



# St Giles CofE Primary School

## Friday Flyer – 13<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Dear Parents

They say 'times flies when you're having fun', well there must be a lot of this happening at school as we have nearly reached the end of our first half term, where has the time gone! Everyone, children and staff, have been working hard and I know the children are beginning to flag, well done to them all for the great start to the year. This coming week is a busy one, with parents' evenings, new reception coffee morning, a dance workshop and finally Maple Class' cake sale to finish the week. Please bring your pennies (and pounds!) and enjoy a celebratory cake before we break up for half term. Please note we have cake boxes, so if you wish to buy cakes to take away bring a little extra money.

### Coats reminder

Winters on its way, this week lots of children have been complaining they are cold at playtime and during lunch break, please ensure they have a warm coat. This is particularly important for pupils taking part in Forest School sessions, the moat area is very shady and takes a long time to warm up.



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**Maple cake sale** – This is the last day before half term **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> 3.15**. All proceeds will go to maple class, once they have totalled up the proceeds the children will be involved in deciding how best to spend the money with a focus on improving their learning.

Diwali dance work shop this week – **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October**

Happy Diwali



**Oak Class Coffee morning** (aimed at new Reception Parents although Year 1 parents are also welcome as well) – Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> from 9.10 in the school hall – come along and meet other parents, visit our library and learn about the Early Years Curriculum. We will be giving you lots of useful tips to support your child's learning.



**Reminder – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October – INSET day, so children return to school on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October**

**Mrs Maynard's word challenge!**

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### Learners of the week

Oak – Jonny Gleghorn for being extremely enthusiastic and asking fantastic questions during Science.

Elm – Sam Dunstan – for fantastic concentration whilst completing his writing in lessons

Sycamore – Hamish Herridge for his well-written newspaper report.

Maple – Balian for his great RE homework task



**Vocab Ninja** – Mischievous – Charlotte Hord

Team points winners this week: **Blue**

### **Dates for the Diary**

**14<sup>th</sup> October (Saturday) Friends of St Giles (PTA) Quiz Night**

**17<sup>th</sup> October – New Reception Coffee Morning – come and learn about phonics/reading etc**

**17<sup>th</sup> October – Parents consultation evening (Year 1-6) 3.30-5pm**

**19<sup>th</sup> October – Parents consultation evening (Year 1-6) 4-7pm**

**20<sup>th</sup> October – Maple Cake Sale 3.15pm**

**Half term 23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> October**

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October – INSET day**

**6<sup>th</sup> November – Maple Class workshop**

**8<sup>th</sup> November – New Parents Open Morning**

**13<sup>th</sup> November – Anti-bullying week**

**13<sup>th</sup> November – World Kindness Day!**

**17<sup>th</sup> November – Children in Need**

**23<sup>rd</sup> November – Sycamore Class Assembly 9.10am**

**27<sup>th</sup> November – Flu Vaccination (for Year R, 1,2,3 and 4)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> December – Friends of St Giles (PTA) Christmas Fair**

**12<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Nativity, 2-3pm – Year R, 1 and 2**

**19<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Service, 6-7pm at Church – Year 3, 4, 5 and 6**

**Answer = potato**

Chartwells are looking to recruit a kitchen assistant to work in the kitchen at St Giles School, Monday – Friday, 10 hours per week, term time only. Full training will be provided and enhanced DBS checks will be carried out on successful applicants. For further information please contact Laurey Davis 07919165984 [Laurey.davis@compass-group.co.uk](mailto:Laurey.davis@compass-group.co.uk)