

# THE JUNIOR TIMES

## CALENDAR

### THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 7th	<b>Clubs and Phoenix as normal all week</b>	
Tuesday 8th	Virtual HCS Information Evening for Y6 Parents	6-7pm
Wednesday 9th	Final Evensong of Term, Cathedral	5.30pm
	Christmas Jumper Day	
	No Year 5&6 Games today	
Thursday 10th	Pre-Prep & Junior Christmas Bubble Parties	PM (normal pick-up)
	<b>No bags, hats or caps to be brought into school today</b>	
	Christmas Lunch for Nursery & Pre-Prep	11.45am
	Christmas Lunch for Juniors	12.15pm
	Virtual Carol Service in Form Rooms	3pm
	<i>Y5 Full Reports, Y3 Short Reports &amp; Y4&amp;6 Progress Grades published electronically</i>	

## FROM THE HEAD

Many thanks to parents who have responded to my letter last week regarding drop off and pick up from school. The pavement outside of school seems noticeably emptier now - let's hope that we reach the end of term happily and safely. Thank you also to our PTA Reps who attended what I hope was a fruitful meeting last Friday.

Thank you too to parents and children for your support of our Change for Change initiative - so far we have collected a total of 5,114 coins! Assemblies this week have continued to focus upon our chosen charities - further details overleaf.

We hope you are enjoying our HCJS Advent Calendars! We would love to see photos of your children (and perhaps you too!) listening to our bedtime stories and to share these with our school community and on our social media. If you would be happy to be involved, please do send your photos (c.wright@herefordcs.com). Do feel free to make your photos as festive as you like!

Next week, we have much excitement planned as you will note in the calendar above.

*Chris Wright*



**CHANGE for Change**

Each December day we will be collecting a different coin in school to support four special charities.

Please place your coins in the buckets at the school entrances. The total amount will be divided equally between: The Poppy Appeal, St Michael's Hospice, The Little Princess Trust and the RSPCA.

Tuesday 1 December: 1p
Wednesday 2 December: 2p
Thursday 3 December: 5p
Friday 4 December: 10p
Monday 7 December: 20p
Tuesday 8 December: 50p
Wednesday 9 December: £1
Thursday 10 December: £2



## YEAR 4 LEGO CLUB

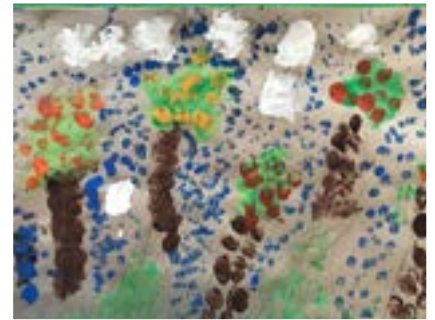


## MRS WALKER'S HEDGEHOGS

Thank you so much for all the donations of hedgehog food to help the hoglets! They have now gone into hibernation but have had a healthy two week boost of food with some more to have when they wake up again in a few months time! We will not need to collect any more food this winter. Thank you.

## YEAR 1&2 ART/DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY

Year 1 - Pointillist Autumn trees in the style of Seurat.



Year 2 - Design and Technology puppets and story boards.



## MERITS

**Merits this week to...**Richie Wang (x2), Beatrix Morgan-Jones, Summer Breeze (x2), Oliver Cooke (x2), Margot Turner (x3), Avitej Singh (x2), Auzzie Lowe, Theo Hartley, Molly Goodwin, Toby Whitaker, Jemima Letts (x2), Oscar Prosser, George Debenham, Annie Macklin, Jessica Wolverson, Rupert Pattison (x3), Gabriel O'Rourke, George Matli, Fearn Middleton, Jessica Austin, Vanessa Holman, Jemima Hayes, Glasha Connolly, Guy Coleman, Tallulah Powell, Henry Cobb and Humphrey Lively.



**Happy birthday this week to...**  
Aria Fellows-Butchart,  
Zack Malcolm, Hunter Martin and  
George Windsor-Collins.

## RE: 'Our hopes!'

In RE lessons this week, children in Years 3-6 have been writing about their hopes for Christmas, the New Year and beyond. Here is a selection of their super ideas:

- I hope that the vaccine will spread all over the world and all the COVID worry will go.
- I hope I can hug and kiss my Grandma next year.
- I hope that poor people will eat and drink at Christmas.
- I hope everyone gets Christmas presents.
- I hope that the plastic will stop going in the ocean.
- I hope that Christmas goes well.
- I hope the world stops going mad!
- I hope my family don't get COVID and I want to help and to love them.
- I hope that bullying stops.
- I hope racism is resolved.
- I hope that global warming will stop.
- I hope there won't be any flooding in 2021.
- I hope I can go on holiday next year.
- I hope there won't be another lockdown.



## ASSEMBLIES THIS WEEK

**Tuesday (Reception - Year 6):** We talked about our 8 days of Change for Change initiative and about the work of the Royal British Legion in particular.

**Wednesday (Reception - Year 6):** Remaining with our Change for Change theme, we discussed the work of the RSPCA. The children also watched a film prepared by Mr Benjamin Pardoe (Volunteer Coordinator at St Michael's Hospice), in which he answered the questions the children had asked during our St Michael's Hospice assembly last week.

**Friday (Years 3&4):** We talked about our Change for Change initiative and we worked out how much money has been donated so far, taking each day at a time. The children went on to estimate how many coins we might receive for the remaining days and to calculate an approximation of how much money we might raise altogether.



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## Christmas Jumper Day

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2020



£1 donation on the day in aid of  
the Head Boy & Head Girl's  
chosen charity:

**acorns**

*Your local children's hospice*

*Substitute your blazer and  
school jumper on the day  
for a festive knit!*

