

**Achievements**  
Creativity  
Opportunity  
Resilience  
Nurture  
Service

*'Great oaks from little acorns grow'*



# Autumn Term (1) 2024



## Week 3, 4 & 5



**Llangrove  
CE  
Academy  
Vision &  
Ethos**

*"A tree is known by the kind  
of fruit it bears."*

– Matthew 12 v33

*"Keep your roots deep in Him  
and your lives built on Him."*

– Colossians 2:7

Our **ACORNS** focus for  
this half term is  
**ACHIEVEMENT & Reverence**



### Superstars

Achievement	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5
Acorn Class:	Danielle	Harvey	Finnegann
Beech Class:	Betsy	Jack	Dylan
Maple Class:	Arthur	Savannah	Matilda
Oak Class:	Thea	Finlay	Zoe



### Team of the Week

Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5
Wye	Wye	Malley



### Sports Stars

	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5
Acorn Class:	Reenie	Alis	Asawin
Beech Class:	Y2	Ed	Olivia
Maple Class:	Jasper	Matilda	Walter
Oak Class:	Finlay	Mel	Thea

### Lunchtime Table of the Week

Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5



### Ladder Club Legends

<b>Beech Class:</b>	Tom, Dylan J, Finley, Luna, Issy, Jacob, Ari, Myla
	Betsy, Fionnlagh & Dylan
<b>Oak Class:</b>	Flynn, Zoe, Betsy



### October Birthdays...

Betsy G  
Zoe  
Savannah  
Dougal



### Harvest Festival, Community Larder & Fundraising for Macmillan

We had a wonderful morning celebrating Harvest in Christ Church. The children spoke and sang with such enthusiasm and we were all very proud of them.



Thank you to everyone who attended our MacMillan Coffee Morning and donated cakes. We raised a fantastic £143.

Thank you also for all the donations for Christchurch Community Larder.

Dear God,

As we sit down to eat our dinners tonight, please help us to remember the many children that do not have this same privilege. From this Harvest onwards, let us endeavour to not waste the food we are given but instead appreciate it and the lives we have. Amen




### Tempest Photography...

The closing date for free postage to school has now passed however photographs can still be ordered online, with a charge for delivery to your home address.

## Scholastic Book Fair ...

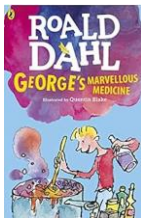


Our annual Scholastic Book Fair was popular and it was lovely seeing the children & parents/carers. For each book sold, our school receives a percentage of the value, which allows us to then purchase books for our class book corners & school library. We will of course provide an update of books that we purchase in due course.

	Class Story	Curricular Theme	English & SPaG	Maths
Acorn Class		Once Upon a Time...	<p>Acorn class have had great fun exploring the story of 'The Gingerbread Man'. We have enjoyed learning the story using actions, retelling the story in the small world and singing our song about the Gingerbread man. Reception have continued their work on developing their pencil control by drawing the patterns the Gingerbread man made when he was running! They have also innovated the story by creating their own stick puppet of a new character to add to the story, acting it out with their friends.</p> <p>Year 1 have also been busy innovating focussing on super sentences. They have been using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces to create some super sentences. They also had great fun acting out their innovated stories, ready for writing next week.</p>	<p>Reception have been exploring numbers 1,2,3. We have been subitising different arrangements of numbers 1.2.3, counting objects using 1:1 correspondence and the composition of the numbers. We have enjoyed using the numberblocks to help us with our learning.</p> <p>Year 1 have been focussing on revisiting numbers 0-5. We have explored where the numbers are on the numberline, comparing the numbers using greater than and less than and representing the numbers. We have been using part whole models and bar models to explore the composition of numbers 0-5, thinking about using a systematic way to find all the number bonds.</p>



Acorn Class have loved our music topic of move to the beat! We have had great fun exploring the pulse of the music by getting up and moving!

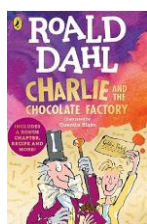
Beech Class		Invaders & Settlers: Celts and Romans	The children have listened to different versions of 'The Magic Paintbrush' ~ using story maps to recall the story. We have been focusing on identifying word types in a text and choosing adjectives and nouns to describe a character.	As part of our work on place the children have been placing numbers on blank number lines Y2: intervals of 1s or 10s Y3: intervals of 20, 50 and 100 As well as using <, > and = to compare numbers to 100/1000.
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Inspired by our class story the children had fun making their own versions of 'Marvelous Medicine'. Using leaves, feathers and bracken that they found in the school grounds, the children each made their own 'magic paintbrush' – which then transformed into 'magic wands' 😊.





