

4th December 2019

Reminders:

Thursday 5th December – Non uniform day- children and staff for a donation to the Christmas Fayre.

<u>Friday 6th December</u>- Training Day no children in school. Have a lovely long weekend.

<u>Thursday 12th December</u>- Christmas Fayre Day, children will go around during the day and we will be open 3.30pm-5pm on the evening.

Friday 13th December-SCHOOL OPEN AS USUAL.

Christmas Raffle

Both adult and children's tickets are now on sale in school every morning 8.30am-8.45am. Tickets are 20p each and the raffle will be drawn at the Christmas Fayre. Don't worry if you are not there we will display the winning numbers on Friday 13th good luck everyone!

Attendance

We are aware of the sickness bug that is around at the moment and know children cannot attend school when ill, but please remember to let school know so we can record their absence as illness.

Appointments

If children need to go to an appointment in the school day please bring them to school before the appointment if possible and bring them back afterwards.

Head Teachers Award

Well done to the following children:

Reception- Je-Je Year 1- Victoria Year 2- Ellie-Mai Year 3-Logan

Year 4- David B Year 5- Toby Year 6- Victoria

Nursery Miss Harvey

Christmas is coming! We are busy making lots of Christmas things and practising our concert. Nursery concerts are Wednesday 11th December.

The morning concert is 9.30am and the afternoon concert is 2pm.

We will be serving coffee/tea and mince pies after both performances. Please note the change in time for the afternoon concert it is now 2pm.

Reception-Mrs Ingleson

We have had very exciting couple of weeks in Reception. As part of our Topic 'Which animals makes the best pet?' we have had visits from puppies, snakes, grasshoppers, rabbits and bearded dragons! We also had a visit from dog's trust who spoke to us about keeping safe around dogs. We have worked really hard to write about all different animals we have seen.

Stars of the week:

Mia Anayah I Keyan

Year 1- Miss Machin

This week in Year 1 we have been learning about instructions. We learnt about bossy verbs and carefully followed some instructions to make jam sandwiches.

Stars of the week:

Darasimi Ava Timi

Year 2- Miss Ross

This week in Year 2 we are going to crop out an image of ourselves using the magic eraser app and super impose the image onto the image of a Tudor house in computing. In Geography we will use what we have learnt about maps to make our own 3D maps. In Mathematics we are looking at money. Ask us to see if we count sets of money at home, starting with 1p, 2p and 5p coins and then adding other coins to make calculating different amounts of money more challenging!

Stars of the week:

Dorain Ben Elliot

Year 3-Mrs Smith

This week in Science we will be carrying on with our investigation into the human body. In PHSCE we will start to look at how to budget, if you had £1000 per month and which are a luxury and which are essential.

Stars of the week:

Zara H Una Izabella M

Year 4- Mr Waters

This week, Year 4 have been carrying out our own research to create a presentation in History, all about rich and poor people in Victorian times. In science, we have been investigating gas.

Stars of the week:

Sahil Salahuddin James

Year 5- Mr Needham

<u>Visit to Dixons Unity Academy:</u> A big thank you to all the children who attended the two sessions at Dixons Unity Academy. The children took part in English and Science lessons and their behaviour was exemplary.

Lessons:

In ICT, children have enjoyed making their own multi-level games using scratch 2.

Planners:

Children need to remember to have their planners signed over the weekend ready to be checked by their teachers on Monday.

Stars of the week:

Wiktoria Ummy Zahra

Year 6- Mr Needham

Lessons:

In English, children have been learning about persuasions and how to write persuasive sentences. In Design and Technology, children have been developing their sewing skills: practising with a needle and thread.

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Stars of the week:

Safa Silvia Kristians Tiano

Christmas Performances

Monday 9th December Year 3 - 9.30am & Year 1 - 2.30pm Tuesday 10th December Year 5 - 9.30am & Reception - 2.30pm

Wednesday 11th December Nursery - 9.30am & 2pm

Friday 13th December Year 2 - 9.30am & Year 4 - 2.45pm

Christmas Parties

Monday 16th December

Tuesday 17th December

Wednesday 18th December

Nursery Afternoon & Year 1- 3.30pm-5.9pm

Reception Afternoon & Year 2- 3.30pm-5.30pm

Year 3 & 4 Afternoon & Year 5 & 6- 3.30pm-5.30pm

Dates this Half Term

Thursday 5th December Non uniform day for children who bring a donation for the fair.

Friday 6th December Training Day no children in school

Thursday 12th December Christmas Fair & Jumper Day, Parents welcome from 3.30pm-5pm

Thursday 19th December Church Service

Friday 20th December Break up for two weeks

Monday 6th January Return to school

Training Days - Children not in School

Friday 6th December Friday 13th March Friday 12th June Monday 20th July

School Closes for Summer Holidays on Friday 17th July and Re opens on Monday 7th September.