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Charvil Chatterings

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No. 185



Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a wonderful end to this term in school over the past couple of weeks.

My personal highlights have been the Nativity play and the KS2 carols, seeing our children perform with confidence and joy was a real pleasure to watch and each performance reminded us of the true meaning of Christmas.

Use of basketball court

You may have noticed that a new part of fencing has been put up around the basketball court, this will allow access to the court from inside the school. Charvil Parish council have very kindly allowed us to use the area during the school day between October and April. This will provide another area for the children at playtimes and P.E lessons. The court will remain open to public access outside of school hours. We are very grateful to the Parish council for allowing us access to this space.

Finally, I want to thank all the children and staff for their hard work this term, we have been moving with speed to improve the school, there has hardly been time to breathe! But they all take it in their stride, pulling together to drive up standards. Thank you also to you as parents, for your support along this journey.

I do hope you all have a happy and peaceful Christmas break, and we look forward to seeing all again on Wednesday 3rd January.

Mrs C Waite

Headteacher



'Go and do likewise' Luke 10: 25-37
The Parable of the Good Samaritan



Upcoming Diary Dates 2024

Wednesday 3rd January 2024

First day of Spring term

Thursday 18th January 2024

Census Day—Fish and Chip lunch

Friday 2nd February 2024 - 8.45 – 9.15am

Foundation Love to Learn

Tuesday 6th February 2024 - 2.45pm

Years 1 & 2 Music and Dance Performance

Wednesday 7th January 2024 - 2.30pm

Years 4 & 6 Music and Dance Performance

Thursday 8th February 2024 - 2.30pm

Years 3 & 5 Music and Dance Performance

Monday 12th February - Friday 16th February 2024

Half Term

Wednesday 21st February 2024

Year 1 Scooter training

Thursday 22nd February 2024

Foundation Trip to Rushall Farm

Monday 4th March - Friday 8th 2024

Year 5 Bikeability

Thursday 7th March 2024

World Book Day

Aspens Theme Day - World Book Day

Sunday 10th March 2024

WASMA concert at Hexagon (School Choir)

Friday 15th March 2024

Comic Relief Red Nose Day

Monday 25th & Tuesday 26th March 2024

Parent Consultations 3.30 - 6.30pm

Tuesday 26th & Wednesday 27th March 2024

Easter Assembly 9.15 - 9.45am

Friday 29th March - Friday 12th April 2024

Easter Holidays

Monday 15th April 2024

First day of Summer term

Monday 22nd April 2024

Tempest Class Photographs

Wednesday 24th April 2024

Aspens Theme Day - The Main Event

Monday 6th May 2024

Bank Holiday Monday

Thursday 16th May 2024

Census Day—Fish and Chip lunch

Spring Term Clubs:

Monday:

Years 3-6 Ukulele: lesson during school

Years 1-6 Football: 3:15 - 4:15pm

Tuesday:

Years 1-6 Hockey Club: 8:00 - 8:45am

Year 1 Spanish Club: 3:20 - 3:50pm

Wednesday:

Years 1-6 Judo Club: 8:00 - 8:45am

Years 2-6 Piano: lesson during school

Years 1-6 Multisports: 3:15 - 4:15pm

Thursday:

Years 1-6 Futsal: 8:00 - 8:45am

Guitar: lesson during school

Years 2 & 3 Spanish Club: 3:20 - 3:50pm

Friday:

Piano: lesson during school



Congratulations!
Teacher Achievement Certificates
have been awarded to:

Year 1

Ruby & Peter

Year 2

Isaac & Mira

Year 3

Eoin & Lottie

Year 4

Zachary & Georgie

Year 5

Maala & Emelia

Year 6

Eva & Jaiveer

Termly Award Winners

Autumn 2023



**Congratulations to
Loddon
for winning the House
Points Cup this term.**



**For showing our school values
in Clubs:**

Core Football Club — Oliver (Y1)
Core Hockey Club — Lockie (Y1)
Core Futsal Club — George (Y5)
Core Multi Sports — Ian (Y4)
Core Tag Rugby — Archie (Y5)
JAG — Maya (Y1)
Judo Club — Owen (Y3)
Spanish Club — Nathaniel (Y1)



