

# Tonwell St Mary's CE (VC) Primary School

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Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2023

Dear parents,

We have had a busy fortnight in school with children having the chance to take part in some local trips. Pine Class were invited to attend the official opening of the new walking and cycle path next to the A602. I'm sure many of you are pleased to see that the roadworks are finally complete! The new route runs between Sacombe and Stonyhills. Children took part in a treasure hunt and met local councillors.







Our whole school trip to Woodhall Park yesterday was a great success. Children loved taking part in the bug hunt, making dens and planting acorns. We also made out own woodland jewellery, which you can see us modelling in the photo below!



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## School Council - Children in Need

School council are organising a non-uniform day and a film with popcorn in the afternoon when their class is not doing PE for Children in Need on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November for a £1 donation to the charity. Mrs Moorehead will be selling Pudsey Ears from the office for £2.50.

### Be Bright Be Seen

The leaves are falling and the nights are drawing in. It is the time of year when 'Be Bright Be Seen' is an important message for all our children and the whole school community. The Active and Safer Travel Team have produced a poster (attached) to promote this as a key part of the road safety and active travel programme, especially over the Autumn and Winter months.

### **Key Dates**

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October Open the Book assembly with Harvest Theme 11.45am

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October Afterschool Club cancelled
Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October Parents' evening 3.30pm-5.30pm

HCC Public Consultation Meeting 7.00-9.00pm

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October INSET day – school closed

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> Oct Half Term

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November Open the Book assembly 11.45am

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November Children in Need (non-uniform for £1 donation)

Thursday 23rd November Planetarium workshop in school Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December Occasional Day – school closed

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December Oak Class at the Every1in Sports festival (letter to follow)

Tuesday 12th DecemberNativity at Holy Trinity 1.30pmTuesday 12th DecemberOpen the Book assembly 11.45amTuesday 19th DecemberPantomime at Spotlight Theatre 1.15pm

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December End of term 1.15pm

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