

Pine Green Newsletter

November 2024

Attendance Figures

This month we would like to congratulate ALL of our Primary Students and Group 7 Secondary, they had amazing attendance for November

Lions - 84.44%

Panthers - 89.27%

Jaguars - 87.41%

Group 1: 74.36%

Group 2: 69.55%

Group 3: 82.41%

Group 4: 72.95%

Group 5: 88.32%

Group 6: 91.74%

Group 7: 95.48%

Group 8: 87.37%

Group 9: 88.13%

Group 10: 44.5%

Whole School Attendance - 80.93%

As you can see attendance has slowly been increasing since the start of the new school year, let's keep this going.

Thank you for your continued support this term.

If you need to report a student absence please either:

Call - 01902 551564

Email - enquiries@pinegreen.set.org

Send a message via Class Charts

Upcoming Events

A reminder of all our events happening over December

Christmas Raffle - To be drawn on Friday 13th December

Christmas Jumper Day - Friday 13th December

Family Catch up - Friday 13th December

Attendance Reward, Bouncy Castle Party and treats - Monday 16th December

Primary Christmas Dinner - Tuesday 17th December

Secondary Christmas Dinner - Wednesday 18th December

Christmas Grotto and Marshmallow toastie in forest schools - Thursday 19th December

Christmas Celebrations/Last Day of Term - Friday 20th December

School Success Story

Thank you to all our parents, carers and students who supported our recent food bank drive - we received over **320 food items**, which we were able to split between Di's Kitchen and also our school food bank. The items retained in school will be used for food hampers to help support our families over the festive period.

Tickets are now on sale for our Christmas Raffle. We have some amazing prizes for you to win, including an Airfryer, Toastie Machine, Tickets to Dudley Canal and Caverns and a Family pass to West Midlands Safari Park to name a few. All monies raised will go back into the school to help support our Christmas events.

On **Friday 13th December** we will be holding a Festive Family Cath-Up. Parents and Carers are invited to our Family Hub, to have a mince pie and chat.

You will also get the opportunity to have a meet and greet with some of our wonderful staff. If you would like to attend please ring the school office on 01902 5515645 to book a space.

School Term Dates

Autumn Term 2 Begins - Monday 4th November

Inset day - Friday 6th December 2024

Christmas Holiday - Monday 23rd December - Friday 32nd January 2025

Inset Day - Monday 6th January 2025

Spring Term begins - Tuesday 7th January - Friday 14th February

Half Term - Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February

Inset Day Friday 6th December - School will be closed

Useful External Links

Voice4 Parents
bring you our Free
Parent Carer Wellbeing sessions

Join us to create your own Christmas Decorations on 16th December at Brickiln Community Centre, Cherry Street WV3 OQW from 12.30pm - 2.30pm

To develop creative skills through designing and making Christmas decorations.
To understand how to develop and apply creative mediums such as paints, wood, clay, gems and bells.
To develop an understanding of how to establish mindfulness practice through creative art.

Meet likeminded Parent Carers to take the time to chat, catch up and soothe body, mind and soul whilst exploring new fun skills.
Limited Places - allocated first come first serve

If allocated a place and don't attend then no further sessions will be given
No cost - covered by V4P with take home handcrafted item at end of session
Light Refreshments will be provided

TO BOOK EMAIL: EVENTS@VOICE4PARENTS.CO.UK Include session want to book onto, name, and V4P MEMBERSHIP NUMBER
All emails will be responded to

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Join us to create your own Christmas Stocking on 16th December at Brickiln Community Centre, Cherry Street WV3 OQW from 10am - 12pm

To develop creative skills through designing and making a Christmas stocking.
To understand how to develop and apply creative mediums such as a range of fabrics, fabric paint and fabric pens.
To develop an understanding of how to establish mindfulness practice through creative art.

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Spotlight on Staff

What is your job role?

Mr Colin Walker - Pastoral Officer

How long have you been in education? I have worked within Pine Green for the past 4 years initially as a Teaching Assistant, my first two years I worked as a supply member of staff, however I enjoyed the role so much I became permanent in October 2022. During my time here I have worked alongside the pastoral team helping to coordinate interventions and ensure students have the support they need when outside of the classroom.

If you could take 3 things to a desert island what would they be?

I would take my office which I have covered in the students art work, my radio and the phone box.