The Sporting Excellence Award:

KS1 Betsy (Y2)
Year 3&4 Georgie (Y4)
Year 5&6 Archie (Y5)



The Creative Award for the Arts and Music:

KS1 Erin (Y1)
KS2 Patrick (Y6)



EYFS Learning Behaviour Awards:
Shelwin - for being willing to have a go
Annelise - for keeping on trying
Florrie - for making links in her learning
Seb - for his understanding of British Values

Key Stage 1 and 2 Academic Achievement and Progress Awards:

KS1 Writing:	Sophia (Y1)	KS1 Maths:	Lawson (Y1)
Year 3&4 Writing:	Silas (Y3)	Year 3&4 Maths:	Amariah (Y4)
Year 5&6 Writing:	Summer (Y6)	Year 5&6 Maths:	Eva (Y6)
KS1 Reading:	Amelia (Y2)	KS1 Science:	George (Y2)
Year 3&4 Reading:	Ben (Y4)	KS2 Science:	James (Y3)
Year 5&6 Reading:	Alexandra (Y5)		



Awards for following Our School Values:

Respect	— Peter (Y2) for always helping tidy around the school and saying please and thank you to adults and friends.
Equality	— Jude (Y6) for embodying the British Values and standing up for what is right.
Honesty	— William (Y4) for showing the school value of honesty at all times in class.
Dedication	— Owen (Y3) for working hard and challenging yourself in everything you do in school
Courage	— Emma (Y5) for her courageous voice during discussions and speaking out for what is right.
Love	— Aala (Y2) for being a caring member of our school community.



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The Bulletin Board

PE Days are as follows:

Monday:	Year 1
Tuesday:	Years 2 and 5
Wednesday:	Years 1, 3 and 6
Thursday:	Foundation, Years 2, 4 and 5
Friday:	Years 3, 4 and 6



Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit. Thank you.

Library Days are as follows:

Monday:	Foundation
Tuesday:	Year 4
Wednesday:	Year 2
Thursday:	Years 5 and 6
Friday:	Years 1 and 3



Please ensure your child brings their library book into school. Thank you.

Wanted - Good Quality Board Games!

We are looking for donations of good condition, complete board games for the children to use during wet playtimes.



If you have any boardgames that you would like to donate, please drop them into the office.

Many thanks.

Personal Clothes and Belongings

Please ensure **ALL** your children's clothes and belongings that may come into school are named (uniform, shoes, gloves, coats, water bottles, hairbands...) and please name lunch bags on the **OUTSIDE**.

We collect an unnecessarily large amount of lost property but if items are clearly named then they will make their way back to you.

If you are missing anything do come in and check the lost property box in the school office.

Foundation - Superhero Day

To celebrate the end of our Heroes and Superheroes topic Foundation Class took part in Superhero Day. We all wore superhero and real-life hero outfits, and took part in a fun superhero PE session.



We had a lot of challenges to face in the classroom: rescuing Duplo people and animals from evil baddy traps such as ice, elastic bands and a huge web, rebuilding Numicon City, a superhero obstacle course, a pencil maze, and rescuing the evil peas from the poisonous jelly.



Superheroes say:



We were all great superheroes and at the end of the day we all received a superhero certificate and enjoyed a superhero popcorn snack.

Values Day 2023

As part of our on-going character education, we are holding three whole-school values days. On Wednesday 29th November we focused on our school value of **Courage**.

The children participated in a range of learning activities throughout the day to help reflect on what courage might look like in our everyday lives.



BE
Strong
AND
Courageous



Thank you to all our class teachers, Year 5 Worship Leader pupils and students from our secondary site who made the day so positive and informative for our pupils. We look forward to our next values day later in the year.

