



### DVDs

We would be grateful if anyone has any DVDs they would be prepared to donate to the school that are suitable for all the children (U certificate).

### Lunchtime Supervisor



We are still looking for someone to join our team of Lunchtime Supervisors. Further details are available from Mrs Mooney in the school office.

**JOB VACANCY**

## DATES TO REMEMBER

- 18.12.17 KS2 - Showcasing their work @ 2pm
- 20.12.17 Christmas Service @ 9.15am
- Celebration Assembly @ 2.45pm
- 21.12.17 **INSET DAY**
- 08.01.18 First Day Back

# Combe St Nicholas C of E VA Primary School

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## Weekly Newsletter

14th December 2017



Over the next couple of weeks the children will be learning about the true meaning of Christmas and participating in lots of Christmas activities.



Well done to all of the children in the Nativity today, they were all fantastic. The group would also like to thank the parents for giving their support. Could parents please bring a carrier bag in with their child next week as their trays are a little full and some things can now come home.

Finally, the group would like to give a big welcome to Ernest



### Good to be Green

The children in KS2 have been working all term on this topic. The results of their endeavours will be presented on **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December**. We hope that parents will be able to come into school **from 2pm** to view the children's work.

### Stamps

The poet, Samuel Taylor Coleridge, lived in Somerset. One famous poem which he wrote is the 'Rime of the Ancient Mariner' which tells of the death of an albatross whilst a ship was sailing to Antarctica. Being in Somerset, learning about Antarctica and compassion to animals, it is appropriate that we should do all that we can to help to save these sea birds. Miss Kierstan has found out about a charity which is doing this by collecting stamps. Please would you collect any stamps from your Christmas post for us to send to this cause.



### Combe Factor

A big thank you to Mrs Nichols and Mrs Flanagan for their hard work and also to the judges. There will be a report in next week's newsletter.



### Sports

We held our first sporting assembly last Friday, in Key Stage 2, where we welcomed Nina Anderson from the Chard Taekwondo Club. She teaches several of our children but in KS2 she was accompanied by Tyler Hallett, who is currently a blue belt.



Tyler carried out several moves, including self-defence, set sparring and a pattern demonstration. We all agreed that he was fantastic and he even managed to say some words in Korean! Tyler is our new Taekwondo Ambassador, who will be happy to answer any questions, should your child be interested in taking up the sport. Our thanks to Nina and Tyler for the assembly.

### Carol Service @ Wells Cathedral

Congratulations to the choir who represented us so well at the Wells Cathedral Christmas Concert.



They sang and behaved beautifully in their individual performance and as part of the massed choir.

We are very grateful to Mrs Ellis-Trott for organising this event.



**Thank You!**

### Last Day of Term 20th December 2017

On the last day of term there will be the following services:  
Christmas Service @ 9.15am  
EVERYONE IS WELCOME  
Celebration Assembly @ 2.45pm  
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As in previous years, we will be holding an end of term Christmas Service in the church. As part of that service the children in Reception will help to tell The Christmas Story by acting the parts and creating a tableaux of the Nativity. Miss Kierstan will advise parents of any costume requirements. We hope parents will be able to join us for that service.

### Golden Book

Congratulations to the following children who were in the Golden Book w/c 11th December 2017:

Miss Kierstan's Class	Archie & Daniel
Mrs Bennett's Class	Ethan L & Richie
Mrs Cawley's Class	Grace & Rose
Mrs Rowson's Class	Oliver M & Anais
Mr Edward's Class	Tristen



### Clubs

There will be **NO** After School Club on the last day of term, **Wednesday 20th December.**

### Clubs

### 3Cs Shield & Purdon Cup



Could we ask the current holders of the 3Cs Shields & Purdon Cups if these could be returned to the office by next Tuesday.

