



Christmas Holiday—School closes at 3.15pm Friday  
21.12.18

Re opens for the children on Tuesday 8th January  
2019.

### Friday 21st December

### Celebration Assembly

At this assembly we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Constance who has worked in Good Shepherd for over 20 years. Mainly in our Nursery and Reception Class and is now working in Year 4.

I am sure many of our parents know Mrs Constance or have even been taught by her. You are cordially invited to say good bye. She will be greatly missed but we all wish her a long and healthy early retirement.



On Wednesday night Year 3 received the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The children were a credit to our school and it was also a lovely way to help prepare for Christmas.

Well done Year 3  
Mrs Woodward

### Belgrade Theatre

On Tuesday 11th December KS1 went to the pantomime at Belgrade Theatre to see Sleeping Beauty.

They all had a great time and were also a credit to our school.



## Diary Dates



### December

- 18.12.18 2.00-3.00pm Carol Service
- 19.12.18 Christmas Dinner Day
- 20.12.18 Stable making for Reception 1.30-2.30pm
- 21.12.18 School closes at 3.15pm



### January

- 07.01.19 Teacher Training Day (School Closed to pupils)
- 08.01.19 Children return to school
- 11.01.19 9.15am Celebration Assembly
- 13.01.19 Confirmation Thanksgiving Mass at St Elizabeth's Church 9.00am
- 14.01.19 9.15am Whole School Assembly
- 15.01.19 Yr.4 Swimming
- 16.01.19 Football Match V St Elizabeth's (A)
- 17.01.19 Netball Match V St Elizabeth's (A)
- 18.01.19 9.15am Celebration Assembly
- 21.01.19 9.15am Whole School Assembly
- 21.01.19 Year 5 Alton Castle residential visit
- 22.01.19 Yr.4 Swimming
- 25.01.19 9.15am Celebration Assembly
- 27.01.19 Holocaust Memorial Day
- 28.01.19 9.15am Whole School Assembly
- 29.01.19 School Photo's

### February

- 01.01.19 9.15am Celebration Assembly
- 04.01.19 Plas Dol-y-Moch Yr.6
- 05.02.18 Safer Internet Day
- 05.02.18 Yr.4 Swimming
- 06.02.19 Netball match V St Patrick's (H)
- 08.02.19 9.15am Celebration Assembly
- 11.02.19 9.15am Whole School Assembly
- 23.06.19 11.15am First Holy Communion— St Elizabeth's Church

Teacher training Days: 07.01.19 22.07.19

## Attendance

Actual Attendance: 96.79% Week beginning: 03.12.18

School Target: 97.00%

Reception: 97.29% Year 4: 96.33%

Year 1: 97.33% Year 5: 99.31%

Year 2 : 98.00% Year 6: 95.33%

Year 3: 93..70%

## Birthday Wishes

Bille-Joe Yr.4 Bradley Yr.5 Charlie Yr.5 Oliwia Yr.3  
Mehaan Yr.5 Arielle Yr.N Alice Yr.R

## Romero Cross Country

On Wednesday, 10 children from Y4-6 went to Cardinal Wiseman to take part in the Romero Cross Country Run. In a bitterly cold afternoon, the children ran with great heart, determination and resilience and were a credit to the school. Our boys finished fourth overall, with our girls finishing second overall. Well done to Rhys, Caiden, Kyde, Charlie, Piotr, Zuzanna, Ola, Elizabeth, Isla and Nicole. We are very proud of you!



Mr Kirby

## Romero Vacancies

Director and Local Academy Committee Representatives at the following academy :

Corpus Christi Good Shepherd SS Peter & Paul

St John Fisher St Patricks Sacred Heart

<https://www.bdes.org.uk/academies1.html>

## Internet Safety Tip of the Week



Keep your privacy settings as high as possible.

Why not join our 843 Twitter followers for the latest Good Shepherd news. @GoodShepherdCOV or check our facebook page. @goodshepherdcoventry



## KEEPING INFORMATION UP TO DATE

Please remember if you receive a new phone at Christmas and your number has changed. Please inform the school office on the day your child returns to school.

It is very important that we are able to contact you by text email or phone if your child is ill.

Thank you for your co operation .



## Dark Day

On Thursday 20th December Year 1 will be having a Dark Day.

This is a day where they wear their pyjamas in class. The room is dark and they have torches. They learn about light and dark, they have toast and hot chocolate. Which they are all looking forward to.



## Polite Notice

### PARKING

**When parking, we ask all parents to be considerate to our local resident, pedestrians and other road users.**

**We also ask that you do not block the pathway to our entrance in Simon Stone Street as many of our parents have pushchairs.**

**If you have any concerns please take a picture and contact: [Trafficmanagement@coventry.gov.uk](mailto:Trafficmanagement@coventry.gov.uk) or phone 02476833400**

## Parent Survey

Your views are important to us! Please could you take a few minutes to complete our new questionnaire? This will help us to know what we are doing well but also what we need to do to improve. We will take action based on your feedback and report back to you. Thank you for your ongoing support.

**We will close the survey on 21 December 2018**

**<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/RomeroNov18>**

**We have had 63 replies so far please complete as it only takes 5-7 minutes.**

## BOOK FAIR

Thank you to everyone who attended and supported our Book Fair our total came to £432.05.