



SUTTON NEWS

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STRIVE Safe Together Respect Integrity Valued Excellence

RUDOLPH Run

117%



Arthur Rank Hospice Charity **£1,172**

making every moment count raised of **£1,000** target

SCHOOL RAISES OVER £1,000 FOR LOCAL CHARITY!

To mark the beginning of Advent this year, pupils across the school participated in our Arthur Rank Hospice 'Rudolph Run' fund raising event.

Parents, family and wider community members supported the event by sponsoring the children to run around our school field as many times as they can in 10 minutes. Wearing the reindeer antlers given out by the Charity, they thoroughly enjoyed taking part in the run and meeting Arthur Bear, the charity's mascot, who came into school to cheer the children on!

A massive thank you must go to the Sarah Clayton and Arthur Bear from Arthur Rank Hospice, who spoke to the children about some of the work the hospice does for thousands of people in our local area each year.

An even bigger thanks must go to everyone who donated so generously. We set an ambitious fundraising target of £1,000 and I'm delighted to say you have smashed it! Thank you so much.



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PUPILS 'GIVE' FOR WELLBEING WEEK



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Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing.
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This week has been our second 'Wellbeing Week' of the academic year. Our focus has been on **Giving**.

Did you know that giving to others does amazing things like reducing your blood pressure and improving your sleep? Practicing random acts of kindness, volunteering time, or simply saying 'thank-you' all work wonders for your well-being.

We have linked this to our School Value of, **VALUED**.

*I like your odd socks
I like your hair
I like your trainees*

I like your outfit today. I like your hair style today. I like your shoes today.

Feeling Valued

F.O.S.S. CHRISTMAS MARKET

Sunday 5th December
11am to 2pm



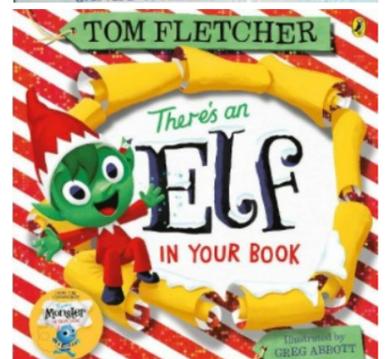
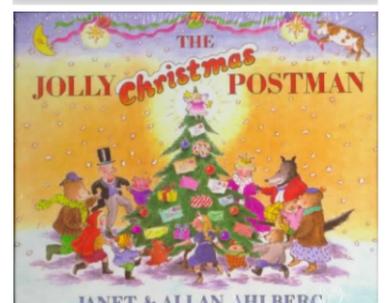
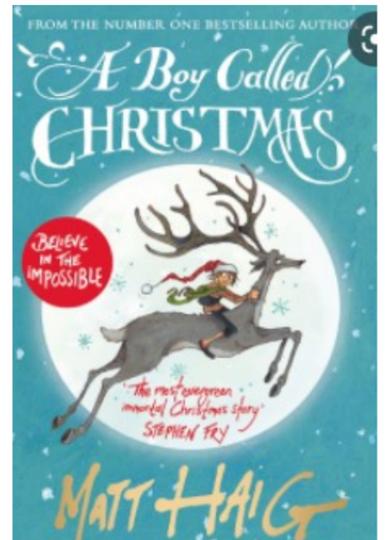
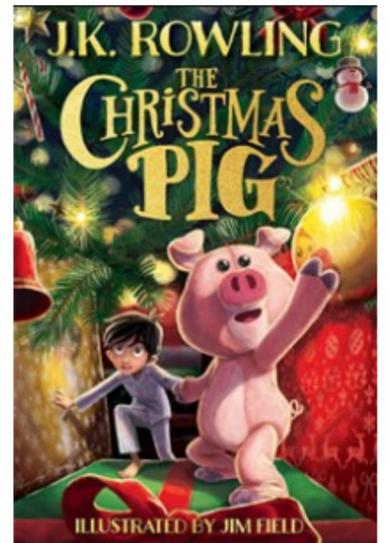
KEY DIARY DATES

- 5th December FOSS Christmas Market
- 10th December Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Dinner
- 14th December KS2 Carol Service (service will be recorded for parents)
- 17th December End of Autumn Term
- 4th January INSET Day—School Closed
- 5th January Start of Spring Term
- 19th January Year 5/6 Inter-School Football Competition
- 6th June Platinum Jubilee Holiday (school closed)

Mark Your **Calendar**

RECOMMENDED CHRISTMAS READS

Check out these books for some festive fun...





WOMEN'S FA CUP TICKET WINNERS ANNOUNCED



Thank you to everyone who entered our competition to design a poster linking our STRIVE values to sportsmanship. The standard was very high with some hugely imaginative creations. Mr Baxter, Mrs Garbutt and I have been deliberating as to who our winners will be and, although we'd like to present tickets to all entrants, there can only be three!



In choosing our winner, we have considered artistic merit, relevance to prominent topics in professional sport and understanding of our new school values.

So the lucky winners each receiving a pair of tickets to this weekend's Women's FA Cup Final at Wembley Stadium are...

Millie B in Year 4: Her emphasis upon 'STRIVE for change in sport' by using LGBTQ+ and Black Lives Matter symbols on her poster convey a hugely positive message of tolerance and respect.

Casper V in Year 6: The reference of different sports and how our school values link were hugely insightful. It is clear Casper has an enthusiasm and knowledge for sport and how it should be played.

Harley H in Year 6: This well presented, eye catching poster is clear and concise in highlighting how our values should be seen in any sport.

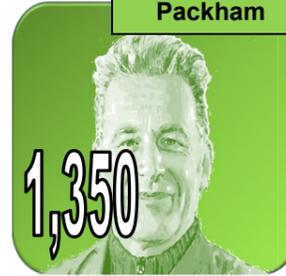


A huge well done to the winners. All entrants will be displayed on our PE Board and shared on the PE section of our school website.

A huge thanks to the Witchford Sports Partnership for providing the tickets.



HOUSE POINT TOTALS



With pupils across the school (and even Paintbox children!) accessing our Forest School Area, we are working to develop the space even further. A big thank you must go to Mr & Mrs Redman for donating wood and building a store in which to keep it dry.



PUPILS GET SHOPPING DONE AT THE F.O.S.S. CHRISTMAS BAZAAR!



Our amazing PTA, Friends of Sutton School, hosted a fantastic Christmas Bazaar on Friday. Children of all ages purchased and wrapped gifts for their loved ones!



On Friday 10th December, children are invited to wear their Christmas Jumpers in school. We are mindful that we have done a great deal of fund-raising in recent weeks and would like to reassure you **there is no obligation to donate money**. If you would like to make a donation, all proceeds will go to 'Save the Children' Christmas Jumper Day Appeal.