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Newsletter 7

Dear Parents

New Twitter Account

Miss Biles has been working hard to set up a new Twitter account in addition to our school PE account. The new account @ssj_school – have a look and you will see some of our recent school activities.

Harvest Festival

Thank you for coming to church yesterday to be part of our harvest Festival. The children were amazing and each class sang a song or read some poems they had written. Thank you also to everyone for your generous donations, they are being collected by staff from the Basingstoke Foodbank tomorrow. You may have noticed that there was not a representative from the Foodbank at the service yesterday as they were not able to attend, we did however have two ladies – Jeanne and Claire – visit on Monday and they talked to the children about the work of the Foodbank during our school assembly.

Celebration Assembly

We had our half termly Celebration Assembly this week, where one child is chosen by their teacher to receive a certificate for a particular reason which could include working particularly hard, having an exceptional attitude towards their work or being supportive towards other pupils. The children chosen for this half term were Ethan, Lexi and Kitty from the Infants, and Lucy, Leo, Sonny, and Poppy from the Juniors.

Developing Independence in Year R

Please may I remind you to say good bye to your child at the main door into school after half term. Of course if you need to speak to a member of staff you are still very welcome to do so and we will always try to see you when you ask, however this may not always be possible to do at the start of the day and you may need to make an appointment via the school office.



Christmas Shoe Box Reminder

Please can I remind you that the filled Christmas Shoe Boxes need to be returned to school by Monday 5th November.

Forthcoming events:

Friday 19th October – INSET Day – School closed to children

Monday 22nd – Friday 26th October – School Closed for half term holiday

Monday 29th October – School re-opens for second half of autumn term

Yours sincerely



Mrs K Payne
Headteacher

Remember to follow our PE activities @SherborneSJPE and general school activities at @ssj_school

Please remember to help us raise funds by using:

<http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/sstjsa>

