## Weekly Newsletter 2nd December 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

With one week to go until the end of the autumn term, it has been another busy week at Horn Park.

Children across Key Stage 2 have been involved in exciting educational visits. Year 4 explored the London Mithraeum Museum, taking part in a workshop where they held real Roman artefacts! After Westminster visited in November, Blackfriars went to the Prince Philip Maritime Collections Centre for a



'Discovering My World: Maps, Charts & Globes workshop.'



Our choir also represented the school brilliantly by entertaining the commuters at Lewisham Station with a selection of Carols. It was a great warm up for our Christmas performances; we are looking forward to welcoming families to see these over the next week. The festive cheer

continued on Thursday as we took part in Save The Children's Christmas Jumper Day.

We have sent two letters home this regarding Group A Strep cases, including advice and guidance from the UK Health Security Agency. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of the leadership team.

A reminder that next Friday (16th December) is the last day of term. The school day will finish at normal time and the children return to school on Wednesday 4th January.

As part of the final day of term, we will be celebrating the career of Mrs Williams, who is retiring after working at Horn Park for 32 years. It is not often we say goodbye to a member of staff who has nurtured and inspired almost three generations of Horn Park children. The school, children and community are indebted to Mrs Williams for the impact she has had during her time at the school, and everyone wishes her a happy and relaxing retirement.

Have a lovely weekend,

Zoe Crosland and Jack Green









## **BOOK RECOMMENDATION**



Tower Class have been thoroughly enjoying reading 'Space Boy' by David Walliams. It's about a girl called Ruth who loves climbing trees, making a mess and throwing stones. But the thing she loves most is SPACE. The girl is OBSESSED. She spends her days reading comics about alien invasions, doodling

UFOs, watching B-movies about Earth being invaded by creatures from Mars Until one night, Ruth creeps out of bed in the attic room of her rickety old farmhouse to watch the stars – and is just dozing off when she spots something blazing across the sky. But when the UFO crash-lands in the cornfield, and Ruth rushes to help, she finds a mystery – and an adventure – beyond her wildest dreams...

## **NOTICES**

After School Clubs & Music lessons:

Applications close on Monday 12th Dec at 10am. Lego Club added for Y1&2 (please click on link above to apply)

**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: Mondáy 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

Children return to school on Wednesday 4th January











French phase of the week: Au revoir - Good Bye

Term Value **Perseverance**  **Lunch Menu: 2** 

w/c 12th December