

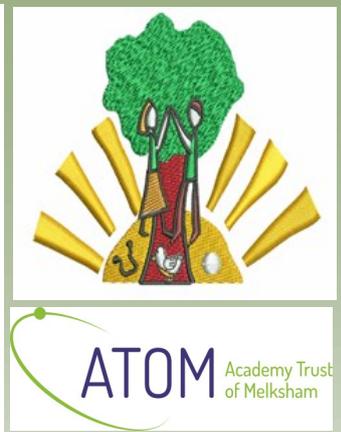
Shaw School Newsletter

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Headteacher's News

Dear Parents

Year 5 have had a fantastic couple of days away this week. It has been a pleasure to spend time with such a wonderful class, all of whom pushed themselves, supported each other and had a generally good time out of school. Mission Shaw in action!

Speaking of which, we have our 5 yearly Diocesan inspection next week. The inspector will be in on Tuesday to look at all elements of our school that combine to make it an effective and distinctive Church School. I will let you know the outcome in due course. We are all looking forward to talking to him about Mission Shaw.

Don't forget the PAFOS AGM on Monday 9th in the Library at 7.30. All are very welcome.

On Wednesday, we have our annual Open Day for prospective parents, with tours of the school at 9.30, 11am or 1.30pm. Year 6 pupils will be giving the tours and then parents can meet with me for coffee in the Library.

A reminder that individual and family photos will be taken on Monday. Please see previous email for details.

Finally, I have been asked to pass on the extreme gratitude of Melksham Food Bank for your generous donations from the Harvest Service.

Have a lovely weekend.

Regards

Simon White

Headteacher

Dates for your diary (sorry to mention Christmas already!)

W 4th—F 6th October—Yr 5 to Braeside

M 9th Oct—Individual Photos am. **PAFOS AGM—7.30**

W 11th Oct—Open Day. Tours at 9.30, 11.00 and 1.30. Book places with the school Office.

W 18th October —school ends for half term—3.15.

M 30th Oct—TD day—school closed to pupils.

Tu 31st Oct—Term 2 begins 8.45.

Dates for your diary (sorry to mention Christmas already!)

M 13th Nov—Parents Evening 3.30—7

W 15th Nov—Parents Evening 2.30—5

Fri 8th Dec—PAFOS Fayre—2—4

Th 14th Dec—Christingle—Yr 3 and 4, 6pm in Church

F 15th Dec - Reception Scratch Nativity—2.30 in the Hall

M 18th Dec—KS1 Nativity 2pm

Tu 19th Dec— Christmas Dinner

KS1 Nativity 6pm

W 20th Dec—Carol service in Church 1.30pm, school ends 2.30, no after school club.

Our Key Christian Value this term is:

THANKFULNESS. We all have so much to be thankful for. This term we will be exploring this theme in assemblies and through our Harvest celebration. Thankfulness is one of our defence shields on Spaceship Shaw. Being thankful keeps us happy. It also help us to be generous and compassionate.