

# Urchfont Update

## Term 3



## Urchfont Opera House

Wow! What a surprise Urchfont children had on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January. Our school was turned into an opera house, when we were visited by two professional singers and their pianist. The singers performed a number of opera songs to the whole school and talked about the origins of opera and its significant role in our musical culture. Every child was lucky enough to take part in a workshop delivered by the singers, learning to sing some famous Italian opera songs such as Nessun Dorma, Bella Mama and Funiculi Funicula. The day ended with a fantastic whole school performance, which was quite an emotional experience.



## 100 club winning numbers

January – 1<sup>st</sup> - 35, 2<sup>nd</sup> – 19, 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5

February – 1<sup>st</sup> – 41, 2<sup>nd</sup> – 53, 3<sup>rd</sup> - 92

## Staffing Update

We have been busy appointing new staff this term to join the Urchfont team. These are the new staff you will see around school.

Miss Millie Dyke: Apprentice Teaching Assistant working in Robins and Woodpeckers classes  
Mrs Abby List – Rose: Teaching Assistant working in Robins class & MDSA  
Mrs Rhia Couch: Admin Assistant

We welcome them to our school and look forward to working with them.

## Sporting Achievements in Term 3

The Netball teams have both been busy this term and have played in one match each @ Devizes Secondary School in the H5 League.

On 15<sup>th</sup> January, the "B" team played Nursted Primary School and won 10-1.

On February 15<sup>th</sup> the "A" team played All Cannings CE Primary School and also won 22-0.

Well done to the netball teams.

Unfortunately, the Hockey competition we were due to play in was cancelled and is re-scheduled for March.



Next term's Collective Value theme is



*"I can do all this through Him who gives me strength".*

Philippians 4:13



# SCHOOL CALENDAR

**TERM 4 MONDAY 24.02.20. - FRIDAY 03.04.20.**

- 17.03.20. 3.30pm Parents Evening
- 19.03.20. 3.30pm Parents Evening
- 27.03.20. 9.10am Robins Sharing Assembly
- 02.04.20. Easter Service in Church - everyone welcome
- 03.04.20. 9.10am Celebration Assembly

**TERM 5 MONDAY 20.04.20. - FRIDAY 22.05.20.**

- 08.05.20. May Bank Holiday (instead of 04.05.20.)
- w/c 11.05.20. Y6 SATs Week
- 22.05.20. 9.10am Celebration Assembly

**TERM 6 MONDAY 01.06.20. - WEDNESDAY 22.07.20.**

- 01.06.20. TD Day SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
- 10.06.20. 6.00pm Foundation Stage Induction Evening
- 19.06.20. Woodpeckers Sharing Assembly
- 26.06.20. TD Day SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
- 29.06.20. TD Day SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
- w/c 06.07.20. KS2 Play
- 15.07.20. Reading Breakfast/Reports given out
- 15.07.20. U6 SATs results and reports given out to parents
- 17.07.20. Sports Day
- 20.07.20. 9.10am Celebration Assembly
- 21.07.20. Leavers' Service in Church - everyone welcome



Robins and Chaffinches classes have been busy with Design & Technology projects this term. Robins made delicious pizzas as part of their topic on Italy and Chaffinches were busy designing and making games for a Dragon's Den challenge as part of their topic learning on Africa.

