

# Long Crendon News



LONG CRENDON SCHOOL

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OUR VALUE IN NOVEMBER WILL BE: COURAGE

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## Autumn Term 19th October 2018

As a maintained school, from time to time we may carry signposting information about organisations offering goods or services that may be of interest to members of the community. This is a community service and does not constitute an endorsement of the goods or services by the school.

### Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a very busy week in school, with Parents' Evenings, the Harvest Festival, World Values Day and a visit from the NSPCC to deliver assemblies to all the children and workshops to Year 5 and Year 6. As if that wasn't a packed enough week; today the school is full of Superheroes, who are urgently rushing around trying to save the class teddies!

We are very sorry to hear that the Long Crendon Biodiversity Group are disbanding. The group has long been a supporter of the school and has helped us with projects. Very generously, they have decided to donate their remaining funding of £610.40 to the school, to be spent on biodiversity and Forest school activities. Our thanks to all the group members for their help in the past, especially Mike Le Brun, who has been a great help and support.

I hope you all have an enjoyable half term.

**Very best wishes**

**Sue Stamp**

### VALUES LEAF HUNT

Remember your Autumnal wander around Long Crendon over half term. See if you can spot the eight Values leaves hung near different street signs. They will be in place by the time you leave school on Friday. Hand your completed forms in by November the 5th and the Junior Road Safety Officers will present the winner's prize. Please note they will not be amongst the road works along Chearsley Road!

We hope that as many children as possible will be encouraged to take part in this activity as part of their half term homework.

### PTA NEWS

#### Firework display tickets on sale now!

Another reminder that tickets are on sale now for the Fireworks Display on Saturday 3rd November. This year's Bonfire celebrations may seem a long way off but it will soon be upon us once the half term holidays are over, so book NOW to benefit from advance prices. Advance tickets cost £6 for adults and £4 for children (0-3 years go free). Tickets are on sale from Lesley in the School Office or from

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/longcrendonpta>

#### PTA Committee Meeting – 7th November

All parents are invited to the upcoming PTA Committee meeting on 7th November at 7.30pm in the staff room. If you'd like to come along please email [longcrendonpta@gmail.com](mailto:longcrendonpta@gmail.com). If you're unable to attend but want to raise something for discussion please speak to your Class Rep who will make sure the topic is covered.

### SCHOOL APPLE JUICE

With fantastic donations of fruit for our Apple Pressing Day we were able to send the surplus off to Longwick for professional pressing and bottling. All 77 bottles of juice that were created were sold at this year's Harvest Festival Assembly raising £150 for the school's Eco club. A great big thank you to all who donated fruit or who bought bottles of juice, and an even bigger thank you to the Eco Club members for creating the bottle labels and to those parents in the Eco Working Group who were involved in helping this happen.



**DIARY DATES**

22nd – 26th HALF TERM  
 Mon 29th Back to School  
 Tues 30<sup>th</sup> \* 'Onesie Upon A Time' 5.45-6.45pm  
 Weds 31st Y6 trip to Open Air Museum

**NOVEMBER**

Sat 3rd PTA Fireworks  
 Weds 7th 9.15am Open Morning for children due to start School in September 2019.  
 Mon 19th-Fri 23rd \* Writing Week  
 Tues 20th \*Phonics Information Evening 7.15pm  
 Tues 20th Flu Immunisations Years F, 1,2,3,4 and 5  
 Thurs 22nd 9.15am Open Morning for children due to start School in September 2019.  
 Fri 23rd \* Y3 trip to College Farm  
 Fri 30th \* PTA Mufti Day for Christmas Fair

**DECEMBER**

Sat 1st \* PTA Christmas Fair  
 Weds 5th Christingle workshops in school  
 Weds 5th \* Y6 Christmas Festival of Music  
 Thurs 6th \* Christingle Services at St. Mary's  
 Tues 11th \* KS2 to Panto at Aylesbury Waterside  
 Weds 12th \* KS2 Christmas Concert  
 Fri 14th \* Foundation & KS1 Xmas Performance  
 Mon 17th \* Foundation & KS1 Party pm  
 Weds 19th Last day of term!

\*More information to follow

