

JYS News

Newsletter: 10 ~ 24th November 2023

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Christmas Fun Day

Our exciting 'Christmas Activity Day' will take place on Wednesday 13th December. We invite all children to wear their most festive Christmas jumpers on this day. It's a wonderful opportunity for them to spread some festive cheer throughout the school.

The annual Chartwells Christmas dinner will also be served during the lunch break. If your child would like to enjoy a Christmas lunch, please ensure you book this through Chartwells (ParentPay).

The highlight of the day will be the two Christmas performances. First will be our Year R pupils showcasing their singing in the hall. Parents of Year R are welcome to arrive from 2pm for a 2.15pm start (please come via the main office). We can't wait to see the joy and pride on their faces as they perform for you. Following the Year R performance, parents may take their children to listen to the school Christmas songs.

The rest of the school will be performing a selection of festive tunes on the playground from 2.45pm. It promises to be a delightful afternoon filled with music and holiday spirit.

As we approach the end of term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support and involvement in your child's education. It truly makes a difference and we are grateful for your partnership.



This Week

Tuesday saw our boys' football team win a tournament being run at the University of Chichester. They competed against a number of strong teams, and showed how well they play as a team now. This means that they will go through to a locality finals, held in Bognor, in December.

Our "B" team took part in a tournament at The Arena in Bognor on Thursday, and they did very well too, coming 7th out of the sixteen schools there.

Thursday also saw our Year 4s catching the train to Victoria, a tube up to Warren Street Station and then go and explore the Egyptian artifacts at the British Museum as part of their studies. They were fantastically well-behaved, and walked back to the station, via Trafalgar Square, and even stopped to pose for a picture outside Buckingham Palace!



House Points

Children earn house points for different things throughout the week, and here are the weekly results:



	This week	Term Total (Since Sep '23)	Year Total (Since Sept '23)
Ash	74	914	914
Beech	72	904	904
Maple	96	976	976
Oak	102	977	977

Important Dates Coming Up

Wednesday 13th December - Christmas Fun Day (including Chartwells Christmas Lunch)

Thursday 14th December - Last swimming for the term for Years 4 & 5

Friday 15th December - Last day of term

Tuesday 2nd January - Term starts

Monday February 19th 2024 - INSET (school closed)

Monday June 3rd 2024 - INSET (school closed)

Friday July 19th 2024 - Last day of term

Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd July 2024 - INSET (school closed)