









Our Weekly Bulletin

Friday 14th November 2025

Be strong and courageous for the Lord, your God, is with you

 <p style="text-align: center;">Honeybee</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">Carpenter Bee</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">Nectar</p>
<p>Rory C for excellent writing in English. You have used adjectives effectively to describe the wolf. Well done!</p> <p>Elara R for working hard in geometry. You show focus and determination in your learning. Keep it up!</p>	<p>Jenson K for some fabulous fractions! He has independently found halves of different amounts and has begun to use the knowledge to find quarters.</p> <p>Arthur R for working really hard on having a positive attitude to his learning. He has become much more focused and has had the courage to challenge himself more. Great work, Arthur!</p>	<p>Zachary C and Arlo D for trying and working super hard in maths this week! Both of them have challenged themselves to answer trickier questions and had brilliant resilience in doing this! Well done.</p> <p>Grace W for doing some fabulous writing this week, Grace has shown great presentation and worked hard to ensure her spelling is correct. Well done Grace!</p>
 <p style="text-align: center;">Honeycomb</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">Pollinator</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">BeeKeeper</p>
<p>Olly B for working independently on our shape unit in maths. He has shown great perseverance especially when completing symmetrical figures, which was some tricky learning. Keep up the excellent attitude!</p> <p>McKenna F for always having her hand up! She is always thinking about how she can contribute to the learning and always makes a positive effort to think about answers to tricky questions.</p>	<p>Katie A, Frankie U, Ollie N and Joseph W for completing some very tricky grammar on the simple, progressive and perfect verb tenses! I think they even earned themselves some Headteacher stickers, which means they will be fully prepared to move on to the future tense today!</p>	<p>Samuel P for listening to feedback, acting upon it and striving to improve. Your efforts have not gone unnoticed, Samuel. Keep it up!</p> <p>Evie S, Art S and Alba G for their fantastic responses during class discussions, especially our reading lessons.</p>

Remembrance Day

On Tuesday, Mr Mills and Mrs Howling took a small group of children to Bishop Sutton for the Remembrance Day Service. The service honoured the sixteen local men who lost their lives in WWI, WW2 and the Korean War. The children took time to read the names of all sixteen men who have had a tree planted in memory of them along the road leading to Bishop Sutton.



Year 5 & 6 Basketball

This week some of our children took part in the East Hampshire Basketball tournament at Perins. The children played brilliantly and showed great team spirit and we are delighted that they have progressed to the Hampshire County Finals in May 2026!



Children In Need

Thank you to everyone who donated to today's collection for Children in Need. As soon as we have managed to count it all up we will let you know the total!

Thank you!

The children have loved the recent donation of Duplo for lunchtime play and have been enjoying making all sorts of models, as you can see by the photo! What a brilliant duplo man the girls have built!



Collective Worship

In Worship this week the children thought about Courage and what this means. They heard the story of Jonah and the Whale and how Jonah said sorry to God for not listening to Him. It takes courage to admit your mistakes and to say sorry. God doesn't give up on us, no matter how many mistakes we make. He will always help us to find our way back to Him.



ROPLEY CHRISTMAS BALLET MATINEE

Sunday 14th December, Ropley Parish Hall. Doors open at 3.30 for a 4pm start

Teas, cakes and other refreshments available.

This Christmas, be transported into a magical universe where a sprinkling of fairy dust makes dreams come true. Blending theatrical magic with Prokofiev's evocative score, this 2023 performance by the Royal Ballet brings to life the classic rags-to-riches tale with floral-inspired designs and seasonal fairies. The live recording captures the atmosphere of the original theatre experience with a full-stage performance in 3 Acts.

