

Dear Parents & Carers

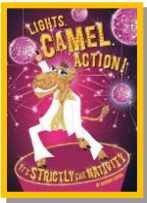
The PTA would like to thank everyone who attended the Christmas Fairs at Monkton Farleigh and Atworth on Saturday.

We had a tremendous amount of support from parents and staff for this event in both help and attendance, and are pleased to say that we raised over £1,500!

Well done everyone!

Here's a reminder of what else is on this Christmas at Churchfields:

CHRISTMAS PRODUCTIONS



Reception & KS1 (Yrs 1 & 2)

Lights, Camel, Action!

On Monday 5th December
St Michael's Church Hall, Atworth
Performances at: 4:00pm & 6:00pm.



KS2 (Yrs 3, 4, 5 & 6)

Scrooge – A Ghost of a Chance

On Tuesday 6th December
Melksham Oak Community School
Performances at: 4:30pm & 6:30pm

CAROL SERVICE

Monday 12th December, 1:15pm,
St Michael's Church, Atworth



Everyone is welcome to join us at the Carol Service.

The PTA will be serving tea & mince pies afterwards, in the school hall at Atworth, and we look forward to seeing you there.

Parents of pupils from Monkton Farleigh will be able to take their children straight after the service if they so wish. Please ensure you inform your child's class teacher at the time so they can make a note.

Children not collected will return to the Monkton Farleigh base by coach and be released at the normal time for collection.

Pupils of the Atworth base will be taken back to school after the service and released at the normal time.

We look forward to seeing you there.

THE LAST GEM LEARNER ASSEMBLY OF THE YEAR WILL BE ON FRIDAY 9 DECEMBER.



CHRISTMAS LUNCH & ACTIVITIES

Wednesday 14th December

Children from Monkton Farleigh will transfer to Atworth by coach in the morning, straight after registration and will be back at Monkton Farleigh for pick up at the end of the day.



We have lots of Christmas activities planned:

- ★ Children can dress in party clothes, Christmas jumpers or something festive!
- ★ Please supply a named cracker for your child/children
- ★ To round up the day's activities there will be a puppet show in the church hall

Don't forget to let us know if your child/children want a Christmas lunch – simply complete the attached form and return it to us by WEDNESDAY 7 DECEMBER.

CAROL SINGING

Thursday 15th December



Everyone is welcome to join in!

You will need to wrap up warm and bring a torch and please note – children need to be accompanied by an adult.

- ★ Atworth, meeting at 4:30pm in the School Hall before singing around the village
- ★ Monkton Farleigh, carols on the new amphitheatre, 4:30pm

We look forward to seeing lots of you there.



COUNTDOWN TO CHRISTMAS

Don't forget to do your Christmas shopping online at **EASY FUNDRAISING** and raise a free donation for Churchfields' PTA every time you shop!

DON'T FORGET! SCHOOL CLUBS FINISH THIS WEEK!

Due to our busy schedule of Christmas events and activities, there will be NO after-school clubs during the last two weeks of term.

Clubs will start back on Monday 9 January 2017 and a new club list will be out next week.

DIARY DATES TERMS 1 & 2

DATE	EVENT
Monday 5 – Friday 9 December – NO AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS THIS WEEK	
Monday 5 December	<p style="text-align: center;">KS1 CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION St Michael's Church Hall, Atworth 1:30pm – Dress Rehearsal Performances at 4:00pm & 6:00pm</p>
Tuesday 6 December	<p style="text-align: center;">KS2 CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION Melksham Oak School 1:30pm Dress Rehearsal Performances at 4:30pm and 6:30pm</p>
Friday 9 December	<p style="text-align: center;">Last Gem Learner Assembly of the term/year</p>
LAST WEEK OF TERM – NO SCHOOL CLUBS THIS WEEK	
Monday 12 December	<p style="text-align: center;">Christmas Service St Michael's Church, Atworth at 1:15pm</p>
Wednesday 14 December	<p style="text-align: center;">Christmas Dinner Day MF children will transfer to Atworth for the day Children can wear their own clothes</p>
Thursday 15 December	<p style="text-align: center;">Carol Singing 4:30pm – Monkton Farleigh School 4:30pm – Atworth School</p>
Friday 16 December	END OF TERM 2
Tuesday 3 January 2017	<p style="text-align: center;">Training Day (school closed)</p>
Wednesday 4 January	<p style="text-align: center;">Term 3 Back to school.</p>
Monday 9 January – SCHOOL CLUBS START BACK THIS WEEK	
Wednesday 18 January	<p style="text-align: center;">PTA meeting The White Hart, Atworth, 7:30pm</p>
Monday 23 January	<p style="text-align: center;">Headteacher Coffee Morning 8:45am - Atworth</p>
Wednesday 25 January	<p style="text-align: center;">Headteacher Coffee Morning 8:30am – Monkton Farleigh</p>



Christmas Dinner Menu
Wednesday 14 December 2016



Main Course

Roast turkey with pigs in blankets & stuffing balls OR
Roast Quorn fillet (V)

Served with
Roast potatoes
Fresh seasonal vegetables
Gravy

Dessert

Mini chocolate log & ice cream

** Dietary requirements catered for*

If your child/children would like a Christmas dinner please complete the form below and return to school by Wednesday 7th December.

School dinners cost £2.30 and parents can pay online using ParentPay, or by cash/cheque (*cheques to be made payable to Team St Laurence*)

REMEMBER: school dinners are free for Reception, Yrs 1 & 2

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Yes please, my child/children would like to have Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 14 December.

Child/ren's name/s.....
Class.....

Menu choice (please state quantity if ordering for more than one child):

- Roast Turkey Quantity:
- Roast Quorn Fillet Quantity:

Signed

BOASW Nativity
St Michael's Church, Atworth
Saturday 17th December 1pm - 3pm
Sunday 18th December 11am - 12pm

Bring the whole family along for 2 hours of rehearsal, crafts, tea and biscuits and mince pies!

Come and join the families and friends of BOASW as the children and young people present the nativity 2016.



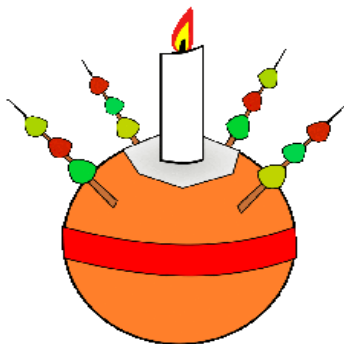
Benefice of Atworth with Shaw and Whitley



Messy Church

Christingle

Sunday 4th December



3.00 p.m. in Shaw school to make the Christingles

followed by a short service in church and tea for everyone!

Wishing you every blessing this Christmas