

“Children don’t care how much you know, until they know how much you care”



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Newsletter

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Diary Dates

Friday 20th November ... *Parents as Partners*, Diamond and Pearl Classes
Friday 20th November ... Emerald Class Cake Sale at 3.15pm
Friday 27th November ... *Parents as Partners*, Diamond and Pearl Classes
Friday 4th December ... *Parents as Partners*, Diamond and Pearl Classes
Friday 4th December ... 3.15pm, PTFA Christmas Fayre
Friday 11th December ... Diamond, Pearl, Amber and Ruby Classes to Merlin Theatre
Monday 14th December ... Christingle service
Wednesday 16th December ... 8.30am, Magic Breakfast for parents
Wednesday 16th December ... Christmas lunch for children
Thursday 17th December ... Father Christmas will be in his Christ Church Grotto
Thursday 17th December ... Headteacher’s Commendations and Golden Time Party
Friday 18th December ... Christmas carols at school
Monday 21st December – Monday 4th January ... Christmas Holiday/Inset Day
Tuesday 5th January ... Children back to school

Message from our guest editor: Pudsey Bear

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends of Christ Church,

Thank you for making me feel so welcome at your school last Friday. Your children were absolutely amazing! I agree with Emma and Ben from BBC Radio Somerset: the children at Christ Church really are the best in the county!

Thank you for raising an amazing £290.18 for BBC Children in Need (up from £173.31 last year). You really are superheroes! The money you raised from donations and cake sales helped me raise a record breaking £37 million this year, overtaking last year’s total of £32.6 million.

Your support and generosity will help make a positive difference to thousands of children and young adults across the UK, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

Your big furry friend,
Pudsey Bear



Frome Extravaganza Workshops

@ Christ Church C of E First School

As part of this year’s Frome Extravaganza several classes are joining in workshops to make masks for the festivities.

Full details on what’s happening, and when, can be found online by visiting

<http://www.discoverfrome.co.uk/annual-events/christmas-extravaganza/>

Year 4 Kilve Court Residential

If you haven’t yet returned your permission slip, please do so as soon as possible.

Payments can also be made via the school office at any time.

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Did you know ... that whenever you buy anything online this

Christmas you could be raising a free donation for our school!

It’s really simple; all you have to do is visit

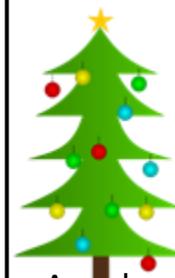
www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/christchurchfirstptfa

After you’ve checked out, that retailer will make a donation to our

school for no extra cost whatsoever to yourself!

Please help us this Christmas by giving more than a gift.

PTFA The Parents, Teachers
and Friends Association
of Christ Church First
School



Christmas Fayre
4th December 2015
3.15pm



Any donations of gifts, bottles, toiletries, toys,
books and chocolates are gratefully received.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Merlin Theatre Company Christmas competition!

Design a magical, handheld sea creature puppet for your chance to win a family ticket to the show, *The Little Mermaid*. Runner-up puppets will also take to the stage alongside the winning creation. Be as colourful and creative as possible!

Deadline for entry is Tuesday 1st December. Drop your puppets in to the Merlin Theatre to enter, along with your name, age and contact details.

English Language Classes with Sindy Uttley

Every Tuesday morning,
9.15–11.15 in school.

Whether you are an absolute
beginner or just want to improve
your skills, everyone is welcome.

£3.50 per session

KS2 Workshop

Tuesday 24th Nov
3.15–4.00pm

Come along and share
with us in a fun
workshop to learn
how we teach your
children reading
and spelling.

School Photos

Once again, our school
photographer has
produced stunning
portrait photos of our
children. Please don’t
forget the deadline for
photo orders is Friday
27th November 2015.

Christ Church C of E First School and Nursery are supporting Operation Christmas Child this year

*Donations should be brought into class by
Friday 20th November.*

*Boxes will be packed during Golden Time.
Each class will write a special message to
place in the box so that the child receiving
the gift knows the parcel was sent with
love from children in Frome!*

All donations are made on a purely voluntary basis and
families are free to choose whether to participate.