

Friday 6th January

2023

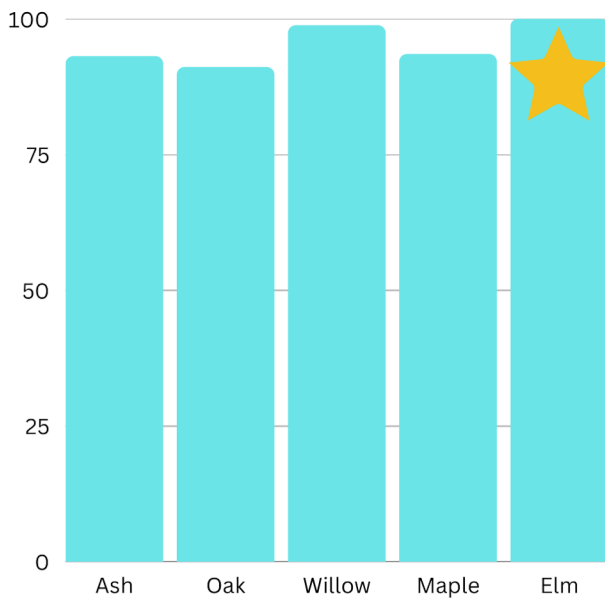
Happy New Year



Newsletter



Attendance



The whole school attendance for this week is 95.3%, with Elm class having 100% attendance this week, and 0 late marks.

Please ensure all absence is reported to the answerphone before 9am on each day of absence - 01253 810324 option 1

Highlights

- We have only been back 3 days but the highlight has most definitely been our nativity performances! Pre-School and Reception did an absolutely fantastic performance of The Bossy King which showed great confidence for such young pupils and brilliant singing. Then we had Years 1-4 perform the Bethlehem Bake-Off which again was a fabulous, engaging performance, showing some great talent: acting and singing.
- Thank you to all the staff who played a part in putting the productions together and to parents for supporting us in helping children prepare or coming along to watch.
- If you were able to see one of the performances, we hope you enjoyed it!

Happy New year to all of you! We hope you had a lovely Christmas and enjoyed some special family time. It has been so nice listening to the children talk about their presents from Father Christmas!

Swimming

Year 6 will start swimming on Wednesday next week. Please can boys have trunk style shorts (not baggy shorts) and anyone with long hair must wear a swimming cap. These are the rules from the baths. Swimming hats can be purchased at the pool. If your child wants to wear goggles, a permission letter must be signed and returned before the first session.

Yogi Group - 16/1/23

Each class will have a yoga workshop on Monday 16th January, and we will also be learning about Buddhism. Pupils are to come in their PE kit on this day.

Uniform

- We ask that pupils have the correct footwear on - black shoes. Please do not send children in trainers unless they are doing PE or other scheduled sports activities. PE kit must be school PE tshirt, black joggers/leggings/shorts and school jumper or PE hoodie.
- We ask that long hair is tied back at all times, and that hair accessories need to be in school colours.
- Smart watches and fitness trackers are not permitted in school.
- Earrings are permitted as long as they are small plain studs, and can be removed for sports and dance activities by the child themselves.
- All pupils should have a warm, waterproof coat which is worn to school daily.

Author Visit

We have organised an author visit for Wednesday 25th January. She will do an assembly for all KS2 pupils and then workshops for pupils in Years 4,5 and 6.

Pupils in Years 3-6 have the opportunity to purchase the author's latest release. They will have brought a letter home with them today. Orders for books need to be back in school by Wednesday.

*"Be on your guard;
stand firm in the faith; be
courageous; be strong."*

1 Corinthians 16:13

Toy Appeal - December 2022

We have received some letters of thanks from the Kensington Foundation following the Toy Appeal last month.

"We just wanted to thank you once again for all your support of The Kensington Foundation, especially with all the toys which you so generously supplied before Christmas, enabling us to make this time extra special for children who would otherwise have had very little to make them smile."

Clubs

We have lots of new clubs starting next week - please see the time table below.

