Weekly Newsletter 2nd December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,



A huge thank you to the PFA for the brilliant Christmas Fayre on Thursday. The children had a wonderful time exploring the various stalls, spending time in Santa's grotto and getting into the festive spirit. Next Thursday (8th December) is our Christmas jumper day, with performances starting the day

after. Please refer to the letter sent two weeks ago alongside reminders on the newsletter and the website.

We had a fantastic turn out for year 2's 'Stay and Read' event on Tuesday, Both classes had a wonderful time sharing some of their favourite stories with their adults. We value reading for pleasure highly and work hard as a school to grow our Reading for Pleasure pedagogy: teachers read to children every day. Evidence continues to suggest that there is a positive relationship be-



tween reading frequency, reading enjoyment and attainment, which is why reading regularly as part of home learning is so important.

With two more school weeks until the end of the autumn term, there are so many children on track to gain the first gold attendance badges of the year. Thank you to everyone for working with the school to re-establish many good habits, ensuring children attend school all day every day unless they are too ill to do so. If you ever have any questions about attendance, please do not hesitate to speak to the school office or any member of the leadership team.

Have a lovely weekend,

Zoe Crosland and Jack Green

After School Clubs & Music Lessons for Spring Term

Please complete the forms below if you would like to apply for a place in one of our after school activity clubs / music lesson for your child. Applications close on Monday 12th December at 10am

After School Clubs:

Music Lessons:



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BOOK RECOMMENDATION



Beeches Class have enjoyed reading 'Beware of Boys' by Tony Blundell this week. It features a cheeky boy who tricks a greedy wolf by giving filly ideas about how to cook him, such as a boy pie and boy cake, and uses all

sorts of funny ingredients. We have used the book as inspiration to write our own recipes for a ravenous wolf.

NOTICES

Year 4 London Mithraeum Trip:

Wednesday 7th December

<u>Year 6 trip to Prince Phillip Maritime Centre</u>: Blackfriars: Wednesday 7th December

Christmas Jumper Day:

Thursday 8th December

Millennium & Sycamore Xmas Performance: Friday 9th December at 2pm

KS1 Xmas Performance:

Monday 12th December at 9.30am Tuesday 13th December at 2pm

Nursery AM & 30hrs Xmas Performance: Monday 12th December at 10.45am

Nursery PM & 30hrs Xmas Performance: Monday 12th December at 2.45pm

KS2 Xmas Performance:

Monday 12th December at 2pm Tuesday 13th December at 9.30am

Reception Class Xmas Performance: Wednesday 14th December at 2.30pm

Rocksteady Xmas Concert:

Wednesday 14th December at 9.30am

Christmas Lunch: Thursday 15th December

Last day of Term: Friday 16th December

Reminder: No chocolate bars are allowed in packed lunches only biscuit based snacks please.











French phase of the week: Bonne nuit - Good night

Term Value **Perseverance**

Lunch Menu: 1

w/c 5th December