



WEEKLY REMINDER: 10TH NOVEMBER

Our Christian value this term is **Trust**.

DAY	WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK
MONDAY 10th November	Bikeability (AM) 9am Music Lessons ASC Christmas Choir
TUESDAY 11th November	Sports Breakfast Club PE Morning - Children to wear uniform and change into PE kit. Bikeability (PM) Pets as therapy
WEDNESDAY 12th November	Bikeability (PM) ASC Dance All ASC's finish at 4pm
THURSDAY 13th November	Kingfisher and Owl - Explorer Dome Non school uniform day for Tombola Prizes (NCSA)
FRIDAY 14th November	PE Afternoon - Children to wear uniform and change into PE kit. Bikeability (PM) Forest School ASC Sports

ADVANCED DIARY DATES	
19 th November (pm)	School Photographs
27 th November	School Nurse (Reception and Y6 - checks)
7 th December	NCSA Christmas Fete
8 th December	4Front Theatre Christmas Show (AM)
15 th December	School Nativity (PM)
17 th December	Christmas Lunch

ATTENDANCE

Attendance in school is key to our children's learning. Since the beginning of term there have been 131 morning or afternoon sessions missed. This is equivalent to 65.5 days of education. Please ensure that your child attends school. We have 43 children in school so the average per child is 1.5 days lost learning. For more information regarding Term Time absence, please visit our Pupil Attendance and Absence Policy on our website:

<https://www.northcerney.gloucs.sch.uk/web/attendance/664001>

We will update this announcement every week.

LETTERS SENT HOME OVER THE LAST WEEK

Sent to YR – Y6 Lunch reminder

Sent to YR – Y6 After School Club allocations

Sent to Kingfisher Class – Dodgeball

Sent to YR- Y6 – Christmas Lunch 17th December.

Sent to Pupils taking part – Bikeability – Please Bring Bikes to School on Monday

BIRTHDAYS



Happy Birthday and congratulations to Ayda in Wren class, who will celebrate their birthday on 7th November.

NCSA

This is now live so please vote!



The NCSA are delighted to have been accepted on the **Tesco charity scheme**. We will be one of three charities that can be voted for with the blue tokens in Cirencester big Tesco from the first week in October 2025 until mid-January 2026. We would encourage everyone to vote for us, as the winning charity receives £1500!

The annual NCSA Christmas Fete will be held in the Village Hall **Sunday 7th December 12-2pm**. We appreciate that it's only November, but please put it in the diary of all of your friends and family now!

It is going to be a fantastic event, featuring:

- Delicious refreshments
- Christmas raffle with loads of great prizes to be won
- Tombola and other games
- Fun Christmassy activities

We hope to feature the talents of all of our wonderful North Cerney pupils for a mini Christmas carol concert as the fete finale. The talented Ms Livermore will be practicing songs with the children next term in preparation.

As always, donations to the raffle / tombola / cake stall gratefully accepted, or volunteers to run a stall on the day. Please reach out to anyone in the NCSA.

Thanks for the support!



OUTDOOR EDUCATION

On Wednesday in our EYFS Outdoor Education we discussed hibernation and nocturnal animals. This links well to up and coming science topics and our recent visit to Crickley Hill. The children made a hedgehog nest using twigs and leaves.



Brilliant Book Events Before Christmas at:



Octavia's Bookshop
24 Black Jack Street
Cirencester
GL7 2AA



Saturday 22nd November 11:30am- Storytime & Signing with Katy Birchall, author of A Dog Called Hero

Calling all animal lovers! Join author Katy Birchall to find out all about her new book, A Dog Called Hero, for 8-13 years. A cosy mystery story about the gorgeous bond between a girl and a former police dog. Join Katy for a reading from the book and to get signed copies of A Dog Called Hero. (No tickets needed)



Saturday 6th December from 11am- Helen Peters will be here for a book signing and reading of her new book A Reindeer Called Joy

We will be promoting her new book, a perfect Christmas book for 6-8 years, and many of her other brilliant books for 8-12 years. These include The Secret Hen House Theatre and the gripping WW2 adventure story, Friends and Traitors. (No tickets needed)



Saturday 13th December 11am- A book signing for The Girl Who Raced the World. A fantastic debut adventure story for 8-14 years and the perfect personalised present for Christmas. A really gorgeous looking gift book.

A page turning adventure, bringing Jules Verne's classic Around the World in Eighty Days to life for young readers with a thrilling new twist. (No tickets needed)

