# St Peter's Belonging, Believing, Building a Future Welcome Back! September 2022 ~ Issue 1



It has been a lovely start to the new school year with the school full of children once again.

We have welcomed thirteen new children to Cygnus Class as well as Aurelia, Luna and Phoebe who have joined Tucana Class, Humphrey who has joined Phoenix Class and Ebony, Tabitha and Vivian who have joined Pegasus Class. We do hope that all of our ew children and their families will all enjoy being part of our school and community.

# He's Behind You!

We are taking all the children to the Pantomime *Dick Wittington* at the Chipping Norton Theatre, during the school day, on Wednesday 14th December and have to pay for the tickets very soon.



Could you please let us know before the end of September if you know any reason why your child will not be in school on this day as once tickets have been paid for, we are not able to provide a refund for any child who is not able to attend.

# Parent Meetings

Reception and Years 2, 4 and 6 meetings will take place during the week beginning the 17th October.

Parent meetings for children in Years 1, 3 and 5 will take place during the week beginning 31st October.

Please look out for the booking form on ParentMail.

All the staff would like to thank everyone who gave cards thank you and gifts at the end of last term. Your words and sentiments were all very much appreciated.

# your Diary

Week of Monday 12 September After-School Clubs Begin

Monday 19th September **Bank Holiday** 

Week of Tuesday 20 September Oxford County Council Music Lessons

Tuesday 20 September 8:00pm RSE Parent's Information Evening for parents of children in Years 3 to 6

Thursday 22 September 4:30-7:30pm Burford School Open Evening for Years 5 and 6

**Tuesday 27 September** Whole School Nasal Flu Immunisation

**Thursday 29 September** Deadline for handing in Christmas

Card Designs

**Thursday 29 September** Selected children from Pegasus and Phoenix to Burford Partnership Cross **Country Running Competition** 

# Sunday 2 October

Alvescot Village Harvest Service at Alvescot Village Hall - 10:30am

### Sunday 9 October

St Peter's School Harvest Festival at 10:30am at Alvescot Village Hall followed by FoSP's Harvest Show and Pumpkin Trail

## Monday 17 October

Selected children from Pegasus to **Burford Partnership Football** Competition

### Week of the 17 October

Parent Meetings for Reception and Years 2, 4 and 6

Thursday 20 October **End of Term** 

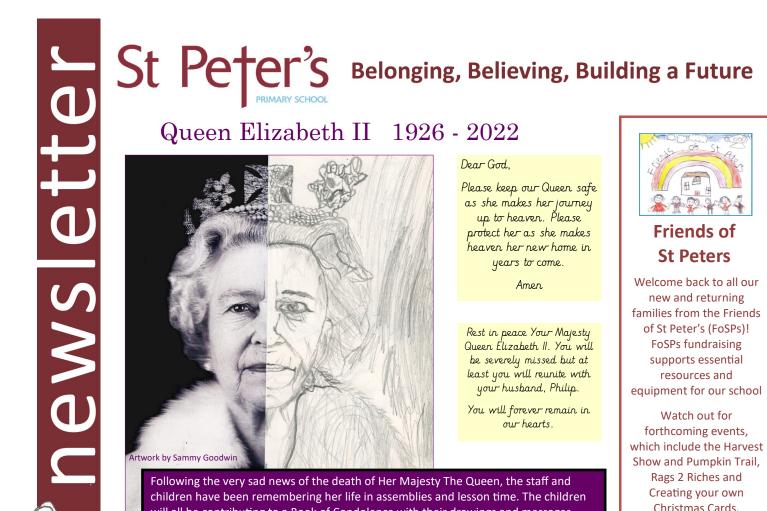
Friday 21 to Friday 28 October **Autumn Half Term** 

Week of the 31 October

Parent Meetings for Years 1, 3 and 5

thank you!

Thankyou so much to the Gamage family for our Amazon Wishlist books.



children have been remembering her life in assemblies and lesson time. The children will all be contributing to a Book of Condolence with their drawings and messages over the coming week.

The Parish Council have opened a Book of Condolence that those who wish to pay their respects are welcome to sign. This is available in the porch of St Peter's Church daily from Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September between 9.00am and 7.00pm, until 5.00pm on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September.

Flowers may be laid in the church porch by those paying their respects but please remove any cellophane and do not leave candles.

As Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September has been declared as the date of the state funeral of HM Queen Elizabeth II and a bank holiday, St Peter's will be closed on this day as a mark of respect.

# Farewell to the Year 65



The Year 6s had a wonderful end to their time at St Peter's journey. Everyone enjoyed the last couple of weeks, with the disco, the camp and the Leaver's Service and made some very special memories.

### **Minor Accident / Incident Reports**

If your child has had a minor accident then we notify you electronically using ParentMail.

If your child comes home wearing a wristband, please monitor them closely and seek medical advice should you have any concerns.

# It's not too late

to join the After-School Clubs!

There are spaces in most of the KS1 Clubs; Gardening on Monday, Sports on Tuesday and Strictly Come Dancing on Wednesdays.

In KS2 Clubs there are places in Crafty Cup on Mondays, Netball on Wednesday and Circuits on Thursday.

Please contact the office if your child would like to join a club.



Creating your own Christmas Cards.

In the meantime help us raise money by entering the St Peter's 50/50 Lotto! Last year 9 different families won £77.50 and 1 lucky family won twice!



# **Birthday Celebrations**

We kindly

First aid

ask parents not to send sweets or cakes into school for their child's birthday as we have a number of children with allergies. If you would like to mark your child's birthday you might like to donate a book to their class. We will put a name plate inside the front cover of the book to mark their

If you need ideas of books to buy, please see our **Amazon Wishlist** 

special day.