

ILCHESTER COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

7th October 2016



Key Dates

20th October: Halloween Disco

21st October: Half term Holiday

31st October: School Commences

31st October: Year 6 Residential

2nd December: Clubs finish

6th December: Infant Nativity

7th December: Infant nativity

9th December 3:30: Christmas Bazaar

16th December: School finishes for

Christmas holidays

Macmillan Update

Thank you to all the FIS members for organising a wonderful event last Friday and to the parents for their kind donations. We managed to eat a colossal volume of cake (I'm speaking for myself) and made a fabulous profit of **£501.48**

Harvest Festival

Taking these parcels around the village and seeing the smiles on the faces of our elderly residents brings a smile to the faces of our year 6s and even the odd tear. This is a wonderful tradition and I would like to sincerely thank all those parents who have supported it with donations this year.

The winners of the decorate a box competition are pictured holding their box here. Well done to all the children. You may not have won but you have made someone's day!



Fossil Hunting

Children from Years 3, 4 and 5 enjoyed a fantastic visit to Charmouth this week and came back with some fantastic finds. Check the Class blogs for photos.

Boccia Tournament

Well done to all our team players for a great Boccia tournament earlier this week. Some team members are pictured.



House News

Congratulations to this year's House Captains and Vice Captains; also to our newly introduced Sports Captains. The Sports Captains organised our inaugural Inter-House 5 a Side Tournament this week with Wyvern and Griffin playing out a thrilling 2:2 draw and Unicorn beating Dragon 3:0.

Paperwork Plea

Could all parents please have a good rummage through the book bags and return any outstanding paperwork and data collection sheets to the school office please.

Camo Day

The school will be supporting SSAFA CAMO day on 21st October by wearing their CAMO gear/ home clothes to school and donating to this charity who work hard to support veterans and their families. (Don't buy anything special, children can wear what you wish).