



OAKHURST NEWS

Oakhurst Community Primary School's Fortnightly Newsletter

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HEAD-itorial - Parent Interviews

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to term 2 at Oakhurst. This promises to be an exciting time in school as the children will have the opportunity to receive a guided tour of the new building as well as enjoying the Christmas festivities.

Next week we host our first parent evening meetings. Please sign up for a 10 minute appointment on the forms located in the classroom entrance. Alternatively, please telephone the school to make an appointment.

Our next newsletter will be sent home on Friday 20th November, the day we hold our Children in Need Day. Don't forget, the theme is Night time Day! Dress in your pyjamas and bring a favourite toy to school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes

Dale Burr
Headteacher

Children in Need 2009
Friday 20th November
'Night time Day'
Dress in your pyjamas and bring in
your favourite toy to school.
Enjoy stories in our 'School Den' as
well as other 'Night time' activities!
Suggested donation
for Children in Need 50p.



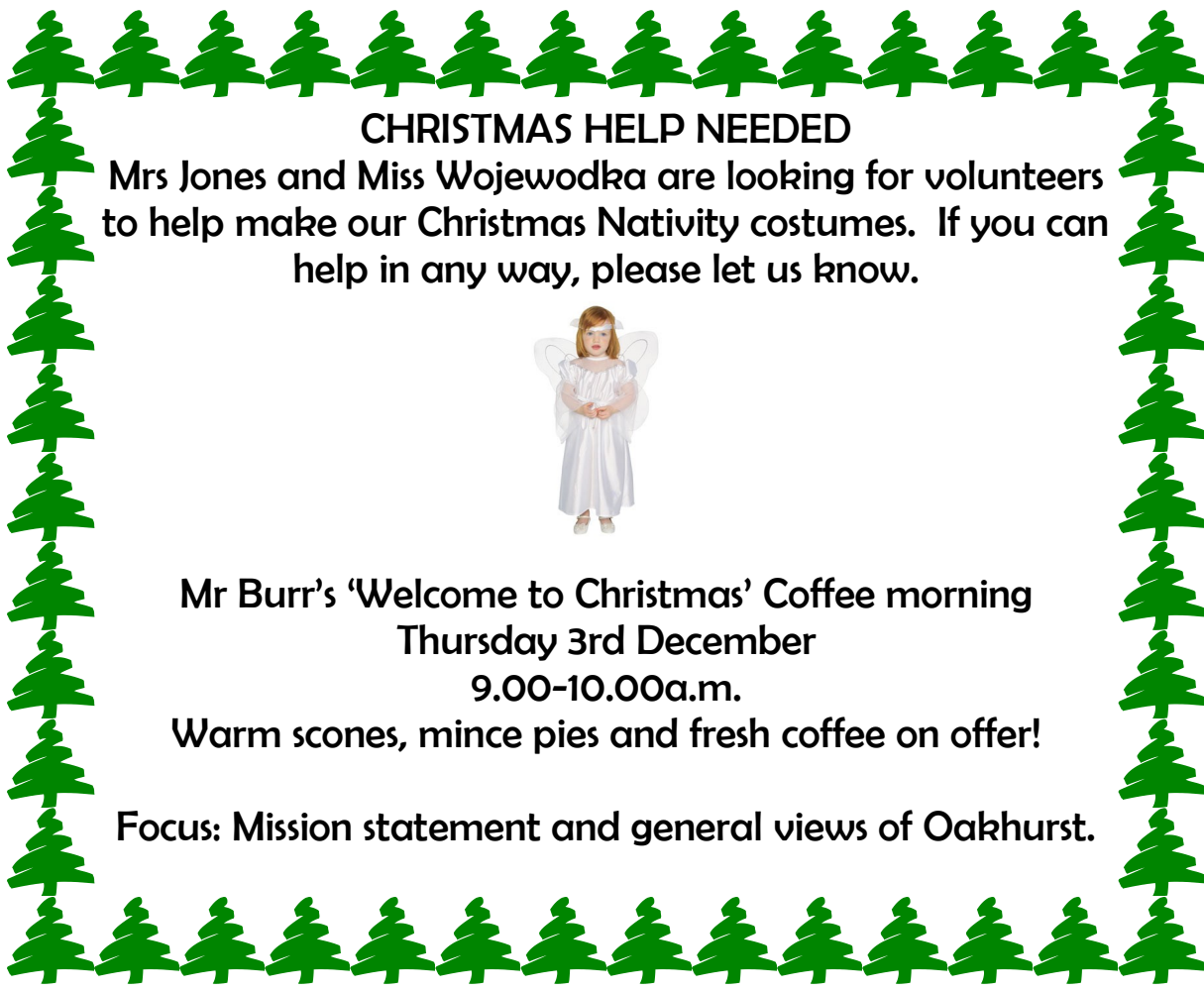
Oakhurst Games Club

Every morning

8.00 a.m.—8.45 a.m.

No need to book, just
turn up!

£2.00 a session.



CHRISTMAS HELP NEEDED

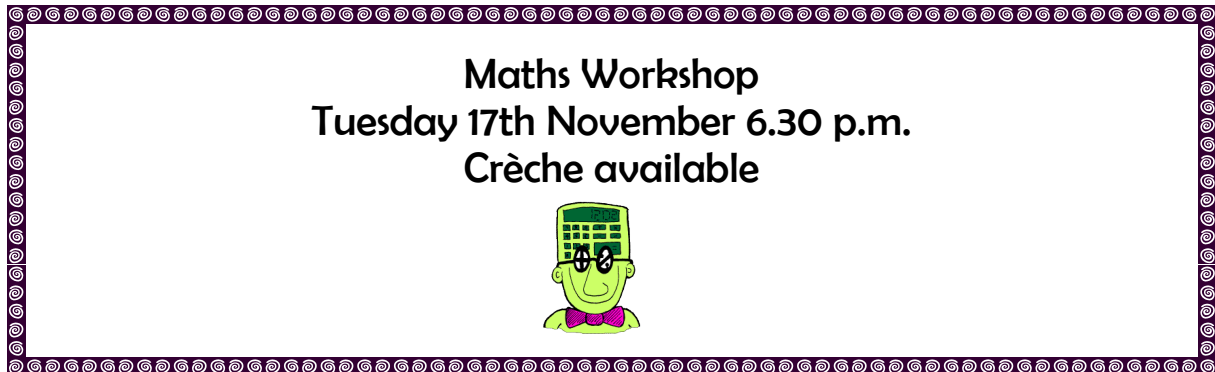
Mrs Jones and Miss Wojewodka are looking for volunteers to help make our Christmas Nativity costumes. If you can help in any way, please let us know.



Mr Burr's 'Welcome to Christmas' Coffee morning
Thursday 3rd December
9.00-10.00a.m.

Warm scones, mince pies and fresh coffee on offer!

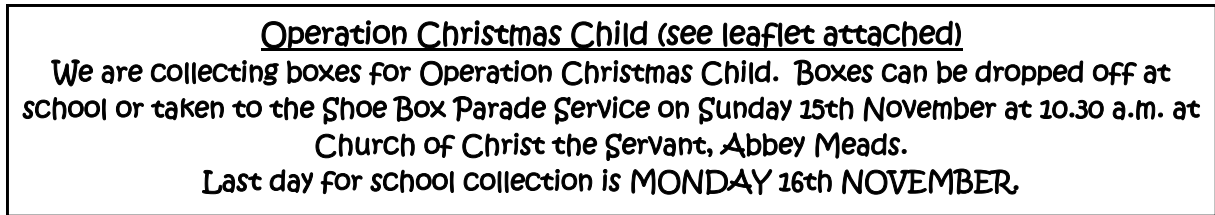
Focus: Mission statement and general views of Oakhurst.



