## **Wendover Church of England Junior School**

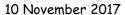
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#### **Values**

Following on from the appearance of an Olympic torch in assembly last Friday, this week we found out about the resilience needed by South Korea to win their bid for next year's winter Olympics. There were a number of setbacks and we explored why it is important to have faith alongside resilience. This morning gave us the chance to think about Remembrance Day and those who have made sacrifices for others and those affected by conflict.

### 1FE Expansion

Work on the new shared multi-use games area (MUGA) has continued apace this week and the children are looking forward to using it when it opens later this term.

#### Class Assemblies

Our class assemblies start next week with 6W (see diary dates below). Parents are warmly invited to attend their child's assembly and hear the class present what they have been learning this term.

#### Children's Bingo

The bingo event scheduled for Thursday 30 November has been postponed until the first half of the spring term. In the interim, there will be a Christmas mufti-day on Monday 18 December (more details to follow).

#### **Enterprise**

Congratulations to Elsie, Jessica, Imogen, Martha and Fay from Year 5 who raised £160 for Cancer Research UK by holding a cake sale outside school last Friday. A big thank you to everyone who supported them in their endeavours!

#### School Council

The children will be taking part in the sponsored circuit challenge next week and they are already getting very excited about the upgraded adventure trail which will arrive over the holidays! Thank you to everyone who has already collected sponsorship money; our target is to raise £2500 from this event (equivalent to every child in school collecting £6.50 each) and so far just over £600 has been paid in - well done and thank you for your ongoing support.

## Letters Sent Home This Week

Ashmolean Museum trip (Y5 only) Netball match vs Halton (team only) Forensic science day (Y5 only)

#### Reminders

Y4 trip Tuesday 14/11 - all children need a packed lunch and a separate piece of fresh fruit please School Council sponsorship money due via ParentPay by Friday 1/12 Y5 Ashmolean consent/payment due via ParentPay by Friday 1/12

#### Diary Dates

w/b 13 November School Council sponsored circuits event

w/b 13 November Y2 parent tours 14 November Y4 RE trip 16 November 6W class assembly, 9am

22&23 November Parent/teacher consultations meetings (including Book Fair)

23 November30 November6J class assembly, 9am6S class assembly, 9am

1 December INSET day - school closed for children

w/b 4 December Final week of after school clubs

5 December Y3/4 flu clinic

7 December Carol concert, 6pm, St Mary's 12 December Y5 Ashmolean Museum trip

13&14 December Y3 Nativity performances ('Lights, Camel, Action!')

18 December Christmas MUFTI day/AiP Christmas lunch 19 December School closes for Christmas holidays, 1.15pm



# **Christingle Service**

Sunday 3rd December, 4pm at St Mary's Church, Wendover

Please join us for this family friendly service.

St Mary's Church