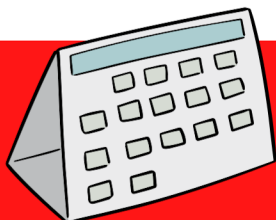
| Day | Time | Club | Open to | Please email to book on |
|------------------|--|----------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Monday | 3:30pm – 4:30pm | Little Astronauts | Years 1/2 | jpollard@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk |
| | 3:30pm – 4:30pm | Badminton @ St Aidan's | Years 3/4/5/6 | vriding@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk |
| | 3:30pm – 4:15pm | Choir | Years 3/4/5/6 | m.wells@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk |
| Tuesday | 3:30pm – 4:30pm | Young Historians (4 weeks) | Years 4/5/6 | mhutchinson@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk |
| | 3:30pm – 4:30pm | Archery | Years 1/2 | vriding@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk |
| | 3:30pm – 4:30pm | Chess (4 weeks) | Years 5/6 | jlewis@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk |
| Wednesday | Dance classes with Miss Gemma – gcocker@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk | | | |
| Thursday | 3:30pm – 4:45pm | Musicals with Miss Gemma | Years 2/3/4/5/6 | gcocker@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk |
| Friday | 3:30pm – 4:30pm | Athletics @ St Aidan's | Years 3/4/5/6 | vriding@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk |



Here are the fun packed activities planned for next week in the Woodland Den.

Please book on via ParentPay - sessions run until 4:30pm (half session) or 5:30pm (full session), and all children are provided with a drink and a snack. Booking closes 48 in advance online, but contact the office if you need a last minute place in the afterschool club.

| Date | Activity | Snack |
|----------|---------------|--------------------|
| 09/01/23 | Kids Choice | Fruit |
| 10/01/23 | Computing | Ham or Cheese Wrap |
| 11/01/23 | Word Searches | Crackers |
| 12/01/23 | Craft | Nibbles |
| 13/12/22 | Board Games | Breadsticks & Dips |



Lunches

Please complete
the lunch form for
ALL pupils in
school

<https://forms.office.com/r/exTQMJtNLL>

Monday 9/1/23 - Extra curricular clubs start

Tuesday 10/1/23 - Football league starts

Tuesday 10/1/23 - Balance bike day (Pre school / Ash / Oak)

Monday 16/1/23 - Yogi group in school

Wednesday 11/1/23 - Swimming starts

Wednesday 25/1/23 - KS2 Author visit

Friday 27/1/23 - Year 5/6 indoor athletics competition @ Mysercsough College

Thursday 9/2/23 - KS1 Sports Inclusion Festival @ Millfield

Friday 10/2/23 - School close for half term (3:30pm)

Monday 20/2/23 - School opens

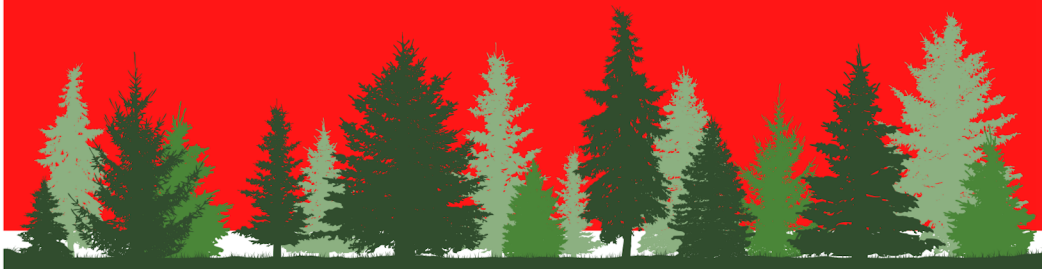
Wednesday 22/2/23 - Tuesday 28/2/23 - Book Fair in school

Thursday 23/2/23 - Parents' Evening in school

Friday 31/3/23 - School closes for Easter holiday



Meet at the park at 8:25am to
leave at 8:30am



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BACK TO SCHOOL

