

It was wonderful to see so many of you supporting the Friends of Orchard Vale Christmas Fayre on Saturday. The total made so far is approx. £800 - wow! Your support for the Friends of Orchard Vale has made it a fantastic fundraising year so far. To round the term off they are arranging with Santa to visit the children to give them a small surprise. This week, we looked at the Black Book of Colours and thought about experiencing colour through hearing, smelling and touching. Interesting! In maths we worked on subtraction. We are working hard on our handwriting, especially trying to get our letters the right size.

### Rehearsals

We will be starting our production rehearsals next week. Please could the children bring in their costumes on Monday.

Mr Quilter's class- Bright coloured beach wear - shorts, t-shirt/ vest top, flip flops sandals etc.

**If anyone has an astronaut outfit and would be happy to lend this to Mr Quilter's class he would be very grateful.**

Mrs Huggins'/Mrs Grimwood's class - a separate letter has been sent home.

Miss Williams' class -Super hero outfit, if you have one. If not please let Miss Williams know and bring in something black for your child to wear underneath their costumes.

### Ticket Sales - OV's Spirit: The Greatest Show performances

Tickets for the performances will be sold on Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> December in the School Hall between 8.30am and 9am. After these dates tickets will be available from the school office.

Mon, 10 <sup>th</sup> Dec- 1.30pm - Tickets £3 cash only	Tues, 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec- 9.30am - Tickets £3 cash only
Tues, 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec - 6.30pm - Tickets £3.50 cash only	Wed 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec - 6.30pm - Tickets £3.50 cash only

For Health and Safety reasons we are limited to 160 seats for each performance and as such will be restricting tickets to 4 per family initially; to ensure every child has the opportunity of someone coming to watch them.

### Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> December - Friends of Orchard Vale - Tuck Shop

Children can bring in up to 50p to spend on a treat during morning break.

### Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Dinner /School Council Christmas Jumper day

Please note this is not a non-uniform day. If children wish to have a Christmas dinner this must have been pre-booked with the office by today (any child who receives free school meals should also pre-book).

### Missed Flu Vaccinations

If your child missed the flu vaccination this week, Virgin Care have provided extra dates Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup>, Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> December at Springfield Court, Fishleigh Road, Roundswell Business Park EX31 3UD between 9.30am to 12.30pm. All appointments must be pre-booked. Please call Virgin Care on 01392 356141 on Tuesdays/Wednesday between 9.30am-3pm / Thursdays 9.30am-12noon.

Lunch menu for next week is 'Week Three'

Diary Dates (don't forget to check the school website, [www.ovschool.co.uk](http://www.ovschool.co.uk) for up to date information)

Wed, 19<sup>th</sup> December - Last day of school

Mon, 7<sup>th</sup> January - First day of spring term.

Have a lovely weekend.

KS1 Team

**Orchard Vale Community School**

**Presents**

# **OV'S SPIRIT: THE GREATEST SHOW**

Tickets will be on sale on

Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th December

in the school hall (enter via the community room please)

the doors will open from 08:30 - 09:00.

Tickets are limited to 4 per family, any remaining tickets will be sold from the school office after this date.

## **Performance times:**

**Monday 10th December 13:30 - £3.00**

*(Nursery, Rec, KS1 & KS2)*

**Tuesday 11th December 09:30 - £3.00**

*(Nursery, Rec, KS1 & KS2)*

**Tuesday 11th December 18:30 - £3.50**

*(Rec, KS1 & KS2)*

**Wednesday 12th December 18:30 - £3.50**

*(Rec, KS1 & KS2)*

*Cash payments only please*

***Proceeds to go towards additional education resources***

Saturday, 1st December

# Charity Christmas Lights Display

in aid of

North Devon Animal Ambulance

**5pm - 10pm**

daily throughout December



Kingfisher Drive  
Whiddon Valley, Barnstaple  
opposite Orchard Vale School



# Starting your Christmas Shopping?



If you shop with your favourite brands through Orchard Vale's Angel link the retailers below will make a donation to the school.

Before starting any online shopping:

1. Please go to [www.ovschool.co.uk](http://www.ovschool.co.uk).
2. Click on the School Angel link.
3. Select your required retailer.



A big thank you for your support.

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Take out a free Amazon premium trial for 30 days with no obligation to continue and as a thank you Amazon will make a donation ranging from £3 to £5. Click on the logo's to find out more . . .



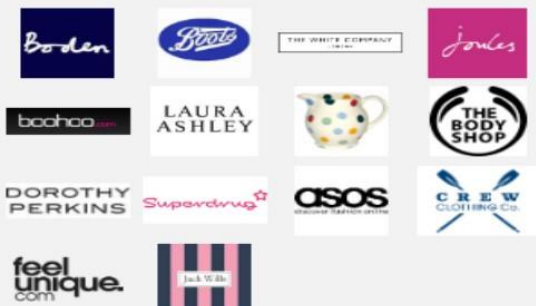
### General shopping... ☺



### Practical shopping... 🏠



### Shops for the girls... ♥



### Travel, hotels & holidays... ☀