Tickets are now available:

At the Courtyard Shop (cash only) - £4 child, £6 adult

Online at <https://ropleyparishhall.org.uk/page/events> - £5 child, £7 adult



TINSEL & TEA TOWELS

A fun, heartfelt and wonderfully chaotic nativity story that follows a school preparing for a Hollywood-style Christmas production. With generous funding from multi-millionaire superstar Phil McCoffers, it seems the show is set to dazzle... until that funding is suddenly withdrawn. What follows is a hilarious behind-the-scenes look at what really happens when teachers and children pull together to create the greatest story ever told – on a very real-world budget!

Alresford Community Theatre Society are incredibly proud that this year's cast features 17 talented children from local schools, along with the brilliant Sunshine Singers choir, led by Mrs Waring Green. It promises to be a warm, uplifting and joyfully festive evening for families of all ages.

Performance Details:

- 📍 St John's Church, Alresford
- 📅 Thursday 5th December – 6pm
- 📅 Friday 6th December – 6pm

Tickets can be purchased online at:

👉 <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/alresford-community-theatre-society>



Diary Dates 2025-26

Friday 21 st November	Non-Uniform Day for Hamper Gifts
Saturday 29 th November	Santa's Grotto
Tuesday 9 th December	Drum Performance to Parents, 2.15pm
Thursday 11 th December	Piano and Violin Recital to parents, 2.15pm
	2 nd Hand Uniform Sale, 3.15pm
Sunday 14 th December	Christmas Ballet Matinee, CINDERELLA, Ropley Parish Hall, 4.00pm
Tuesday 16 th December	Infant Nativity at 9.30am
Wednesday 17 th December	Infant Nativity at 1.30pm
Thursday 18 th December	Christmas Service at St Peter's Yrs 1-6, 9.30am Christmas Lunch
Friday 19 th December	Christmas Carol Concert at St Peter's, Yrs 3-6, Finish School for Christmas Break at 1.05pm
Monday 5 th January 2026	Inset Day
Tuesday 20 th January	School Nurse Height and Weight Check – Autumn and Spring Born Year R children
Friday 13 th February	End of Spring 1 Half Term
Monday 23 rd February 2026	Inset Day
Thursday 26 th March	Year 4 Trip to Weald and Downland Museum
Friday 27 th March	End of Spring Term
Monday 13 th April	Return to School for Summer Term



Christmas Market

THURSDAY | 27
NOV | 6 PM -8PM

Ropley Parish Hall

Free Entry

Including the grotto

Visit Santa and his elves.

Support local businesses and charities. Enter our raffle and get a head start on your Christmas shopping while you enjoy a mulled wine and a mince pie.

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Wednesday 19th November 7:30 - 9pm
The ELKOLET Centre, Mill Lane, Alton,
GU34 2QG

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St Nicholas Church
Bishop's Sutton

Christmas at

Sunday 23rd November
Bishop's Sutton Village
Gingerbread
Competition!
4.30pm



Sunday 7th December
St Nicholas Day
Patronal Evensong
with Index Cantorum
5pm



Thursday 11th December
Christmas Quiz at Village Hall 7pm

Tuesday 16th December
Carols at The Ship 7pm

Sunday 21st December
Christingle 3pm

CHRISTMAS EVE

Candlelit Holy Communion 9pm



St Peter's Church

ROPLEY

Discovering and sharing the generous love of God

Christmas at

Saturday 6th December
Crafty Advent 10am



Friday 12th - Sunday 14th December
Christmas Tree Festival
Tickets £5, Under 10s Free
Saturday 10-5 or Sunday 12.30-5pm

Thursday 18th December
Carols in the Churchyard 6pm

Sunday 21st December
Carol Service 6pm

CHRISTMAS EVE

Christingle at the Crib 4pm
Midnight Communion 11.30pm



CHRISTMAS DAY

Family Celebration 10am
Show and Tell your gifts!

West Tisted
Wednesday 17th December 5.30pm
Village Carol Singing - Meet at
West Tisted Village Hall



NARNIA TRAIL

Plus, come and see our

CHRISTMAS DAY
Lessons and Carols 11 am

9th - 23rd December, 9am-5pm drop in

