

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a really busy couple of weeks here at school. I hope everybody had a good holiday and we wish everyone a happy new year. Before the holidays, we have had a number of issues with children's use of social media at home. Please check your Wi-Fi settings so you have parental controls switched on, and make sure you know what your children are saying both on their phones and through their gaming stations to their friends.

Our visit to the Pantomime, Jack and the Beanstalk at the Hippodrome, was a great success, all the children looked like they were having a brilliant time and we all enjoyed the ice creams. They especially liked the moment when Mr Haworth got a custard pie in his face. It was lovely to see the whole school together enjoying the fun. Their behaviour was impeccable walking through town, it was brilliant to see.



The houses winners last term were the foxes. For a prize, Mr Ariss and Mrs Haworth lit fires in the forest school, and the children made S'mores (Biscuits filled with melted marshmallows) the children really enjoyed them.



Thank you to everyone for getting your children to school every day during this cold snap. Hopefully the ice will have gone after the weekend.

I hope everyone has a great weekend and stay safe and we will see you all on Monday.

Yours sincerely



Christopher Holmes

Head teacher

## Certificate & Award Winners

### 19th January 2024

Reception– Lucas, Alina, Sharon

Year 1: Carter, Patrick, Oscar

Year 2: Hareem, Rafeh, Ewan

Year 3: Iris, Sukayna, Leighlan

Year 4: Ibrahim, Ahmed, Luke

Year 5: Zinat, Miley, Lily

Year 6: Olivia, Haram, Levi

Lunchtime award: Alfie, Lily

Attendance: KS1 - Year 1 KS2 - Year 3



### P.E Kits

Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school.

PE days are

Monday– Year 1 and 2

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Wednesday - Reception, Year 3,4 and 6

Thursday –Year 5 and 6

Friday - Year 3,4 and 5

During the colder months, children can bring jumpers and joggers to wear for PE

Children must not wear earrings on the days they have PE otherwise they will not be able to fully participate

## Grandparents Lunch

**Wednesday 7th February 2024**

**12.00 - 1.00pm**

We would like to invite Year 6 Grandparents to have lunch with their grandchild, lunch will be provided by school at a cost of £2.50 per adult.

Orders can be placed and paid for at the office

### Dates for your Diary

6th February -Safer Internet Day

9<sup>th</sup> February -BREAK UP

19<sup>th</sup> February -INSET Day

20<sup>th</sup> February -Return to school – International Mother Tongue Day

4th March -Assessment week

8<sup>th</sup> March -World Book Day

21<sup>st</sup> March -Parents evening

28th March BREAK UP 1.15pm

Our Family Support Worker Mrs Eccles can be contacted by phone on 01282 864607 or 07715653786. She is also available on the yard at the beginning and end of the school day. Mrs Eccles can provide advice and support to help families and can help with accessing additional support service. Please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Eccles if you need any support.

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