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Committed to the care and education of your child within a Christian setting

Value of the Month: Forgiveness

Newsletter Term 2: 2018/19 (12)

Dear Parents/Carers,

The children have enjoyed the various Book Week activities this week, and I was impressed to see the variety of hats worn to school. Thank you to all those who came into school to read on Tuesday. Next week on Friday we are looking forward to enjoying a Buskers' Break Time in aid of Comic Relief, so please remember to send your small change in with your children that day.

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Values Award Certificates:

Congratulations to this week's winners:

Lucas Moore, Gabriel Neill, Edward Airey, Kiya Adderley,
Jonathan Reynolds, Luke Thompson, Sam Jackson, Oscar
Richards, Isabella Carreras-Jago, Tyler Wells



Book Fair:

We would like to remind you that the Book Fair will be in the hall after school on Friday and again before school next week on Tuesday.

Lost Property:

Please do look through the lost property when you come to peruse the Book Fair.

Polite Reminders:

Please may we remind you that you should not stop your cars on the yellow zigzags outside school when dropping children off in the morning or collecting children after school.

Please could we also remind you that children should not play ball games in the playground before the start of the school day.

Thank you, as ever, for your cooperation.

Parent/Carer Survey:

The governors would like to thank those of you who have already completed the annual parent/carers survey. Your feedback is greatly appreciated, and it will be used to help staff and governors as they consider school development priorities for next year. Feedback is also used to inform changes to practice and school procedures.

If you have not yet completed the survey, you can do so by clicking [here](#). **The deadline for responses is Wednesday 13th March.**

Thank you.

Dates for your Diaries:

- Year 2 Partnership Concert at 6pm - Tuesday 12th March
- Quinta Meeting for Year 5 Parents/Carers - Wednesday 20th March at 5:30pm
- Year 2 Trip - Friday 22nd March
- Year 4 Cake Sale - Friday 22nd March
- Quiz Night - Friday 22nd March
- Reception and Year 6 - height and weight measuring - School Health Nurses - Tuesday 26th March
- Parents' Evening - Year 5 only - Tuesday 26th March - 5 - 7pm
- Parents' Evening - all year groups - Thursday 28th March - 4 - 6pm
- Parents' Evening - NOT Year 5 - Tuesday 2nd April - 5 - 7pm
- Parent Forum - Wednesday 3rd April at 2.30pm
- Year 5 Performance - Wednesday 3rd April at 6pm
- Year 5 Performance - Thursday 4th April at 2pm
- Term ends **at 3.15pm** - Friday 5th April
- Allocation of Primary School Places for September 2019 - Tuesday 16th April
- Term begins - Tuesday 23rd April

How to keep children safe on tablets. Come help us find out.






The study will take place at the Oxford University's Science Park area. Travel cost will be compensated.

Spaces are limited. Please email koala.project.ox@gmail.com. A researcher will be in touch to answer any questions you might have.

This **March** researchers from Department of Computer Science, University of Oxford, are carrying out research **workshops** with families with at least one child aged 6-10 to learn about how to **keep young children safe** during their use of tablet computers, such as iPads or Android tablets.

Parents are expected to **work with their children** as pairs for 1.5 hours at the university premises to go through a few technology designs and carry out some activities together, so that researchers can find out **how we can provide a better tool for parents to support their children's online safety.**

FOR FURTHER DETAILS



<https://sites.google.com/view/koala-project-ox/participants-wanted/design-workshop-information>

Abingdon & Witney College

COMMON LEYS FARM

Lambing Sunday

24th March

KIDS UNDER 5 FREE

11:00am – 3:30pm

£3 per person • Sat Nav: OX29 9UU

COMMON LEYS FARM • HAILEY • WITNEY




See the newborn lambs in our new Livestock Technology Centre!

Refreshments available or bring a picnic and enjoy...

- **Animal Petting Corner**
- **Pony Rides** • **Indoor & Outdoor Activities**
- **Feeding the Animals**

*CHILDREN UNDER 5 FREE, WITH A PAYING ADULT



MADLEY

POP-UP PUB

Join us for drinks, cocktails and music

Saturday 30 March from 7.30pm

Madley Park Hall

Please get your tickets in advance, just £5 entry - DM @activatemadley, email activatemadley@gmail.com or pop into the Hair Forum on Madley Park to get yours now!



We're raising money for



Last orders at 11pm