



The whole school gathered at the war memorial for two minutes silence and prayers on Armistice Day. It was lovely that villagers joined us to mark this special occasion. Mrs Morris led the readings and Cygnus class carried their wreath.



They shall grow not old,
as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them,
nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun
and in the morning,
We will remember them.

thank you!

Thankyou to the **Agg** family for our wonderful new books via the Amazon Wishlist and the **Corlett** family for Alex and Eddie's Birthday Books.

CHRISTMAS CARDS



Each class has a post box into which children can post their cards. Cards for teachers can also be posted in the class post box.

Healthy Eating

At St Peter's we take part in 'The School Fruit and Vegetable Scheme' which is part of the government's 5 A DAY programme to increase the amount of fruit and veg that children eat.

Under the scheme all children in Cygnus and Tucana Classes are entitled to a free piece of fruit or vegetable every school day. The choices on offer are bananas, apples, pears, satsumas and carrots with tomatoes, strawberries, sugar snap peas and cucumber offered later in the year.

We are keen that all eligible children eat the fruit and vegetables provided for their mid-morning snack. If your child has the fruit and vegetables provided by this scheme, there is no need for them to bring another mid-morning snack to school.

For children in Phoenix and Pegasus Classes, a piece of fruit or vegetable can be purchased for 12p a day.

If your child does not enjoy eating the fruit and vegetables provided or you would prefer your child to bring a snack from home, then they may bring to school an alternative healthy snack - preferably a piece of fruit or vegetable.

Through this scheme we hope that we can help our children to develop positive attitudes towards healthy eating.



A Wonderful Start to the Festive Season

Cygnus Class helped decorate the St Peter's Christmas tree, kindly donated by Mrs Morris.

During the last week of term children will be enjoying Christmas activities including making Christingles and attending a special Christingle assembly in the church, visiting 'Experience Christmas' at St Peter's Church, Christmas parties, Christmas dinner from The Plough and an online Panto kindly donated by Kerry Lane.

For 50 years Christingle collections have helped [The Children's Society](#) to work with more than a million children and young people. If you would like to donate please go the website.



The last day of school finishes earlier than usual. Pick-up times for each class are:

Cygnus 1pm

Tucana 1:10pm

Phoenix 1:20pm

Pegasus 1:30pm

If your child has an older sibling they can be collected at the later time as usual.



Our advent window will be lit up from the 15th!

Thank you for all your donations



St Peter's have once again supported the Christmas Shoebox Appeal coordinated by Teams4u.

We are very proud to have collected more than sixty shoeboxes this year which were safely delivered to the Witney Methodist Church.

I know that these will all be very gratefully received by children less fortunate than us this Christmas.



Friends of St Peter's

St Peter's
PRIMARY SCHOOL
Christmas
Raffle



Please buy tickets for our Virtual Christmas Raffle Saturday 12th December.

We have some fabulous prizes including:

Mini-Break, Family Photoshoot, Hampers, Skincare Kit, Personal Training Sessions, Massage...

Tickets to: Cotswold Wildlife Park, Blenheim Palace, Cotswold Falconry Centre, Roves Farm, Cogges Farm ...

Vouchers for: Garden Trading, Blakes Kitchen, Jojo Maman Bébé, Millets Farm Restaurant, The Entertainer, Handmade by Abby, The Shake Shop.

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Account Name: The Friends of St Peter's Alvescot;
Sort Code: 40-35-34;
Account Number 44159144.
Reference: First name, last name.

Winners will be drawn at random using a virtual tool and announced on **Tuesday 15th December** during a festive virtual event.

We are looking for a few children to do a Christmas performance during the event. If your child has a special talent and would like to sing a Christmas song or play a musical piece, please let us know by email: friendsofstpetersalvescot@gmail.com