wonderful photography of the event.

Other events this week were our House competitions. On Thursday, our Key stage 2 children really enjoyed their Cross Country competition. All children were given a position and earned points for their house. The winning house this year was Beddoes!

Our Tag Rugby house winner this week was Lock. A huge well done to all children who took part so enthusiastically!

Best wishes for the weekend. We hope to everyone well on Monday!

Samantha Hill
Headteacher



REMINDERS & NOTICES:

• School Lunch Menu:

Next week we will be on Week 2 Menu of the Autumn/Winter 2024 menu.

Road Safety and dark nights

We have received some reports from local residents that children have been observed cycling around the village at night wearing dark clothes and with no lights on bikes. Some children have been seen not holding onto their handlebars. We are unsure if these are Oakmeadow children, but just in case we will be doing some road and cycling safety work with the children in school. We would be very grateful if you could reinforce these messages with your children at home.




November 2024

Monday 11th November	Remembrance assembly
Wednesday 13th November	Open Afternoon 2pm
Friday 15th November	Children in need–wear Yellow, spots or dress as a superhero
Tuesday 19th November	Parents Evening 3.30– 6pm
Thursday 21st November	Parents Evening 3.30– 6pm
Friday 22nd November	Scholastic Book Fair in School

December 2024

Tuesday 3rd December	Reception and KS1 Panto trip
Wednesday 4th December	Year 3 and 4 Panto trip
Wednesday 4th December	EYFS Christmas Performance 10am Hall
Thursday 5th December	Year 5 and 6 Panto trip
Friday 6th December	EYFS Christmas Performance 2pm Hall
Tuesday 10th December	KS1 Christmas performance 9.15am Hall
Tuesday 10th December	Flu Nasal clinic in School Reception-Year 6
Tuesday 10th December	Carols on the Parade
Wednesday 11th December	KS1 Christmas performance 1.45pm Hall
Thursday 12th December	Christmas Disco
Monday 16th December	Year 5 and 6 Christmas Performance–Church 1.45pm
Wednesday 18th December	Year 5 and 6 Christmas Performance-Church 9.45am
Wednesday 18th December	Christmas dinner and jumper day
Friday 20th December	Last day of term

**Shropshire Community Health**
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Shropshire School Nursing Service

Bladder and Bowel Workshop

A safe space for parents of children any age who would like support with any of the following:

- Soiling
- Constipation
- Withholding
- Toilet refusal
- Day wetting
- Night wetting
- Sensory needs and toileting

Where: At school – parents drop-in session at Oakmeadow primary school.
When: Wednesday 20th November @12.30 – 1.30pm



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