

St Michaels CE Primary School

Friday 14th November 2025

Newsletter



Anti-Bullying Week

This week we have been taking part in Anti-Bullying Week, focusing on the theme “Power for good”. Our aim is to raise awareness, promote kindness, and ensure every child feels safe and respected.

- Odd Socks Day (Monday): Children wore odd socks to celebrate individuality and remind us that it’s okay to be different.
- Classroom Discussions: Pupils explored what bullying means, how to spot it, and ways to support each other.

Thank you for supporting these activities at home and reinforcing the importance of respect and kindness. Together, we can make a real difference.



Children in Need

Thank you for supporting our Children in Need activities! This year, we joined thousands across the UK to help raise funds for this amazing cause. Our delicious bake sale was a huge success—thank you to the support staff who donated such amazing treats! Your generosity will make a real difference to children and families who need support, we will let you know the total amount raised shortly.

SEN Coffee Morning

We were delighted to hold our first coffee morning for parents of children with SEN which provided an opportunity for parents to connect, share experiences and learn more about the support available. Thank you to everyone who attended and contributed to such a positive and welcoming atmosphere- more sessions coming soon!

Open Mornings

Our open mornings for prospective parents for Autumn 26 have been very positive and have been wonderful opportunities for them to see our school in action. The guided tours have showcased our exciting curriculum provision which have included a visit from the fire service with year 5 to talk about fire safety. Please publicise that we still have spaces for our next open morning on Wednesday 19th November and we have limited availability for Thursday 4th December.

St Michael's Church of England Primary School

Lower Church Road, Sandhurst, Berkshire, GU47 8HN



2026 Reception Starters

Open Mornings

9:30am - 10:30am
on the following dates:

Tuesday 16th September
Wednesday 8th October
Thursday 23rd October
Tuesday 4th November
Wednesday 19th November
Thursday 4th December



'This little light of mine, I'm going to let it shine!'

Book a place for our Open Mornings by contacting the school office or using our booking form on the school website.

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Come and see our school family in action.

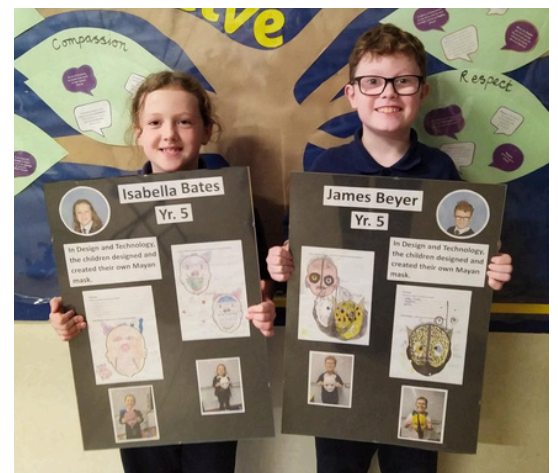
Our open mornings feature an informal presentation by the Headteacher with coffee and biscuits, followed by a guided tour of the school. It's a wonderful opportunity to see how we inspire our pupils to be the best they can be.

Phone: 01252 873360

Email: secretary@st-michaels-school.org

Headteacher Awards & Art Winners

Congratulations to the winners of the Headteacher Award for the last two weeks & our Art winners, keep shining your light!



*"This Little Light of Mine,
I'm going to let is Shine"*

Pride of St Michael's Awards

Congratulations to the winners of the Pride of St Michael's Awards for the first half term of school, we are proud of you all!



Bikeability

We were delighted to offer Bikeability training to our pupils this week. This fun and engaging programme helps children develop the skills and confidence to cycle safely on the roads. The pupils learned basic bike checks and maintenance, starting, stopping and signalling, how to approach junctions and understanding of safety rules. Thank you for ensuring your child came prepared with their bike and helmet. We hope these skills will help them to enjoy cycling safely.

During the Bikeability event we were honoured to welcome Mr Peter Swallows MP who came to see how the programme supports pupils road safety. He also took the time to have a tour of the school and talk to the pupils about their learning.



Football in the Playground

We would like to let you know that football will no longer be permitted in the playground before the start or at the end of the school day.

This decision has been made to ensure:

- **Safety for all pupils** during busy drop-off & pick-up times.
- A calm and orderly start & end to the school day.
- Reduced risk of accidents and injuries.

We understand that football is a popular activity, and pupils will still have plenty of opportunities to play during break and lunchtime under supervised conditions. Thank you for your understanding and support in helping us keep the playground safe for everyone.

Zumba Classes

On Thursday evenings Zumba will be taking place from 6:45-7:30pm in the school hall.

A fun and energetic class with a combo between latin music and pop dance inspired by the best west end soundtracks.

£6 cash or bank transfer.

For more details contact Silvia:
silvia.sparamonti@gmail.com



Raffle Tickets for the Christmas Fayre

Raffle tickets have come home with the children this week, one envelope per family. There are plenty more available if you need them!

