

School Newsletter

Christmas Concert



Tonight, it is our Christmas Concert and it should be a fantastic event as always! Thank you to all those who have already bought tickets - there will be some available on the night (£3 per ticket).

Please can ALL children be at school for 5.30pm so we can prepare for the concert to commence at 6pm. It is estimated that the concert will last one hour and so will finish at 7pm.

A reminder also, that at 4.30pm this evening, children in KS2 are invited to join us in singing a couple of songs at Woodpecker Winter Wonderland.

Christmas Film

On Thursday afternoon next week (19th December) children will be invited to choose from a range of Christmas films being shown across the six classrooms that we have in school.

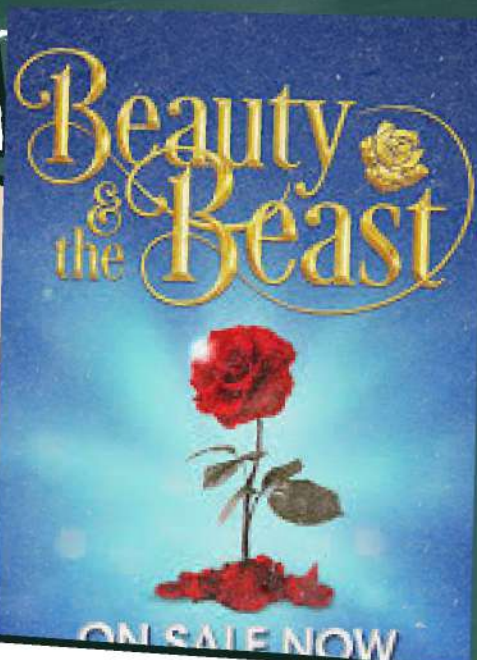
All films will carry either a U or PG rating - if you do not wish for your child to be able to choose a film with a PG rating please do let us know before Thursday morning so we can ensure this does not happen.



Pantomime

A wonderful time was had by all on Monday as we watched this year's Pantomime of Beauty and The Beast at the Marlowe Theatre in Canterbury.

I would like to thank Ms Silverton for all of her efforts in putting this experience together for the children, it was clear to see that it was one they will remember!



Talent Show

Auditions have taken place and we now have our finalists for the final of the Christmas Talent Show.

All parents of children taking part in the final should have received an email on Wednesday of this week, informing them that they are invited to come along and watch the Talent Show - which takes place at 2pm on Tuesday (17th December).

I was very impressed by the talents displayed in the auditions and by the confidence shown by the many children that came along to try out for a place in the final.

Santa Fun Run

Mr Allen has arranged a Santa Fun Run which will take place on Monday of next week (16th December). All children will be able to take part should they wish. We ask that all donations are brought in to school on Monday morning. Children should have a Santa hat or some other Christmas related headwear as well as wellington boots or trainers that you are happy to be muddied.

Parents willing to run alongside their children should gather in the hall at 9am.





Nativity

Thank you to everyone who came along to the Nativity "Born In A Barn" on Wednesday.

We saw fantastic singing, dancing and speaking throughout with all the children showing great confidence. It was a great start to our Christmas events at school over the next week or so.

Carols and Christingles

There will be two services over at St Peter St Paul's Church on Wednesday 18th December. These will be a service comprising of Christingle celebration and come festive carols. Parents are welcome to attend if they wish at the following times:

Years R, 1 and 2 - 10.30am

Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 - 1.30pm



Christmas Lunch

A reminder that the Christmas Lunch is on Wednesday 18th December.

As with all lunches now, to book your child a Christmas Lunch, you need to do so through the website.

All pupils and staff have lunch together including those who elect to still have a packed lunch. If you have any queries please contact the office.



EXTRA-CURRICULAR

Thank you to all the staff who have gone out of their way to put on extra-curricular clubs so far this school year.

In January, we will be creating a new set of clubs to run across Terms 3 and 4 up to the Easter break.

TERM DATES...

TERM TWO

04/11/24 - 20/12/24

TERM THREE

06/01/25 - 14/02/25

TERM FOUR

24/02/25 - 04/04/25

TERM FIVE

22/04/25 - 23/05/25

TERM 6

02/06/25 - 22/07/25

KEY DATES COMING UP..

MONDAY 16th DECEMBER

Santa Fun Run

TUESDAY 17th DECEMBER

Talent Show

WEDS 18th DECEMBER

Carols & Christingle

Christmas Lunch

FRIDAY 19th DECEMBER

Christmas Film

STARS OF THE WEEK...

Donaldson Class

Henry

Duffy Class

Isabella-Aurora

Rosen Class

Amelia

Morpurgo Class

Ellora

Blyton Class

Ruby