



# The Manor CE Primary School

*Aspire, Believe, Achieve  
Shine like stars in the sky*

## Dates for the Diary



- ⇒24/25 Nov: FOMS Wreath Making
- ⇒28 Nov: Prospective Reception Parents 2024 Meeting/Tour 9.30am
- ⇒30 Nov: FOMS Christmas Craft Morning
- ⇒**1 Dec: School Christmas lunch to be booked on Parentpay**
- ⇒1 Dec: Non Uniform Day for FOMS tombola donations
- ⇒1 Dec: FOMS Christmas Fayre 5—7pm
- ⇒5 Dec: EYFS Nativity 2.30pm
- ⇒7 Dec: KS1 Production to parents (Y1 & 2) 2pm and 5pm
- ⇒8 Dec: FOMS Christmas Gift Sale
- ⇒12 Dec: Whole school trip to Bristol Hippodrome Pantomime
- ⇒13 Dec: Christmas Dinner Day (Christmas jumper)
- ⇒14 Dec: Class Christmas parties
- ⇒15 Dec: Church Christmas Carol Service in Church 10am
- ⇒15 Dec: last day of Term 2
- ⇒2nd Jan: Term 3 starts—Inset Day
- ⇒3rd Jan: Children return to school

## New events in bold type

### Inset Days 2023/2024

- ⇒Tuesday 2 Jan 2024
- ⇒Friday 3 May 2024
- ⇒Friday 28 June 2024

We've enjoyed another brilliant week here at The Manor.

Year 3 and 4 kicked off their week as geographers with a local walk to explore the River Frome and the Frome Valley Walkway. The children were able to spot many of the different features of a river following their topic learning in class this term. Very impressive!

Last week, our Netball team competed in two matches after school. Both games were fast-paced and full of great shots and agonising near-misses. Well done to everyone who took part and represented out school so well. Our football team is set to play next week – good luck to everyone for that match.

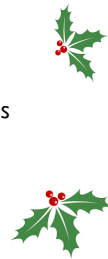
Thank you to all families who joined us for the parent/carer consultations this week. The teachers enjoyed sharing with you some of your child's many successes and achievements this term. Remember, if you have any questions or queries about your child's learning in the coming weeks and months, you can email the class teacher or arrange a meeting after school.

Have a lovely weekend everyone!

Team Manor

## Christmas dinner

School Christmas dinner is on Wednesday 13th December. You can book this on Parentpay from this weekend. All bookings to be made on Parentpay by Friday 1st December. Many thanks



## Attendance - Punctuality



Polite Reminder:

There have been a number of children arriving after the bell recently.

Gates are open at **8:40am**. Our school day starts at **8:50am**.



## — POPPY APPEAL —

Thank you very much for helping with our Appeal.

£ 251.55

was collected by you.

Without your help, we would be unable to continue our vital welfare and benevolent work.

Yours sincerely

*D. Banks*  
Local Honorary Organiser

District Total (if available) £

Registered Charity No. 219279



## Important Dates and things to remember!



We will now be sharing important class dates and any remember to's on this part of our newsletter. Please remember to keep an eye on our Facebook page for class activities! <https://www.facebook.com/groups/930513833807729>

EYFS A great big thank you to all the children learning their lines for our EYFS Nativity. We are very impressed with you all!

Y1 Y2 Please can children keep learning lines for the KS1 production. Many thanks

### Primary School 2024 Applications

Is your child due to start primary school in September 2024?

The application process for places is now open. Read South Gloucestershire Council's web pages and admission guides by following the links below. The deadline for primary, infant and junior applications is 15 January 2024. [Find out more](#)





# Extra Curricular clubs and activities



We have been asked to share the information on this page with our families.

Please note: as a school, we are not able to endorse any of these clubs - we are unable to comment on their suitability or their safeguarding procedures.

Many thanks

**Let's come together to celebrate Christingle**

Christingle is a great way for communities everywhere to get together this Christmas to catch up, make some special memories, and have fun.

**Come and join us!**

<b>Location:</b>	St Saviour's Church Hall Beesmoor Road Coalpit Heath
<b>Date:</b>	10th December
<b>Time:</b>	4pm
<b>To find out more, contact:</b>	Jessica Lock email thelilacs2@btinternet.com

christingle.org

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Scan the QR code to find out more.

**Smart Ballet**

WE INVITE YOU TO SMART BALLET'S

**Christmas DANCE PARTY**

**Wednesday 20th December**

**2.00PM - 4.15PM**

2-2.15PM PERFORMANCE FROM MISS SMART (SUGAR PLUM FAIRY)  
2.15-2.45PM DANCE WARM UP!  
2.45-3PM BREAK  
3-4PM LEARN A CHRISTMAS DANCE!  
4-4.15PM PERFORMANCE BY CHILDREN!

Book NOW - georgiarsmart@yahoo.co.uk 07751812701

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