



# Weekly Newsletter: 8<sup>th</sup> December 2023

## Head Teacher Update:

**Pantomime:** Another reminder about next week’s pantomime. If you are a parent helper, please make sure you have paid for your ticket in advance of the day. Please can you arrive at school by 1215 at the latest so that we can leave school promptly at 1230. Nursery parents whose children arrive at 12 on Thursday, please can you bring your child at 1145 so we can ensure they have sufficient time to eat their lunch as well as organising collection from the Maltings at 1530. All other parents, please remember the later collection time of 1600. We are so excited and cannot wait! Any other information you need, please email the office. We will be walking no matter the weather so please ensure your child has comfortable shoes and weather appropriate clothing

**Sustrans bikes:** The children thoroughly enjoyed ‘Blinging’ their bikes on Thursday. They looked fantastic!

**Christmas Fayre:** I would like to thank the PTA for all of their hard work- it was an amazing event and we raised an amazing £514!

**Reception Nativity:** Please remember to book your places for the Nativity next Tuesday and Wednesday via Parentbooking. No tickets are needed as we will have the list printed. It sounds amazing and we can’t wait to share it with you!

**After school clubs:** After school club bookings are now live. There are still spaces in all clubs. These are FREE and will provide your child with an excellent opportunity to try new things. If you are struggling to book online please email the office and we are able to book your child on. The options are: Mondays: Multi-skills and construction clubs, Tuesdays: Art club and Wednesday: Choir. It would be great to have these clubs filled up!

**Nursery children due to start Reception in September 2024:** If your child is due to start school in September 2024 please read the attached information regarding registering your child for a school place. This needs to be completed by January 15<sup>th</sup> 2024. Any questions please ask the school office.

**Year 2 children starting Junior School in September 2024:** If your child is in Year Two, please read the attached information regarding registering your child for a Year Three placement for September 2023. This needs to be completed by January 15<sup>th</sup> 2024. Any questions please ask the school office.

**Online safety:** It is so important that we keep our children safe when they are playing online. Please see the attached flyer and scan the QR code for more helpful guides.

**School Christmas parties:** The children will be having Christmas parties in the last week. For this they are able to bring in their party outfits to get changed into in the afternoon. We also ask that if you are able to donate some snacks such as crisps, packaged biscuits or cakes for the party these can be shared among the children. Please ensure they are nut free. School will provide for the children with allergies. Please give these donations to the class teacher.

**Upcoming dates:** It is an extremely busy time of the year and so please use the dates below as a reminder:

<p><b>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December</b> 1400- Reception and Clover Nativity to parents 1530 onwards- Poppy and Daisy Parents Evening</p> <p><b>Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December</b> 1400- Reception and Clover Nativity to parents 1530 onwards- Poppy, Daisy and Bluebells parents evening</p> <p><b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December</b> 1230- Whole school leave for the trip to the panto 1530- Children who are being collected from The Maltings to be collected 1600- Children arrive back from the panto</p>	<p><b>Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December:</b> 1400- KS1 Christmas carols with parents</p> <p><b>Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December</b> PM: Reception Christmas party in school</p> <p><b>Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December</b> PM: Year One Christmas party in school PM: Santa is visiting Nursery</p> <p><b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December</b> 0915- Nursery Christmas Sing along with parents PM: Year Two Christmas party in school</p>
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