



OAKINGTON C of E (A) PRIMARY SCHOOL

HEAD TEACHER:
Mrs. Sally Daggianti

1st December 2016

Dear Parents.

Last Friday we received the South Cambs Primary Schools Football Trophy as we were winners of the League during 2015-16 which is fantastic news! Many local primary schools in the area took part and we won every match we played apart from one match which was a draw. Children also behaved as good sportsmen and were gracious towards the other players. These children were part of the team: Sean Pinner, Adam Butt, George Kirby, Fraser Christie, Harry Wilson, Reeve Mowatt, Toby Coulson, Noah Cannon, Toby Wilson, Aidan Watts and Callum Barker who were trained by Mr. Wilson. A big well done to all who competed, coached, encouraged and supported in any way! This season has started well again –we recently won the first match we played 7-2.

Yours sincerely,
Sally Daggianti

PSA

A big thank you to members of the PSA, to parents and others who helped at or supported the recent Firework Display on November 5th. Approximately £1,100 profit was made which will go into PSA funds. At the moment PSA are raising money to turn a small piece of overgrown land into a quiet seated area for children at break times and are also raising money for an outdoor castle for the children's use. This coming Saturday, 3rd December at 2.00pm we will be holding our Christmas Fayre with a Christmas café, tombola, Santa's grotto, Christmas decorations, stalls, carol singing, crafts and book stall. I look forward to seeing many of you there.

Nativity and Carol Service

The dress rehearsal for Key Stage 1 Nativity will be held at 9.30am on Monday, 12th December followed by the performance on Tuesday, 13th December at 1.45pm. As spaces are limited, please bring younger siblings to the Dress Rehearsal and remember to return slips requesting tickets to school. The Carol Service will take place at 9.30am in St. Andrew's Church on the last day of term, 20th December and all parents and friends are warmly invited.

Christmas post box

The Christmas post box will be available in the reception hall from next Monday, 5th December so that children can post their cards in school. Please make sure cards have the appropriate name and class written on the front of the envelope.

Shoobox Appeal and Children in Need

Thank you to all those who brought in a shoobox for Samaritans Purse. A total of forty three shooboxes have been sent to children in Kurgistan. Thank you too for donations to Children in Need. A total of £136.41 was raised which will be sent to the charity.

Christmas Jumper Day

On Friday, 16th December we will be celebrating Christmas Jumper Day in school when children are invited to come to school dressed in a festive or brightly coloured jumper and bring £1 to donate to Save the Children charity.

Family Support Worker

Next Wednesday morning, 7th December at 9.00am there will be an informal Drop In session in the After School Club Room to meet the new Family Support Worker, Catherin Plzywara. Refreshments will be provided and a toy corner for pre- school children.

Start of School Day

Please note that children from years R-4 need to be supervised on the playground by parents or carers between 8.45am and the start of the school day at 8.50am when teachers come to collect children to take through to classes. Please also, in the interests of health and safety, make sure children push their scooters or bikes when they arrive at the main school gates until they have parked them in the shelters. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter

Children's Service

Children from school will be taking part in St. Andrew's Children's Service again on 11th December at 10.15am in St. Andrew's Church. If your child would like to come to the service please return the reply slip at the foot of this letter to school.

Dates for your diary...

Friday, 2 nd December	St. Nicholas' Day
Saturday, 3 rd December, 2.00pm	Christmas Fayre
Sunday, 11 th December, 10.15am	Children taking part in St. Andrew's Children's service
Monday, 12 th December, 9.30 am	Nativity Dress Rehearsal
Tuesday, 13 th December, 1.45 pm	Nativity
Monday, 12 th December	School Christmas Dinner
Friday, 16 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday, 20 th December, 9.30 am (St. Andrew's Church)	Carol Service
Tuesday, 20 th December	End of Term
Wednesday, 4 th January	Teacher Training Day
Thursday, 5 th January	Pupils return to school

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My son/daughter.....will be taking part in the St. Andrew's Children's Service in the school hall on Sunday, 11th December at 10.15am

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