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December Newsletter 2024 #2

Dear Parents

A final newsletter of the calendar year; this second newsletter of December capturing so many more highlights – pictorially.

FODS - Christmas Fair

Such a well organised event – full of colour, invention, creativity and sugar!!! Thank you to all helped at the event; before, during and after – FODS team, parents children and staff – you did a great job. A wonderful response for the tombola request really helped. Everyone had a great time and around £1200 was raised for future school events.



There was a also really heart warming response to the request for donations for the Meon Valley Food Bank in return for wearing festive clothes at the Christmas lunch.

Tallulah and Callum accompanied myself to the Food Bank to make the donation (which filled the boot of my car) on behalf of the school. They were also shown around and learnt what happens at a food bank. Thank you everyone!

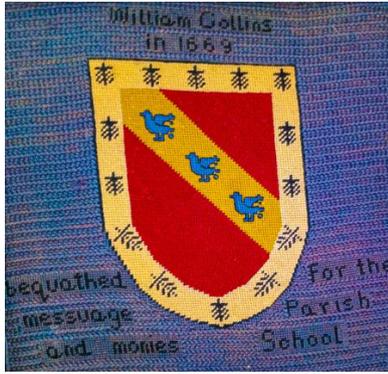


Amazon wishlist 2024 – 2025

We have been so amazed at the kindness and generosity of those who have donated to the school via our Amazon wishlist. This really helps with our already fragile budget by donating much needed resources we need for our children. So far we have been donated nearly £2000 worth of support. Please follow the link to see what is on the list – if you know anyone who could help us.

<https://amzn.eu/09G0kab>





William Collins Trust.

A big thank you to the benefice who have kindly supported the school recently with a generous donation.

The Trust has kindly supported the upcoming Art trip to Pallant House in February as well donations that will ensure we can buy more Den Building equipment and Library books – requested by Mrs Daniells – our amazing school librarian.

To find out more about the Trust for those who live locally, please follow this link.

<https://www.droxfordjunior.co.uk/page/?title=Community+Links&pid=66>

And Finally...

Thank you to those who came and shared the fantastic experience of the school's Christmas Services in the village church. This festive service was led by the children in Years 3 & 4 who performed three times (including a dress rehearsal) – and delighted all. The children were really wonderful and put on a lovely service with many songs mixed into the Christmas story that unfolded through great acting. A huge well done to all the staff concerned – lots of patience and prop making making this service successful!



Wishing you all a wonderful Christmas break and a Happy New Year.

With festive wishes

Matthew Dampier
Headteacher

Vision: 'Equipping our children with the knowledge and skills to navigate life successfully'.

