

# Wendover Church of England Junior School

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## Values

This has been our final week of exploring Respect. During the last few weeks we have thought a lot about how we can show respect to each other, to our environment and to God. Our new value will be Resilience. It was very exciting to kick-start our new value with a 'show and tell' in assembly today. Finn M brought in an Olympic torch that will be on its way to America on Monday, ready to start the relay that will light the beacon for the 2018 Winter Olympics. Children have been encouraged to track the progress of the beacon as it travels across America.

## 1FE Expansion

It's been a busy week for the builders. The new entrance is now in situ and the children were very excited to use it for the first time yesterday. They have also had fun watching the digger at work and the operator is getting used to having a captivated audience every lunchtime! The foundations for the new classroom block in North End and the additional MUGA for ourselves and John Hampden are both now in place. Next week will see some further preparatory groundworks.

## Campus Safety

We apologise for the issues with the barrier this week; initially we believed these to be caused by the clocks changing last week, but we have since discovered that someone has tampered with the barrier over half term causing the mechanism to lock. An engineer has been on site trying to fix the damage, but we would be grateful for any information which would help us find out who was responsible; please contact Catriona Martin - 01296 696822 option 4 or [finance@wendoverjunior.co.uk](mailto:finance@wendoverjunior.co.uk). Thank you for your support.

## Cycle/Scooter Security

All bikes and scooters are left in our racks at the owners' risk; they should be secured with a padlock during the school day and removed each evening.

## Poppies

The Y6 prefects will be bringing poppy boxes round the classrooms next week in the lead up to Remembrance Day. Please send in some money with your child if they would like to buy one (minimum suggested donation 50p).

## Reminders

Y4 RE trip payment and consent due via ParentPay by Wednesday 8/11

School Council sponsorship money due via ParentPay by Friday 1/12

## Diary Dates

w/b 6 November	Y2 parent tours
7&10 November	Y6 Hazard Alley trips
w/b 13 November	School Council sponsored circuits event
w/b 13 November	Y2 parent tours
14 November	Y4 RE trip
22&23 November	Parent/teacher consultations meetings (including Book Fair)
30 November	PTA Bingo, 3.30pm
1 December	INSET day - school closed for children
w/b 4 December	Last after school club sessions for this term
5 December	Y3/4 flu clinic
7 December	Carol concert, 6pm, St Mary's
13&14 December	Y3 Nativity performances ('Lights, Camel, Action!')
19 December	School closes for Christmas holidays, 1.15pm

Aylesbury Music Centre  
**OPEN DAY**  
 Fantastic opportunity to perform at the Royal Albert Hall July 2018  
**MUSIC for munchkins** for all kids aged 4-6

**COME AND JOIN THE BUZZ! SATURDAY NOV 4TH**

**9 – 10:30 SENIOR SYMPHONY**  
 Open to all instrumentalists grade 4/5+

**10:45 – 11:15 BIG SING**  
 Open to all players and their parents!

**11:30 – 1 JUNIOR JAM**  
 Open to all instrumentalists up to Grade 4/5

BRING A FRIEND  
 TWO FREE CONCERTS 10:15 & 12:45

BUSKING All welcome!  
 CAFE  
 HOMEMADE CAKE  
 TUCK SHOP

Aylesbury Music Centre  
 Walton Road, Aylesbury, HP21 7ST  
 email: aylmusic@learningtrust.net

**HALTON TENNIS CENTRE**

**Everyball Family Day**

Come along with family and friends for some free indoor Tennis Activities for all ages!!

We offer a lot more than just Tennis, have a look on our website!!

**Saturday November 25th, 4-6pm**

Halton Tennis Centre, Chestnut End, Halton, Bucks. HP22 5PD

To book your places or for more information please contact Neale Proud at neale@everyball.net

[www.haltontennis.co.uk](http://www.haltontennis.co.uk)



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**11th November 2017**

**11:00 – 12:00**



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**Festive Fun Run**

Thame Town Centre  
 Sunday 3rd December - 10am  
[www.fnhospice.org.uk/festive-fun-run](http://www.fnhospice.org.uk/festive-fun-run)

Organised by Thame & District Lions Club in aid of



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