

13 October 2023 (Autumn Term Week 6)

This week, we've gone from 'oats and beans and barley grow' for Harvest to learning about magical beans. Jack and the Beanstalk has been our focus story and the children have loved the drama of it and the opportunity for more role play.

The children have created beanstalk pictures and looked at various types of beans.



Forest School

Mr P showed the children how to make a see-saw and play hide and seek in the leaves.





They were introduced to new counting boards and were asked to find natural materials and put the correct amount on the corresponding number.







Autumn is here and it is a wonderful time of year for colour. The children have explored the autumnal colours and the leaves.









Next Week

- 2 year olds Room on the Broom
- 3 & 4 year olds The Princess and the Pea
- Friday 2 October last day of term for 3 & 4 year olds
- Monday 23 October Holiday club starts. Our 2 year olds and those opting into holiday club will be in for a 'trick or treat' with Merry-Go Round storytelling coming in for a fun-filled session of puppets, rhyme and of course storytelling.



Look out for what exciting things will be happening during our Christmas holidays....

WHOLE SCHOOL NEWS

PTA Fireworks Saturday 14 October 5pm - 9pm



* THE 4PM RUGBY MATCH (Wales vs Argentina/Japan) WILL BE SHOWN AT THE FIREWORKS ON SATURDAY 14 OCTOBER *

The bar will be open from 3.30pm, although it is unlikely that other stalls will be up and running until the official event start time of 5pm. If you wish to watch rugby it will help enormously if you can please purchase your tickets in advance via ccpta.org.uk. Your wristbands will then be sent home with your (oldest) child on Thursday/Friday so all you will need to do is show them on the gate for easy access.

Copas Turkeys

Yes it is VERY early! However, Copas is a great local company and alumni of the school and they are offering their PTA cashback scheme again this year. Our PTA can earn up to £10 per turkey, just add "PTA Turkey Cashback" to the basket when you place your order. https://www.copasturkeys.co.uk/our-shop/christmas-2023/



Christmas Fair - Thursday 16 November

This is being held from 6.30pm - 9 pm at the Junior Sports Hall. Save the date in your diary, and feel free to bring a friend with you!

We'll be serving mince pies and mulled wine while you shop.

From the Main Office

Absence Reporting

Please report any sickness absence or medical appointments via the school office on 01628 327400 or email juniors@clairescourt.net. Thank you.

After School Care Contact Telephone Number from 5pm

If you need to contact the After School Care from 5pm onwards regarding a delay in collecting your child please telephone 01628 327591.

School Calendar

Please don't forget to check our <u>online school calendar</u> to see what is happening throughout the term.

Have a wonderful weekend

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