St. Matthew's Church of England Primary School

Our Vision is to enable our whole school community to live life in all its fullness

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Don't forget! Please do click on the link to give us parent & carer feedback. Closing date end of the month! Thank you – this will help us to help you. Parent/Carer Survey 2026

Please do have a look at our newest OPAL video on the front page of our school website 'Let the fun begin!'

Year 5, had a visit from the planetarium as part of their science learning and their hook to witing non-fiction reports in English. The children were absolutely fascinated and excited by this immersive experience. They loved exploring the wonders of space, discovering new things and, most importantly, having the opportunity to ask lots of brilliant questions. A fantastic morning that certainly sparked their curiosity!



Thank you to all those who turned out to do the Community Litter pick on Saturday. We all had a great time! We have 2 photos as some helpers had sports practice to get to! **Thank you all for giving your time to help our community and look after God's world!**





We are so proud of **Beth** who raised over £100 for Child in Need- which she did completely of her own volition. Great work, Beth!

Read her reasons for getting involved:

"I made and sold some hot chocolate in aid of Children in Need. I watched the television show with my parents and I was inspired to fundraise for the charity. We sold the hot chocolate with marshmallows and cream on top. We sold the drinks on my front drive. We raised £108.44. We sent the money off to Children in Need and I got a certificate.

I felt proud of myself for trying to raise the money, as I know it will go towards helping children to live a better life and helping them to be healthy."

What a brilliant young citizen! This is a great example of advocating for others who are need. Well done, Beth!



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The first phase of renewal for the **Reception Learning Area** has been completed. **Thank you everyone** for your patience! Now we just need to fundraise for phase 2!

Any funds raised from the **Movie Night** will begin our savings for Phase 2, so please do come along!



Year 1 had a fantastic time on our trip to the Discovery Centre last week, enjoying a whole day of hands-on science fun! During our workshop, we explored a variety of different materials, tested their properties, and discovered the key elements needed to make fire.





