



Coming up at Castle Hill.....

Week 12 - w/b 19.11.18

Fortnite

The School Nursing Team have requested that we share the following information with all parents:

"Many of you may be aware of the risks and concerns around children playing the online game Fortnite, which has a 12 rating but is played by much younger children.

We have been made aware of an emerging trend, where people are playing strip Fortnite using webcams. The rule is that when you achieve a "kill" you have to strip off, potentially adding an additional risk from children being exposed to and/or sharing indecent images whilst playing the game.

Please could you share this information with parents, colleagues and schools and remind them that any inappropriate/unlawful contact with children online needs to be reported." Thankyou for your co-operation.

Christmas Cards

Please return your Christmas Card order form to the office on Monday 26th November.

Admission to Reception 2019

ATTENTION ALL NURSERY PARENTS

Applications for Reception are all completed online and the portal opens on **Friday 19th November** at www.calderdale.gov.uk/admissions. It is important that you complete the online application as soon as possible, the deadline is **15th JANUARY 2017**. If you don't complete this application on time your child may not be allocated your first choice primary school.

If you would like any assistance with your online application. Miss Bardsley will be available on Wednesday 21st November from 8:50am until 11:45am and on Tuesday 4th December from 1pm until 3:30pm. This is a drop in session and laptops will be available to complete your Reception place application.



Open Afternoon

KS1 and KS2 are holding their first open afternoon on Monday 26th November at 1.30pm.

You will have the opportunity to work with your child/children in their classes. Staff have been busy thinking of ideas for the Enterprise stalls and this will be the focus for the afternoon.

Foundation stage will be holding a craft morning on Friday 14th December at 9:00am until 10:30 in the school hall. They will be singing a small selection of Christmas songs and then you will have the opportunity to make a selection of Christmas crafts with your child.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 26 th Nov	Am Year 5/6S visiting Todmorden Town Hall
Monday 26 th Nov	1.30pm Enterprise Open Afternoon: All parents welcome
Thursday 29 th Nov	Pm - Year 3 Todmorden Sports Centre
Monday 3 rd Dec	Better Living team Reception and Year 6
Wednesday 5 th Dec	9.10am Governor Award assembly
Thursday 6 th Dec	3.30pm - 5.00pm PFA Christmas Fayre (back to original date)
Friday 7 th Dec	3F Stone Age Day
Tuesday 11 th Dec	9.45 KS1 & Ks2 Film at the Hippodrome Foundation Stage - Film morning at school
Wednesday 12 th Dec	2pm Rec and KS1 Nativity at the Hippodrome
Thursday 13 th Dec	6.00pm Key Stage 2 Carol Concert - St Mary's Church
Friday 14 th Dec	9.00am Reception Christmas Craft morning
Monday 17 th Dec	4.00pm Nursery Christmas Performance
Wednesday 19 th Dec	Christmas Dinner day and Christmas Jumper day
Wednesday 19 th Dec	2pm Choir singing to Todmorden Health Champions at the Health Centre
Friday 21 st December	3.30pm Break for Christmas

PFA Update

The PFA would like to thank all parents and families for their support with the Halloween Bake sale and disco and are delighted to share that we raised just under **£387.00**, this year's fund raising project is the school playground and a full update on what we are hoping to achieve will be sent out in the next few weeks. Our next event will be the Christmas Fayre on Thursday 6th December and any help with set up on the day or helping on the stalls would be really appreciated. If you are interested in joining the PFA or can help on the 6th December please contact Louise Leeming on 07775588630

Choir

The choir will meet as usual on Thursday 6th December, as they will be singing at the Christmas Fayre.