Nativity 2023

Congratulations to all the pupils and staff in our Foundation and KS1 Classes for putting on a fantastic Nativity performance. It was so lovely to hear all the lovely feedback from our audiences.







... AND THAT'S A WRAP!



KS2 Carols



Congratulations and thank you to our KS2 pupils and staff, Mrs Robinson and Mrs Sparks for putting on two wonderful carol performances last week.



Fundraising

Thank you to everyone
who supported
Save the Children
Christmas Jumper Day.



£156.75



Save the Children
CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY



Thank you to everyone who
supported Children in Need.
We raised £175.40 from
merchandise sales and £238.91
from our non-uniform day.

£414.31

Thank you to everyone
who supported our
Nativity collection for
First Days.



£190.66



Thank you to everyone
who supported our
Carols collection for
Young lives vs Cancer.



£228.85

Christmas Lunch



Year 5—Walk around Twyford and Charvil

As part of their Geography work comparing and contrasting localities, Year 5 conducted some field work studies of Charvil and Twyford last Friday. The children carried out a traffic survey and looked at the style of buildings in Charvil and Twyford.



On returning to school, they collated their results and compared Twyford with Charvil.

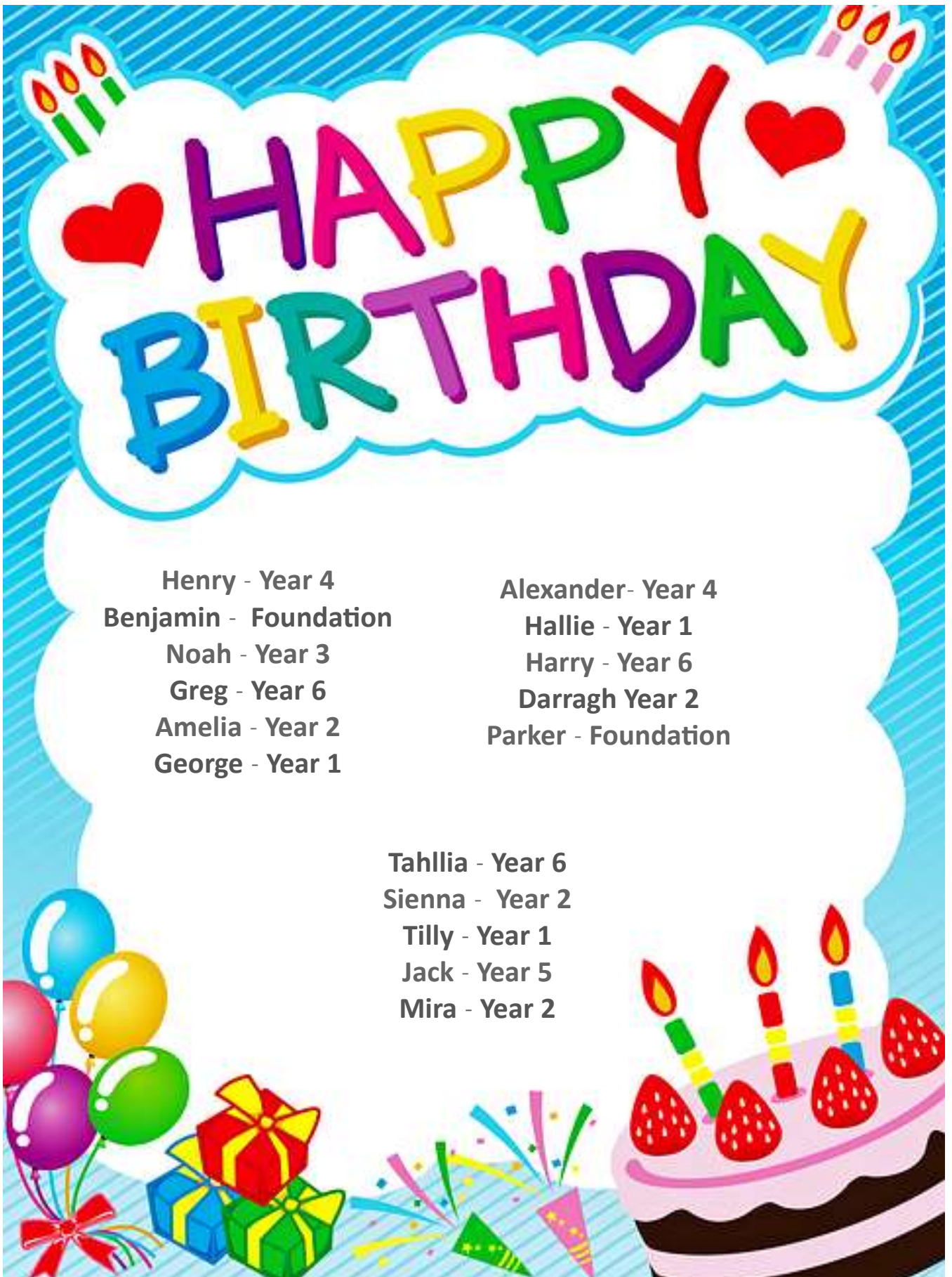
We would like to wish a very Happy Birthday to all our pupils celebrating their birthday in December!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Henry - Year 4
Benjamin - Foundation
Noah - Year 3
Greg - Year 6
Amelia - Year 2
George - Year 1