Maple Class



Chocolate

We have been working on learning our model story 'The Robot and the Bluebird'. After boxing it up, we have begun to create our own story. We have created our own setting descriptions using Charlie and the Chocolate Factory as our model. We have explored the impact of ambitious vocabulary on our writing.

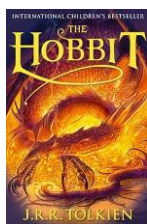
We have been recapping our column addition and column subtraction skills in our maths lessons. We have explored exchanging and carrying and how we express these in the correct formal way. We are developing our problem-solving skills by applying our knowledge to solving money problems.

### Cotswold Wildlife Park Trip, Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

We had such a wonderful time exploring the Cotswold Wildlife Park and seeing so many amazing creatures. We were blessed with sunshine too.



Oak Class



At the Front

We have worked hard on creating poems to depict the emotions a soldier may have experienced in combat as well as what heaven may be like for the heroes who were killed. We are now focusing on how speech punctuation can advance the action with our model text 'The Canal'.

We have been looking at 'equivalence and compensation'. How can we manipulate numbers within a number sentence to make a calculation easier.  
 E.g.  $3562 - 1997 = 3565 - 2000 = 1565$   
 or  
 $995 + 168 = 1000 + 163$

In R.E, we have been looking at the different ways that Jewish people honour and protect their sacred text – The Torah. We have linked this to how we protect items that we ourselves hold dear. We have learnt about how mezuzahs and tefillin contain key passages from The Torah – making

our own mezuzahs. We have also made our own yads to use on our own Torah scroll in the classroom.



### Mental Health & Wellbeing and Online Safety Guidance

Mental health & well-being, along with using the internet safely and positively is a key message that we promote in Llangrove CE Academy throughout the year.

#### Instagram

The latest free information guide (see attached PDF 'WakeUpWednesday' from National College) explores all you need to know about the social media platform **Instagram**, breaking down its associated risks and how best to mitigate them.



Wake Up Wednesday guides are now available in **podcast** format to help you stay informed while on the go.

Listen to the latest Podcast episode is available at:

<https://nationalcollege.com/podcasts/what-parents-and-educators-need-to-know-about-instagram>



**On Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October, from 1:30pm we will be holding our Open Day for prospective new pupils, parents and carers.**

**Please share with parents/carers of nursery and pre-school age pupils.**



**Llangrove C E Academy**

*Great oaks from little acorns grow*

**OPEN DAY**

**Wednesday 9th October - from 1:30pm**

**Please contact us to book a school tour**

- Engaging & inclusive curriculum
- Church of England primary school at the heart of a rural community
- Small classes
- Large outdoor facilities



- Forest School & outdoor learning experiences
- School Games Platinum award school
- Breakfast and After-school wraparound provision
- Pre-school onsite

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**ASDA CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS**

Between 2nd September and 30th November 2024, every time you shop with Asda using your Rewards app, you can choose **LLANGROVE CE ACADEMY** to receive a percentage of your spend. And that's not all — every time a customer signs up to **LLANGROVE CE ACADEMY**, Asda will donate £1 to your school's Cashpot, plus a further £50 when your first customer shops!

**SIGN UP TODAY AND CHOOSE:**

**LLANGROVE CE ACADEMY**



**AGM**

for the 2024/2025 academic year

**MONDAY OCTOBER 21ST  
7.00PM THE ROYAL ARMS, LLANGROVE**

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**

Join us on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October at 7pm at the Royal Arms, Llangrove for this year's Annual General Meeting and first PTFA meeting of this academic year.

Find out about the PTFA achievements, money raised and how it has supported the children in Llangrove CE Academy in 2023-24 and join in with our plans for fundraising events to benefit the children in 2024-2025.

Please see the PTFA October newsletter for more details

# Our Community...

## YEAR 6 OPEN EVENTS

### SEPTEMBER 2025 ENTRY

8th, 9th & 10th October

9.00am - 11.30am

24th October

6.00pm - 9.00pm

Our friendly, experienced staff are here to help you make informed choices for current Year 6 students entering Year 7 in September 2025.

- Trend of improved outcomes across all key measures
- Experience our vibrant, supportive community
- Explore our facilities and meet current students

We look forward to welcoming you!



**JOHN KYRLE  
HIGH SCHOOL**

[www.jkhs.org.uk](http://www.jkhs.org.uk)

**REGISTER NOW!**



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## COMMUNITY APPLE JUICING

SAT 5TH OCTOBER 2024

1-4.30PM LLANGROVE VILLAGE HALL

Start saving  
your apples &  
containers

- BRING YOUR CLEAN AND UNBLEMISHED APPLES
- TRY MAKING JUICE TO SHARE OR TAKE AWAY
- CHILDRENS ACTIVITIES
- CIDER AND PERRY BAR
- PLOUGHERS LUNCH
- QUILTERS TABLE

Email: [archenfieldceg@gmail.com](mailto:archenfieldceg@gmail.com)

## PANTO 2025 WANT TO BE IN IT?

LLANGROVE COMMUNITY PRODUCTIONS

**SUNDAY**

**20**

**OCTOBER  
2024**

**2 - 4 PM**

LLANGROVE  
VILLAGE HALL

We'll be presenting **Treasure Island** in March 2025 and, young or old, you definitely want to be part of it.

