



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION POPPY APPEAL



Thank you for your support of our poppy appeal.

Year 2 went to visit the war memorial in Dorking earlier this week. Many thanks to Mrs Monk and Mr Humphrey for helping.

Also, as part of their class topic on World War II, Year 2 were delighted to welcome Mrs Ann Gowrley, Honor's grandmother, to talk about her memories of being a young child during the war.



ON-LINE SAFETY AWARENESS RAISING SESSION FOR PARENTS & CARERS

Wednesday 15th November at 6.30pm
and Thursday 16th November at 2.30pm

We would encourage all parents to come along to one of these important and informative sessions that Mrs Farr and Miss Noushin will be leading for parents and carers to assist you in keeping your children safe on-line. If you would like to attend, please complete and return the slip attached to the letter sent out today.



To date we have had a disappointing response to this event. Please do consider coming along as it is a key area of importance in terms of parents ensuring that they are keeping their children safe on-line. From surveys we have completed with the children we know that some of them are accessing sites inappropriate to their age so please take this opportunity to keep yourselves informed of potential dangers.

Have you booked your tickets yet?



Friends of St Joseph's



Quiz Night

at St. Joseph's Church Hall

Friday 17th November 7.30 - 10pm

Tickets are £10 in advance and include a delicious hot supper and hot and soft drinks.

Bring your own wine / beer.

Please join us for our first fundraising event of the year. Get together your own team or just come along and join a team on the night.

You do not need to be a quiz enthusiast to join in the fun - just come along and enjoy good food and company!

The BIG SPOTACULAR

To support the annual **Children in Need** appeal the School Council are organising a

Mufti Day

next **Friday 17th November**

Children may wear their own "spotty" clothes to school on this day in return for a £1 suggested donation to Children in Need.

In addition, there will be a jar in the Entrance Foyer in which School Council will be collecting any of the old £1 coins. Even though they are no longer legal tender, charities such as Children in Need are still able to cash them in. So look down the back of your sofas and in coat pockets to check whether you still have any of these coins lurking which you can donate to the cause.

UNIFORM SALE

There will be a sale of second hand uniform on **Wednesday 15th November** at afternoon collection (3.15pm). The sale will take place in the car park at the Infant Entrance. Most items £1. FOSJ are looking for some more parents to help out with the sale, please let Mrs Cook know if you are available.

SCHOOL JOURNEY MEETINGS

A reminder to Year 5 parents that there will be an information meeting on **Wednesday 22nd November at 6.00pm** regarding the proposed School Journey to Calshot Activity Centre for 2018/19.

A reminder to Year 4 parents that there will be an information meeting on **Wednesday 22nd November at 7.00pm** regarding the proposed School Journey to Sayers Croft for 2018/19.



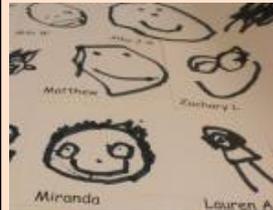
"MATHLETICS"

Congratulations to our Mathletes of the Week.

Karina Hills (KS1) and **Szymon Swiatek** (KS2)

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

November is a month where we traditionally remember all those who have died. This year we have set up a school book of remembrance. If you have family members who you would like to be commemorated in this way, please write their full name and anniversary date in your child's Home Contact Book so we can write them in our book and remember them in our prayers.



FOSJ TEA TOWEL

The FOSJ have organised a school tea towel featuring self-portraits of all the children. The tea towels will be sold for £5 each and would make ideal Christmas presents for family members. An order form will be sent out next week. Many thanks to Mrs Pitchford for organising this fund raiser.

CROSS COUNTRY

Well done to the following children from Years 3-6 who took part in the Dorking Schools' Cross Country race last week.

Joseph Barcellona	Dexter Duthie	Oliver Dutton
Samuel Steer	Maeva Hudson	Matthew Cluett
Nicholas Kokulus	Luke Glover	Maitilde Pitchford
Callum Cross	Shamuel Kokulus	Eva Pitchford
Jessica Fitch	Dexter Mortimer	William Bell
Maisie Carter	Iris Matthews	Archie Bell

Special congratulations to the children who achieved a top ten finish in their races: Joseph Barcellona (1st), Maeva Hudson (5th), Samuel Steer (10th) and Iris Matthews (10th). Many thanks to Miss Noushin for accompanying the children and to Mrs Pitchford for acting as a marshal.

*With all best wishes for the weekend,
Carolyn Scrutton [Headteacher]*

Compliments, Comments, Concerns, Queries, Reply Slip

Name:

Date: