



St Thomas' Cof E Junior and Infant School

A Journey in Faith, Arriving with Hope

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Newsletter for November

Shoe box appeal.

Thankyou to everyone who donated items for the shoe boxes. We were able to make 22 boxes which will be received by 22 very grateful children on Christmas day. These gifts really do make a difference.



Wear your spots for Children In Need.

We had lots of children dressed in something spotty to support Children In Need—we raised £258.



Class Assemblies

Year 5 and 6 have performed their assemblies this month. We had "I'm a Year 6 Pupil Get Me Out of Here" and "Could you be a CSI Investigator" from Year 5. Well done to both classes.

Parents Evening

Thank you to all the parents who attended. As always, the evening allowed you to be informed about your child's progress and view their work. There was a prize draw for all completed questionnaires which was won by Amy Mohammed.

PTA Film Night

A film night was put on for Key Stage 2 children on Tuesday 8th November. The children enjoyed watching Polar Express with their friends whilst eating popcorn!

Watch out for more PTA events for the children between now and Christmas.

New volunteers for PTA events will always be appreciated.

Balloon Powered Cars

Year 2 have enjoyed their STEM project this month designing and making balloon powered cars. Once the cars had been constructed the children were amazed by how far they could travel.



Year 6 Basketball Team

On the 9th of November a team of our Year 6 children played in the Lowton and Golborne inter-school basketball tournament. We showed some excellent teamwork and the children were able to develop their skills. In the end we came 3rd out of all the schools who entered.



Dates for your diary:

28th November, individual and family photographs

7th December, pantomime in school

9th December from 3pm, PTA Christmas parties

12th December, choir to sing at Golborne House

14th December, 7pm, choir to perform at Lowton Methodist Church.

15th December, 6pm, KS1 Christmas performance

16th December, 9.30am, KS1 Christmas performance

16th December, Christmas jumper day

19th December, 6pm, KS2 Christmas performance

20th December, KS1 Christmas party

21st December, 9.30am, KS2 Christmas performance in church

21st December, KS2 Christmas party

22nd December, Christmas dinner

23rd December, school finishes at 3pm