Please come along, find out more about the parts available and have some fun with the script!

[llangrovecommunityproductions@gmail.com](mailto:llangrovecommunityproductions@gmail.com)

LLANGROVE VILLAGE HALL

**ADULTS ONLY**



**HALLOWEEN**

*fahey dress disco*

prize for the best spooky costume

**TICKETS £15**

**MUST BE BOUGHT IN ADVANCE**

**02.11.2024 | 7-10.30**

HOT FOOD INC - BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS

Contact Holly for tickets 07778 701496

This year's profits to go to Llangrove Academy PTFA

Goodrich  
Tennis  
Club

# ***JUNIOR COACHING***

***WITH KARLA***

New 4 week course starts  
19 October

***BOOK ON BY  
GOING TO OUR  
WEBSITE***

[goodrichtennis.co.uk](http://goodrichtennis.co.uk)





## Dates for Your Diary - Autumn 2024



### October

Monday 7 <sup>th</sup>	3:15-4:15pm (last club of Autumn1)
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	3:15-4:15pm (last club of Autumn1) <b>Open afternoon and evening</b> – school tour for new prospective parents/pupils by appointment <b>From 1:30 pm</b>
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>NO CLUB</b>
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Parents/carers consultations</b> – booking form will be emailed via Scholarpack on Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> October <b>NO CLUB</b>
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>NO CLUB</b> <b>PTFA AGM</b> – 7pm at The Royal Arms, Llangrove
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>NO CLUB</b>
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>End of Autumn term (1) – 3:10/3:15pm finish</b>
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>STAFF INSET day</b>

**HALF TERM - Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November**

### November

Monday 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Autumn term (2) begins</b>
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>After school Clubs</b> begin for the autumn term 2 (Years 1 – 6) ~ 5 weeks
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Llangrove members/trustees <b>AGM &amp; Board meeting</b> - 5:45pm
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>BBC Children in Need</b> – fund raising day – details to follow
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Celebration Collective worship</b> - all parents/carers welcome. 9am Followed by PTFA/School council Tea and Coffee

### December

Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>EYFS &amp; KS1 Nativity: Acorn Class &amp; Year 2</b> 2pm matinee performance and 5:30pm performance in school hall
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 2 Christmas party</b> @ JKHS – details to follow
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>KS2 Christmas: Year 3, Maple &amp; Oak Class ~ Christ Church</b> 1:30pm Matinee & 6pm Evening performance
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>End of Autumn term</b>



## Dates for Your Diary - Spring 2025



### January

Monday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>STAFF INSET day</b>
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Spring term (1) begins</b>
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Young Voices</b> , Birmingham – Maple & Oak Class (plus other HMFA schools)

### February

Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Llangrove members/trustees <b>Board meeting</b> - 6:15pm
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>End of Spring term (1)</b>

**HALF TERM Monday 17<sup>th</sup> – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February**

Monday 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Spring term (2) begins</b>
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### March

Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>World Book Day</b>
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Red Nose Day</b> – 'Do something funny for money'

### April

Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> or Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Moving Targets ~ Maple Class @ Courtyard Theatre (afternoon &amp; evening performance) - TBC</b>
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Easter service</b> @ 9am followed by tea & coffee



	End of Spring (2) term (2pm finish)
<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS</b> <b>Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April</b> (Good Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> April & Easter Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> April)	
 <b>Dates for Your Diary - Summer 2025</b> 	
<b>Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Summer term (1) begins
	
<b>Monday 5<sup>th</sup></b>	Bank Holiday – May Day
<b>Monday 12<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 15<sup>th</sup></b>	Year 6 SATs Assessment Week
<b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	End of Summer (1) term
<b>HALF TERM Monday 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May</b> (Spring Bank Holiday: Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> May)	
	
<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	Summer term (2) begins
<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	Year 4 Multiplication Screening Check (2-week period)
<b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup> – Friday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	Year 1 Phonic screening check (& Y2 retakes if required)
<b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup></b>	Llangrove members/trustees Board meeting – 6:15pm
<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup></b>	Sports Day – 1:15pm
<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup></b>	Reserve Sports Day!
	
<b>Friday 18<sup>th</sup></b>	Last day of term (2pm finish)
<b>Monday 21<sup>st</sup></b>	STAFF INSET Day
<b>SUMMER HOLIDAY</b>	