



# Wilden VA Primary School



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Autumn term 2019

## Dates for your Diary

### November

**Wed 20th - Individual and Family photographs**

**Tues 26th - Rev. Tim to host Collective Worship**

**Fri 29th - Non uniform day in exchange for raffle prize**

### December

**Tues 3rd - The Jungle Book performance and workshops in school**

**Tues 3rd - KS1 Singing performance at The Corn Exchange**

**Tues 3rd - Village Green Christmas Tree lights switch on (Time TBC)**

**Wed 4th - Clapham garden nativity visit for Squirrels and Otters**

**Thurs 5th - Oscars night at school - 6pm. More details to follow**

**Tues 10th - Early Years and KS1 Nativity - 6pm. More details to follow**

**Wed 11th - Friends of Wilden wreath making evening 7 - 9pm**

**Mon 16th - Christmas Fayre and Wilden School Vision launch 2:30pm**

**Wed 18th - Wilden's Christmas Jumper day, Wrapping room, Christmas lunch and class Christmas parties!**

**Fri 20th - Christmas Church Service and last day in school**

## Golden Notebook Nominations

### Week ending 15th November



Joshua, Leigh

James, George

Amirah, Charlotte

Aiden and Rosie

### Value Nominations

Lily - Inquisitiveness

Freddie - Resilience

Amirah - Friendship

Leigh - Friendship

Charlie - Friendship

Cydnie - Friendship

Well done to everyone

### Message from Mrs Hutchinson

It has been a busy week at Wilden. The children attended the Remembrance Service at the church on Monday. We have included some of the poetry read out during the service, in this edition. The school has taken part in Friendship Week by wearing odd socks on Tuesday, and signing anti-bullying and friendship pledges written by Lily and Zak. On Wednesday morning, our school improvement partner visited the school; he walked around the school with me and we were very impressed with the children's attitudes to learning and the pupils' engagement in lessons. He enjoyed looking at some of the work that the pupils had completed. Also on that day, all our children took part in Gymnastics lessons led by a specialist coach. This was an excellent opportunity for both our children and staff and thanks to Mrs Byrne for organising this.

I reminded pupils of the school's definition of Bullying during Collective Worship: Bullying is 'behaviour by an individual or a group, usually repeated over time, that intentionally hurts another individual either physically or emotionally'. I have been impressed with the way pupils have been showing friendship towards each other in the playground and in lessons.

This year's campaign: **CHANGE STARTS WITH US.**



*Our Value this month is  
Friendship*

**A friend  
loves   
at all times.**  
  
**Proverbs 17:17**

### Weekly Attendance

*Hedgehog Class: 100%*

*Squirrel Class: 100%*

*Otter Class: 97.92%*

*Muntjac Class: 94.44%*

*Our overall attendance for this week: 98.23%*



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## Waiting

*In the trenches I wait my turn,  
Will I be one of those who return?  
When will I be called in this war?*

*Finally, I get ready for battle,  
Flanders Field was for cattle,  
But now it's been destroyed in battle,*

*Suddenly I feel my feet sink,  
This is the end I think?*

*Remember those that fell,  
Even if your eyes begin to swell,*

*The 11th November is embedded in our hearts,  
As we think of their deceased parts.*

*1945-2019 75 years since the end of world war II*

By Eloise

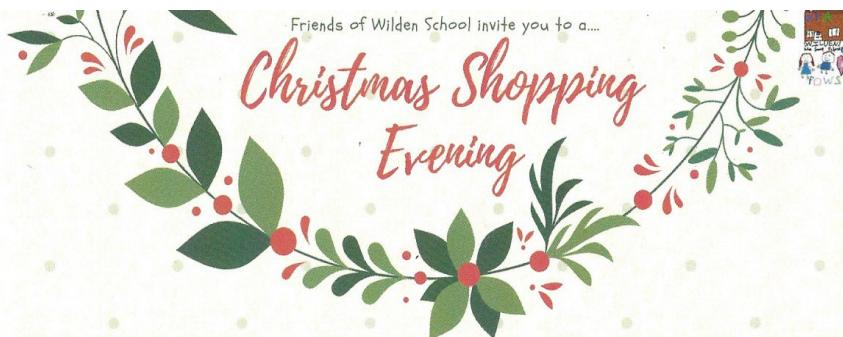
## The Battle

*The silence fell  
With those who aren't well,  
Miniguns shot  
Causing those to rot,  
People die  
Though they say bye, bye,  
Down in the trenches  
Where everybody lies.  
The gun's roar  
And the clouds above pour.  
Those with heart  
Are the ones that have to pull the cart.*

By Jack

### Invitation from Squirrel Class

We would like to invite Parents and Carers with younger siblings to join us at 3:05pm for our end of the day story. Those who have attended Messy Play can come over and see what is happening in KS1.



WEDNESDAY 11th DECEMBER - 7-9PM  
AT WILDEN V.A.PRIMARY SCHOOL, HIGH STREET, WILDEN

#### Christmas Gift Shopping

Entry £2.50  
(Kids Free)

Lots of great stalls for your Christmas gifts, ticket includes free entry to prize draw.

Buy tickets at the school office, or  
wildenpta@outlook.com

#### Wreath Making or Table

Decoration Creation  
with Pick-A-Lily Florist  
Tickets £25.00

Make a fantastic wreath or table decoration to keep, ticket includes a glass of mulled wine and a mince pie with free entry to prize draw.



We've  
raised  
£85.62 so far  
for Children  
in Need,  
thank you

#### Just a reminder:

Please only collect your child/ren at either 1pm or 3:20 on a Friday afternoon, not in between, thank you.