Maths Workshop
Tuesday 17th November 6.30 p.m.
Crèche available



**WE WELCOME KARL O'BRIEN AND HIS
FAMILY TO OAKHURST SCHOOL.**



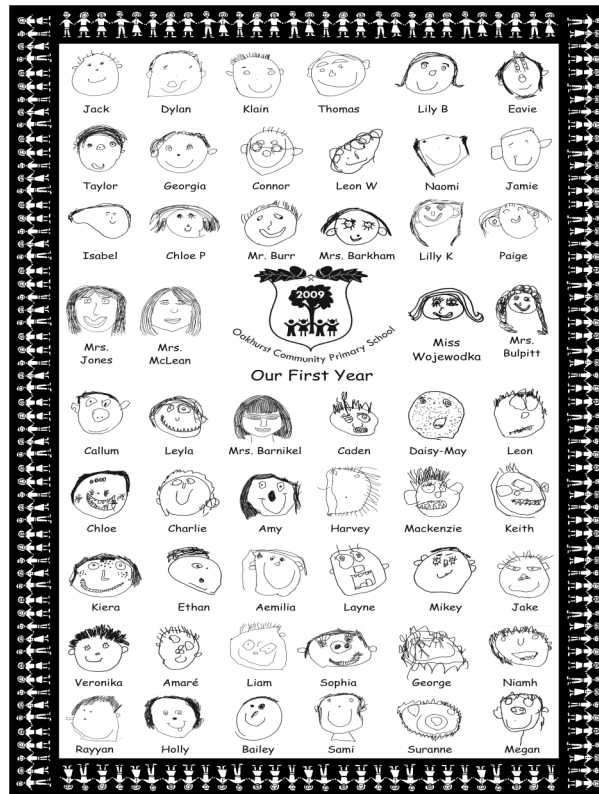
Operation Christmas Child (see leaflet attached)

We are collecting boxes for Operation Christmas Child. Boxes can be dropped off at school or taken to the Shoe Box Parade Service on Sunday 15th November at 10.30 a.m. at Church of Christ the Servant, Abbey Meads.

Last day for school collection is **MONDAY 16th NOVEMBER.**

FOCuS Group News (Friends of Oakhurst Community School)

We received over 91 orders for the personalised tea towels. Below is a preview of the children's self-portraits. The final product will be purple on white and be arriving to school in time for Christmas. The FOCuS group have ordered 110 towels, so if you didn't order or want to make an additional order, let the office know as soon as possible.



Popcorn Club

Over £40 was raised from our first popcorn club. Look out for our next Popcorn club!

Dates for your diary

Christmas Fayre
Saturday 12th December
1.00 p.m.—5.00 p.m.

Next FOCuS Meeting

Tuesday 10th November 7.45 p.m. at The Tawny Owl.

DIARY DATES
NOVEMBER

- Monday 9th:** Interview for Clerk to the Governing Body
Tuesday 10th: Parent/teacher consultations 5.00-7.30 p.m.
Tuesday 10th: FOCuS meeting 7.45 p.m.
Wednesday 11th: Parent/teacher consultations 3.30-5.30 p.m.
Tuesday 17th: Maths Workshop 6.30-7.30 p.m.
Friday 20th: Children in Need—Night time Day 50p

DECEMBER

- Thursday 3rd:** Christmas Coffee Morning 9.00-10.00 a.m.
Friday 4th: Non-uniform day (bring a bottle to school)
Saturday 12th: Christmas Fayre 1.00 p.m. - 5.00 p.m.
Tuesday 15th: Christmas Play 1.30 p.m.
Wednesday 16th: Christmas Play 6.30 p.m.
Thursday 17th: Christmas lunch
Friday 18th: Christmas Class Parties (school finishes at 1.30 p.m.)

JANUARY

- Monday 4th:** School Closed Teacher Training Day

FEBRUARY

- Monday 15-19th:** Term break

MARCH

- Tuesday 2nd:** Parent/teacher consultations 5.00-7.30 p.m.
Wednesday 3rd: Parent/teacher consultations 3.30-5.30 p.m.

JULY

- Monday 12th:** Annual Report sent home
Tuesday 13th: Open School Drop-in 3.30-5.00 p.m.

Oakhurst Nursery

In September 2010 we open our school nursery. At present we have 58 names on a waiting list for 52 places. We have yet to finalise admission arrangements and urge families of the Oakhurst area to register as soon as possible to avoid missing a place.

SCHOOL DINNERS

Our lunch menu is available on the school website.
Orders close each Wednesday for the following week.
Meals cost £2.00 per day.