It would be amazing if you can buy and sell as many as possible, it is a huge part of our Christmas Fayre fundraising.

Please return money, stubs and unsold tickets to the school office.

A reminder that the Christmas Fayre is just over two weeks away on **Saturday 29th November from 12-3pm**, please see the poster below!



St Michael's School Association
invites you to our

Christmas Fayre

Saturday 29th November
12pm - 3pm

Step into the magic of Christmas!

Join us for a fun filled afternoon of festive cheer with:

Santa's Grotto
Silent Auction & Raffle Prizes
Delicious Festive Food & Drinks
Christmas Themed Games
Trader Stalls & Christmas Crafts
.. and so much more!

So bring your family & friends and help
support our wonderful school!



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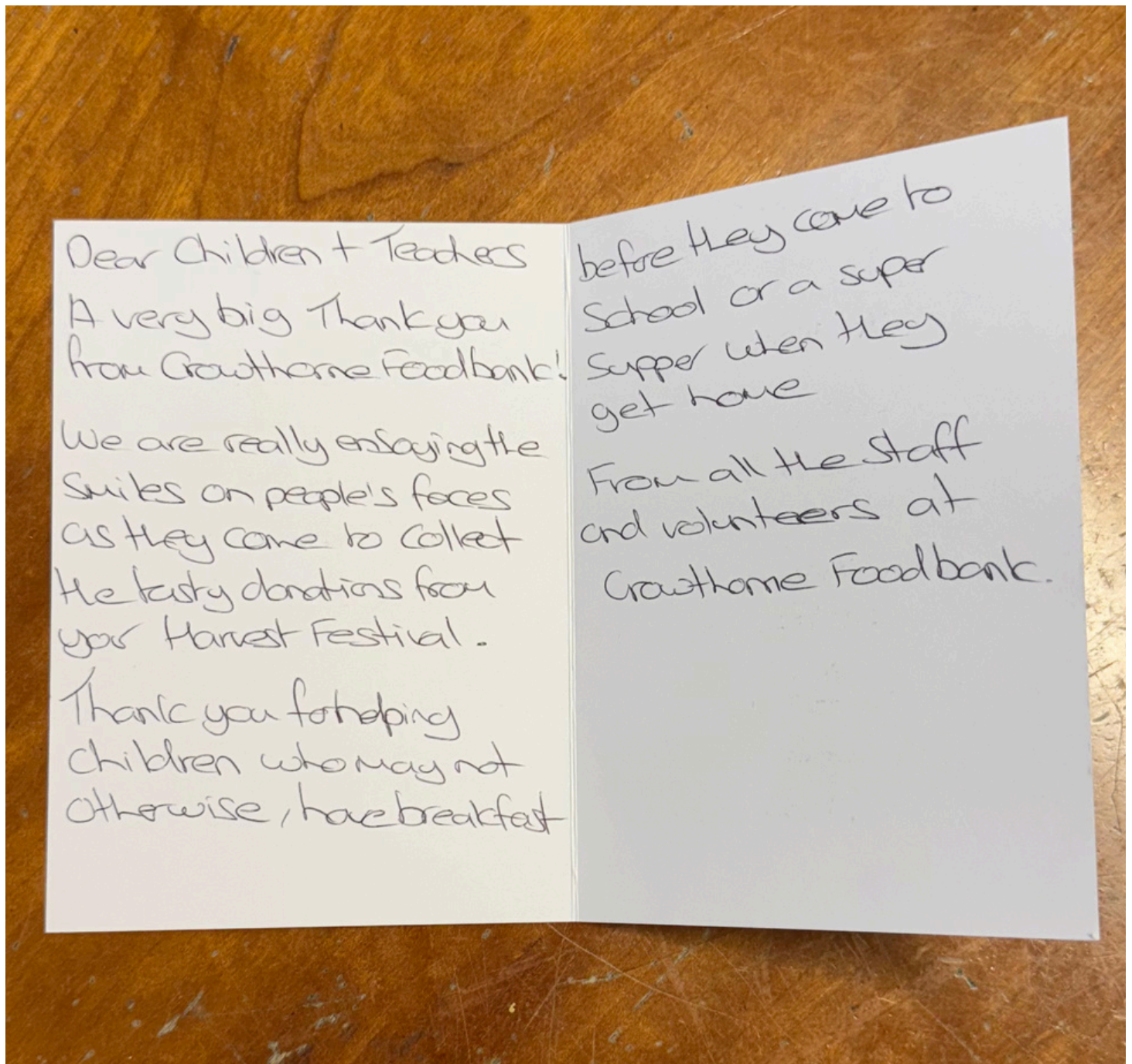
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Crowthorne Foodbank

And finally, we just thought it would be nice to share with you a thank you card that was received from Crowthorne Foodbank. Thank you again for your generosity, it really does make a big difference to families in need!



Dates for the upcoming weeks will follow in a separate email next week.
Have a lovely weekend!