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Pippin Nativity

Yesterday Pippin Class performed their nativity - *The Three Kings* to their parents. The children were amazing and performed brilliantly. Thank you to Mrs Small, Miss Toppin and Miss Lappin and all staff for working so hard with the children to ensure it was a such a wonderful performance. Well done everyone!

Russet Class and Bramley Class

In both Russet class and Bramley class the children have been working hard on poetry this week. In Russet Class, they have looked at a range of figurative language, such as similes, metaphors and hyperbole. They have used these poetic devices very effectively in their own poems to personify winter. The children in Bramley class have made thoughtful observations whilst outside, thinking about what they can see, hear and feel; before using their ideas to write their own poems using similes and personification.

Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day



We remind you that we will be having our Christmas lunch on Wednesday 17th December. On this day, children are invited to wear a Christmas jumper and party clothes. The deadline has now passed for ordering a hot meal for this day.

Please remember to order school lunches for the first week of the new term in January.

The deadline for ordering lunches for the first week in January is Monday 15th December. The second week needs to be ordered by Friday 2nd January. It is now possible to order up to February half term.

Carol Service – St Thomas A Becket Church

Next Friday, 19th December all children and staff will attend the Carol Service at St Thomas A Becket Church. The Carol Service will start at 1.30pm and all parents are invited to attend. Once the Service is over you can leave with your children straight from the Church.

Christmas Coffee Morning – 6th December 2025

Our Christmas coffee morning last Saturday was a great success. We take this opportunity to say a massive thank you to the PTA and everyone who supported this event. The choir sang beautifully and there was a lovely festive atmosphere. So far £610.00 has been raised. We are hoping for some additional funds to be added via the Newt match funding scheme. This amount doesn't include the hamper raffle, for which tickets remain available via <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/lovington/> or from Naomi on the playground.

PTA News

The PTA are pleased to announce that tickets for our annual Christmas Prize Draw are now available at <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/lovington>.



The prizes in the draw this year include a luxury Christmas hamper, Sunday Lunch for 2 at the White Hart in Wells and Bath and West Show tickets. Tickets are available to purchase until 20.00 on 16th December 2025. The draw will take place on 17th December 2025.

Online Safety and Wellbeing

Christmas can be an exciting time when many children are given new devices and gadgets. Ireland's online safety charity, CyberSafeKids, have put together



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a new guide for parents and carers covering the benefits and risks of popular smart devices and toys, what you can do to make them safer, age recommendations and lots more.

You can find the guide here:

<https://www.cybersafekids.ie/giftguide/>

At Lovington Primary School we know how important Wellbeing is for our whole community. Please do spend a moment to look at the wealth of information provided on our school website.

<https://www.lovingtonprimary.co.uk/key-information/wellbeing>



Well Done Medals

Pippin Class – Motivation – the whole class for a fantastic nativity performance! Well done Pippin Class

Bramley Class – Motivation – Angus for working really hard to learn the names and properties of a wide range of 2D shapes.

Russet Class – Independence – Arty for independently used a range of poetic devices to fantastic effect this week.

Reading Certificates

Pippin Class: Reggie 75, Matteo 50, Kelcee 50

Bramley Class: Coen - 75

Russet Class: Harry 150, Isaac 75, Dexter 50



Kindness Cup

This week our kindness cup is awarded to Reggie, who has shown such kindness to his friends, always listening to their thoughts and ideas.

Attendance and Punctuality

This week our attendance is 99.1%

Safeguarding

Safeguarding is the responsibility of everybody. In terms of keeping children safe, please **Don't think What if I'm wrong... Think... What if I am right.** If you have any concerns about a pupil, you should report this to a member of staff immediately. If you feel a pupil is at risk or a subject of abuse, you must contact the Designated Safeguarding Team. The Designated Safeguarding leads are Mrs Marshall, Mrs Dallard and Mrs Small.

All Extra Curricular Clubs have now finished. Clubs will start again in January. Further details will be sent out shortly.

Somerset Cricket

We are delighted that Somerset Cricket will be leading cricket coaching next term, at Lovington Primary for all classes.

These coaching sessions will take place every Friday.



Upcoming Dates

New Dates Added

Friday 12th December	PTA Elfridges Christmas Mall
Tuesday 16th December	Pippin Class Parent Outcome – DT creations 2:40pm in the school hall
Wednesday 17th December	Christmas Lunch, Christmas jumper and party day
Friday 19th December	Carol Service 1:30pm at St Thomas A Becket Church

INSET DAY	Monday 5th January 2026
Term Starts	Tuesday 6 th January 2026
Multiplication Check Meeting	Tuesday 13 th January at 3.30pm in Bramley Classroom
Y5/6 Tag Rugby at Ansford	Thursday 22 nd January
Y4 Team Building at Ansford	Thursday 27 th January
Y5/6 Dodgeball at Ansford	Thursday 26 th February
KS2 Cross Country Race 3	Downside Tuesday 3 rd March at 4pm
KS2 Cross Country Race 4	Millfield Tuesday 17 th March at 4pm
KS2 Cross Country Relay Team Event	Millfield Wednesday 25 th March at 1.30pm