

***Roots to grow, Wings to fly'
They will soar on wings like Eagles
Isaiah 40:31***

The **Roots** of our school community nurture, support and challenge us to **Grow** to be the best version of ourselves.

The **Wings** of faith, strength and resilience allow us to **Soar** freely and flourish, now and in the future.

Dates for your diary

Tues 2nd December	Book Fair – 3.15pm See below
Weds 3rd December	Book Fair – 3.15pm
Thurs 4th December	PTFA Present wrapping day
Thurs 4th December	Year 4,5 & 6 to WEMA singing event
Fri 5th December	Christingle service 9am. All welcome Book Fair after Christingle – approx. 9.30am
Sat 6th December	Cross Country 3 at Dursley RFC
Thurs 11th December	Reception 2026 Stay & Play Year 6 Measurement Programme
Fri 12th December	Pantomime trip for whole school
Tues 16th December	KS1 Nativity 9.30am
Tues 16th December	Year 5 & 6 taster day at KLB
Weds 17th December	Christmas lunch
Weds 17th December	KS2 Carol Service 6pm
Thurs 18th December	Christmas jumper day & parties
Thurs 18th December	PTFA Christmas Fair 3pm
Friday 19th December	Last day of term 2
Monday 5th January	INSET DAY



Book Fair

We have a book fair in school this week. Attached is all the information you need, including how you can pay for books.



After School Club Thursday 4th December

Apologies but there will be no After School Club on Thursday 4th December. This is due to the majority of KS2 attending an event so we don't have enough staff in school to cover.

Pantomime

Just a reminder that the whole school are attending Sleeping Beauty at the Redgrave theatre on December 12th. The coach will be leaving at **8.30am** prompt and all children need a packed lunch that day. If you have not done so already, please pay for the trip through Arbor.

Christmas lunch



Our Christmas lunch is on Wednesday 17th December & the menu is attached to this newsletter for your information.

Just a reminder that the kitchen needs to know numbers in advance so, unless we hear otherwise, we will assume that **all children will be having a school lunch** that day. Please ensure that you have enough funds on Arbor to pay for this.

We will also assume that your child will be having the main choice but if they would like the vegetarian, jacket potato or tomato pasta option, **please let us know before December 5th**.

Similarly, if your child doesn't want the lunch on that day, please let the school office know.

Please note that the dessert is actually a chocolate pudding made to look like a Christmas pudding!

KS1 Nativity & KS2 Carol Service

KS1 Nativity on 16th December is at 9.30am in the chapel.

KS2 Carol service is on 17th December at 6pm and there is an expectation that all KS2 children attend.

As always, we allow photographs and video of these events but under no circumstance are they to be shared on any form of social media. Please respect this instruction.

You are welcome to bring extended family, within reason to both of these events.

WEMA singing event

Just a reminder that the children in Years 4 to 6 are attending an event at Stoke Gifford on December 4th. The information letter is attached but please remember that all children need a packed tea that day.



CLINC

You may notice some raffle tickets in the foyer. They are from CLINC (Changing Lives in Chongwe), a charity set up by Cromhall residents some years ago. They would be very grateful for your support & attached is their latest newsletter.

Finally

Please ensure that your child has a coat & wellies in school at all times. We try to take the children outside at break times however this is proving really difficult as so many children don't have coats in school!

Merry Christmas!