

WESSEX WEEKLY

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This week:
and more....



From the Head's Chair



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PTA Christmas Fair

The PTA would like to thank everyone who has returned raffle ticket monies and donations for the bottle tombola. Please bring in any cake donations to the Lower School Hall from 12 noon on the day and remember to name and collect any tins/trays at the end of the Fair. Also a reminder about the Fancy Dress Competition - we are looking forward to seeing those outfits!

It promises to be a fun packed afternoon with Arts & Craft activities, Pocket Money Games, Face Painting and Hair Braiding. Outside there will be Fairground Rides as well as the return of the Lions Train. There will be the chance to do a bit of Christmas Shopping at our Third Party Stalls - including jewellery, Virgin Vie, clothing, stationery or even have your photo taken. Kids - don't forget you can get Mum & Dad's present in the Secret Present Room - no adults allowed!

Relax for a while with a mini manicure or treat yourself to a cake and cup of tea while watching the High School Musical Choir, Fancy Dress Competition and Miss Oldfield's Dance Group. There will be the ever popular Bottle Tombola as well as a Prize Tombola and there may even be a visit from someone very special as well ... ho ho ho!



We look forward to seeing you all on Sunday at 2pm. Please remember there is no parking in the school grounds or down St Adrians Close. Thank you.

Poppy Appeal



We are pleased to tell you that Wessex Primary School collected over £130 during the recent Poppy Appeal. Thanks to all those children and parents that bought a poppy.

New Job for a Day

We are delighted and amazed at the number of applications we have had for the job of Headteacher, Assistant Headteachers and School Secretary. Final date for applications is **Monday 8th December** so if your child has not yet applied, and would like to, make sure the form is with the school office by 3.30pm on Monday.

From the Church of the Good Shepherd (in the Community Centre):



We would love you to join us for our Christingle Service on Sunday 7th December at 4pm. Children will have the chance to make their own Christingles when they arrive and then everyone will join in a short lively service. The Christingle is an orange with a red ribbon round the middle, a white candle in the top, and four cocktail sticks threaded with sweets or raisins. It reminds us of the light of Christ coming into the world at Christmas. During the service the candles will be lit. Come and join us as we look forward to Christmas, and find out more about the meaning of the Christingle. There will be a collection in aid of the Children's Society during the service.

Lost Property

The lost property boxes in both Lower and Upper School are still full of sweatshirts, PE tops, coats (in this weather!) and shoes! All lost property will be disposed of on the last day of term, so please come and have a look and re-unite your child with their sweatshirt/PE kit etc.

This weeks requests...

Kitchen roll tubes (not loo roll tubes) for making Christmas crackers. Please take them directly to the Nursery.

This week's....

TALKING HOMEWORK	THINKING SKILLS CHALLENGE
	Make a list of things made of wood .

Some dates for your diary:

DATE	OCCASION	WHO?
Sunday 7 th December	PTA Christmas Fair 2pm	Everyone!!
Monday 8 th December	Nursery Nativity 11.00am / 2.45pm. Please note that the production will take place in the Lower School Hall.	Nursery AM / PM

Tuesday 9 th December	Lower School Nativity 9.30am – adults only!!	Rec, Y1, Y2
Wednesday 10 th December	Lower School Nativity 9.30am	Rec, Y1, Y2
Thursday 11 th December	Wessex ‘Carols By Candlelight’ 5pm	All
Tuesday 16 th December	Nursery AM Closed / Nursery PM Party	Nursery AM / PM
Wednesday 17 th December	Nursery AM Party / Nursery PM Closed Community Christmas Carols at Cox Green School, 6pm	Nursery AM / PM All
Wednesday 17 th December	Christmas lunch	Rec – Y6
Thursday 18 th December	Christmas Party Day	All (Children only)
Friday 19 th December	End of Term – School Closed 2pm	All
Monday 5 th January	INSET DAY – please don’t send your children in to school!	All
Tuesday 6 th January	Term starts for children	Rec – Y6
Thursday 8 th January	Term starts for existing Nursery children	Nursery