



Preesall Fleetwood's Charity School **Autumn Term**

Friday 4th December 2020

Matthew 18:20 For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them.

We have some beautiful Christmas displays in the school hall produced by each class. Mrs Potter has put a video on our Facebook page so we can share them with you.

Christmas Cards

We would prefer it if pupils did not bring individual cards to school to hand out. If they want, they can write one card to the whole class.

Christmas Class Productions

The teachers will film their class taking part in their class performance. They will be in touch through Class Dojo about sending the videos home.

Christmas Jumper Day

We will be taking part in Christmas Jumper Day on Friday December 11th. Please send in a donation of £1 per child. All monies raised go to the charity Save the Children. Your child can wear their Christmas jumper instead of their school sweatshirt or cardigan with the rest of their uniform.

Christmas Dinner

Please make sure you have returned the booking form if your child usually has packed lunches but would like to join in with school Christmas dinner on Wednesday 16th December. All payment is to be made through ParentPay.

Dance

If your pupil takes part in Miss Gemma's dance classes, please look at the attached newsletter from the Laura Sandham School of Dance. They are hosting an awards ceremony on Sunday 20th December on zoom which you may like to attend. There will be awards for Preesall branch dancers as well as Lancaster.

Dance classes have been very well attended this half-term – I think we have 45 pupils taking part. As this has been so successful, I intend to keep the timetable the same next half-term and school will subsidise the cost so you pay £6 for 6 weeks. If you wish your child to continue, please send in £6 during the first week

Dates for your diary:

Friday 11th December – Christmas Jumper Day - £1 per child for Save the Children

Saturday 12th December - Santa & Mrs Claus travel through Knott End and Preesall

Tuesday 15th December – Last chance to purchase raffle tickets

Tuesday 15th December – Year 6 Christingle Service at St Oswald's 2 pm

Tuesday 15th December – Ash Class Christmas buffet lunch

Wednesday 16th December – Whole school Christmas lunch

Wednesday 16th December - Ash Class party

Thursday 17th December – Oak, Willow and Maple Class parties

Friday 18th December – Elm Class party plus secret Santa

CLOSE FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY AT **2 pm** (no After-School Club)

Sunday 20th December – Laura Sandham School of Dance Awards Ceremony (Zoom)

Monday 4th January 2021 – School opens

Wednesday 6th January – Individual and (in school) sibling photographs



*Preesall and Knott End
welcome
Santa & Mrs Claus*

ROUTE!
Starting at The Bourne Arms,
Esplanade, Lancaster Rd,
Park Lane, Fordstone Ave,
The Crescent, Sandy Lane,
Pilling Lane, Grasmere Rd,
Lancaster Rd, Hackensall Rd,
Quail Home Road, back to
The Bourne Arms

*Saturday 12th December
starting at 3.30pm*

*Sweets for
children
along the
route*


*Facebook
Page
Coming
Soon*



*Laura Sandham School of Dance
Newsletter*

KEEP DANCING

Hello Everyone

I do hope this newsletter finds you well, I am super excited to announce that we are able to open our studio doors again on Thursday 3rd December, until this point all classes will remain on zoom. From Thursday 3rd of December the timetable will go back to the previous studio table timetable that was launched in September 2020, you can access this on the website and face book, if your still unsure please do not hesitate to contact me.

This year we are inviting all students to take part in our annual choreography competition so get those creative juices flowing. This is an opportunity to make up your own routine to your own choice of music wearing your own costume in any style of dance you wish. Routines should be no longer than 2 mins long please. We ask if parents could record their child's routine at home and send it to the following e-mail address no later than Sat 19th

Dec: alderson.ruth1@googlemail.com Any questions please contact Miss Ruth on 07886742256. Entries are £5 per dance and the winner will receive a prize. The results will be announced at our Zoom prize giving on Sun 20th December... Good Luck!

We are holding an awards ceremony via zoom on Sunday 20th December with a visit from Father Christmas and a Christmas quiz, we would absolutely love to have as many of you as possible join us. Tickets are £2 per household please email Miss Laura, drop her a message via face book or give Miss Laura a call to book your tickets at your soonest opportunity, we are so excited its going to be awesome!

Sadly all Adult classes will remain on Zoom, I do hope you can still support us this way.

The dance School will close for Christmas after lessons on Tuesday 22nd December and we will re open Monday 4th January.

IMPORTANT PLEASE READ

On entering the Storey building you must wear your mask, Please DO NOT enter the double doors into the dance school reception area please wait in the cafe area and you will be collected from the cafe area by your teacher, thank you for your co operation.

Attached are the up dated terms and conditions please read through these carefully

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

ACCOUNTS

All lessons and accounts must be paid for in advance. Teachers' wages, rent and bills have to be paid in the absence of a pupil. It is only when classes are taking place out of term and 28 days' notice has been given for absence that payment can be excused. Lessons that can't be taken in person for whatever reason will be taken online and you will be contracted to carry on paying for your all your lessons so that you don't loose your place.

A one off registration fee of £15 is to be paid when you first sign up for classes.

If for any reason, a pupil is leaving the dance school, or dropping a certain genre, parents need to give 4 weeks' notice in writing or in person, and these 4 weeks must be paid for.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

When pupils leave the premises this is no longer the responsibility of the teacher but the responsibility of the parent/guardian.

UNIFORM

There is a standard school uniform and all pupils must follow this. If you are unsure of what they should be wearing please ask one of the teachers. Hooped, dangling earrings or watches must not be worn in class; this is a health and safety risk. Hair should always be groomed.

Please bring all valuables into class with you such as purses, jewellery and mobile phones. Please

make sure all mobile phones are switched off.

LOST PROPERTY

Uniform must be labelled; no responsibility can be taken for missing items.

EXAMS AND FESTIVALS

Exams and festival fees must be paid promptly. Please read the notice board regularly.

SCHOOL ETIQUETTE

Upon choosing Laura Sandham School of Dance as your dance school, we request that you please discuss/inform Miss Laura of any training your Son/Daughter wishes to undertake alongside their classes with us, this includes any festivals, workshops, classes via social media (including live sessions), associate programmes and auditions. We kindly ask that you adhere to this rule of etiquette out of respect for the professional outcome we have for your child(ren). Thank you as always for your understanding and cooperation.

Thank you for your continued support and this difficult time, it means the world to me.

Miss Laura and the Team

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