



Weekly Newsletter – Friday, 13th December 2019

Year R applications – September 2020

Applications are now open for Reception Class September 2020. If you have a child born between 1st September 2015 and 31st August 2016 you can apply online for a place through the Kent County Council website:-

www.kent.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools/school-places/primary-school-places

Applications close on 15th January 2020. **Families are welcome to make an appointment to view any time.**

Class Party Day

We would be most grateful if each child could bring in some food to share with their class next Monday, 16th December. Please remember no nuts as we have children with nut allergies. School Uniform to be worn as usual.



Message from the Headteacher

Christmas Celebrations

The end of term is approaching at a fast pace but that has not stopped us squeezing in a variety of Christmas-themed activities this week! Children in Classes 1 and 2 entertained their families and friends with their presentation of the Nativity story this week entitled Lights, Camel, Action. Who knew before now that it was possible to tell the story through the theme of Strictly Come Dancing! The children and staff did a fantastic job – the dances were amazing, the delivery of lines outstanding and the singing and costumes (complete with a liberal dose of glitter and sparkle) were brilliant; many thanks to all at school and home who contributed to making this so successful. Meanwhile the children in Key Stage 2 presented to their friends and families at St Margaret's Church on Tuesday. Through readings and song the children re-told and celebrated the Christmas story. Once again many thanks to the staff and children for their work towards making this such a special occasion for us all. We all enjoyed wearing our Christmas jumpers and tops to school today and the school Christmas lunch (complete with cracker jokes and hats) was fabulous and very much appreciated by all.

PTFA Christmas Fayre

Another successful fundraiser last week. Well done to all involved and I am pleased to say that £1000 was raised.

Please Look After this Bear

You will have seen the detail regarding our whole school reading project which will commence in January – thank you in advance for supporting us by providing your child in Classes 3-6 with a copy of A Bear Called Paddington. I am sure we will enjoy (re)acquainting ourselves with this loveable bear.

Helen Comfort

**Remember:
School will finish at
2pm on
Wednesday, 18th
December.**

Attendance

w/e 13th December 2019



Class R – 72.7%	Class 4 – 98.6%
Class 1 – 90.7%	Class 5 – 90.7%
Class 2 – 97.2%	Class 6 – 92.9%
Class 3 – 93.8%	Whole school – 91.4%



Star Awards

w/e 6th & 13th December 2019

Class 1 – Aaron & Class 1
Class 2 – Zara & Class 2
Class 3 – Lucie & Chloe W
Class 4 – Matthew & Oscar
Class 5 – Sophie M & Kira
Class 6 – Amber & George

The Week Ahead!

Week commencing 16th December 2019

No Clubs

Christmas Menu: Week 3

Monday, 16th December – Party Day

Tuesday, 17th December – Classes 3, 4, 5 & 6 trip
– Classes R, 1 & 2 trip

Wednesday, 18th December – School finishes at 2pm

