

Ridgmont Lower School.

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Bike-a-bility training:

As a follow up to the cycle training we delivered to the children earlier in the year, PC Birch and his colleagues visited the school on Friday (PC Birch came on his bike, wearing his safety helmet) to talk to the children about the importance of wearing a safety helmet. He told the children that prizes would be given to children who are seen out and about on their bikes wearing their helmets.

Wear a helmet when riding your bike and **Keep safe.**

Contributing to the wider community:

As usual we had a collection of harvest produce in October. The produce was made up into gift boxes which the older children will distribute to local residents later this week. The children enjoyed celebrating Harvest Festival in the church again this year their theme was vegetable soup and fruit salad.

Later in the term the children will be taking part in the 'Shoe Box Appeal' Toys, games and toiletries are packed into decorated shoe boxes and collected from schools throughout the area. There is a special church service at St Mary's at Woburn (look out for posters with date and time.) to bless the gifts before they are all packed up and shipped off to children overseas.

The children are always very enthusiastic about supporting charities and finding out about how they can contribute to the wider community.



Our helping hands display shows all the things the children can do for others.

Autumn / Winter Events:

Our PTA Christmas bazaar including Santa's grotto is being held on Saturday 5th December. Please come and visit us.

The dress rehearsal of our Christmas production, 'Babushka' is on Wednesday 9th December at 2:30. Please let us know if you would like to come so that we can put enough chairs out!

The school will be holding a Nativity and Carol Concert on the last day of term, Friday 18th December 2:15. All members of the community are very welcome.

Friends of the School:

As always we are pleased to hear from anyone in the community who feels that they would be able to support the school in any of our activities and clubs.

Lynda Clark
Headteacher.