



GUSTON

CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

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We appreciate that we are requesting lots of charitable donations over the next couple of weeks; Operation Christmas Child (12th), Odd Socks Day (15th) and Children in Need (19th). Whilst these are all important, please only donate what you can.

"You must each decide in your heart how much to give. And don't give reluctantly or in response to pressure. 'For God loves a person who gives cheerfully'." 2 Corinthians 9:7

Any contribution is gratefully received. Thank you.



Operation Christmas Child

Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse, a Christian international relief organisation. Their mission is to provide local partners around the world with shoeboxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies as a means of reaching out to children in their own.

They ship these simple gifts to children affected by war, poverty, natural disaster, famine, and disease.

This year, we are supporting this important project and are asking for contributions for shoe boxes. We would like to make as many shoeboxes as possible. Donations should be made by 12th November to enable them to be collected and shipped to appropriate places.

Further information and ideas for suggested donations has been shared with the children and emailed to you directly. There are strict guidelines as to what can be included.

Please also send in shoe boxes (or similar)! Thank you!

<https://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/>



Children in Need
19th November

We will be supporting CiN again this year by asking the children to wear something spotty and bring in a donation of £1.

Thank you for your support.



Remembrance Service

Thursday 11th November at 10.45am

We are thrilled to be able to invite parents in to school, to help us mark this important date in our school calendar.

Children will be leading the Service.

We look forward to you joining us then.

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TERM 2

Week 2

Monday 8th November
Dolphins Class Forest School
3—4pm Y1 & Y2 Ball Skills Club
3.30pm—5.30pm Parent consultation (Day 2 of 2)

Tuesday 9th November
3—4pm KS2 Football Club
3-4pm Gurkha Cultural Club

Wednesday 10th November
Dolphins Class—Swimming
3—4pm KS1 & KS2 Gymnastics Club
6-7pm Karate Club

Thursday 11th November
3—4pm KS2 Rugby Club
10.45: Remembrance Service
Y3 Trip to Dover Cineworld

Friday 12th November
Operation Christmas Child donation date
2:30pm Celebration Assembly—All welcome

Week 3

Monday 15th November
Odd Sock day (£1 donation)
Jellyfish Class Forest School
3—4pm Y1 & Y2 Ball Skills Club

Tuesday 16th November
3—4pm KS2 Football Club
3-4pm Gurkha Cultural Club

Wednesday 17th November
Dolphins Class—Swimming
3—4pm KS1 & KS2 Gymnastics Club
6-7pm Karate Club

Thursday 18th November
3—4pm KS2 Rugby Club

Friday 19th November
Children in Need (£1 donation)
2:30pm Celebration Assembly—All welcome



SUPERSTARS!

Our superstars this week are:

Racheal, Shiv,
Nerissa, Annabelle,
Summer and Ruby C.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Well done



Dear Parents/Carers,
WOOHOO... MONDAY 15TH NOVEMBER IS ODD SOCKS DAY!

Odd Socks Day 15th November

On Monday 15th November children will be asked to wear odd socks for the day and bring in £1 for the Anti-Bullying Alliance.

This is to launch our Anti-Bullying Week where children will take part in a range of activities to celebrate our differences. Last year 13,000 schools took part, and this year Andy Day (no relation of Mrs Day sadly!) and the Oddsocks (Cbeebies) song "One Kind Word" is our focus for some fun. Stand up to bullying and join in.



POPPY APPEAL

Don't forget to buy your Poppy's, Silicon Wristbands, Reflectors and Zip Pulls to support this wonderful charity. They are now on sale at the school office.

HOUSE POINTS

THIS WEEK'S RESULTS:

BURGOYNE: 535
REDOUBT: 453
KEARSNEY: 401
CONNAUGHT: 396

Writer of the week

The nominations this week are:

Obie, Jiyong, Jellyfish, Dolphins,
Ethan (Y5) and Faye



The winner is: Jiyong!

Well Done!