Alexander- Year 4
Hallie - Year 1
Harry - Year 6
Darragh Year 2
Parker - Foundation

Tahllia - Year 6
Sienna - Year 2
Tilly - Year 1
Jack - Year 5
Mira - Year 2



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ON THE 21ST



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AGES
YEARS R – 6

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The CPSA would like to thank Parkers estate agents for sponsoring our Summer BBQ, helping to support the event and making it such a success.

You have been invited to Reading Football Club's 3rd Schools and Grassroots Fixtures of 2023-24!

When?

Reading vs Leyton Orient
Saturday 27th January 2024, 3pm

Where?

Select Car Leasing Stadium



How to qualify for the discount and confirm your attendance?

We would be delighted if you could join us for our 3rd schools and grassroots fixture of 2023-24. And as part of our special invitation, we would like to offer the below discounted prices:

12 and Under: £1

17 and Under: £3

18 to 24: £5

65 and over: £5

Adult: £10

To redeem, please visit <https://ticketing.readingfc.co.uk> and enter the following unique coupon code: **#CharvilPiggott** in the basket once you have logged in and selected your tickets.

How many tickets can we purchase?

There is no limit on the number of tickets you can buy using your unique code. And, for every ticket which is purchased you will receive one entry in a prize draw for a chance to win a series of 'money can't buy experience' prizes!

Important! This offer applies to tickets in the Eamonn Dolan Stand blocks and Y19/Y20 of the Sir John Madejski Stand. Coupon codes are valid up until 4 hours before kick-off.

If you have any questions about either offer, please email sales@readingfc.co.uk or call 0118 968 1313.

We'd like to sincerely thank you for your support so far this season, it really is appreciated. We would also like to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

We love welcoming all our local schools and grassroots clubs as part of our Schools and Grassroots fixtures, where we have already seen over 5,500 of you cheering on the team this season and we want your noise and support again!

Come on URRRZZ!!

Yours Sincerely

Paul Collins

Head of Ticketing
Reading Football Club



Born To Move

A virtual instructor led class for children aged 8-12 years.
Enjoy a range of dance, martial arts and yoga with a fun twist!

Younger siblings are welcome but under 8's must be accompanied by an adult

£3.50 per child, parents/carers go free



Bulmershe Leisure Centre

- Mondays 4.00pm - 4.45pm



Loddon Valley Leisure Centre

- Mondays 4.00pm - 4.45pm



Wokingham Leisure Centre

- Tuesdays 4.15pm - 5.00pm
- Wednesdays 4.00pm - 4.45pm



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