

Welcome to our newsletter...

Last day of Term

Friday 21st December 2018

Inset Days 2017/2018

Friday 11th January 2019 - new date

Monday 25th February 2019

Friday 24th May 2019 - cancelled

Next Week

Monday 3rd Y4 Swimming don't forget your kit!

Monday 3rd Archery Club Y1/Y2 3.35-4.30

Tuesday 4th Reception & KS1 Christingle 2.30-3.30

Tuesday 4th Guitar Club 3.35-4.35

Tuesday 4th Clarinet Club 3.35-4.35

Tuesday 4th Fencing Club Y3/Y4 3.35-4.30

Wednesday 5th Dodgeball Club KS2 3.35-4.30

Thursday 6th Cheerleading Club KS2 3.35-4.30

Thursday 6th Choir 3.35-4.30

Friday 7th Non-Contact Boxing Club Y4/Y5/Y6 3.35-4.30

December

Tuesday 11th Reception Concert 10.00

Wednesday 12th Reception Concert 10.00

Wednesday 12th Choir at Skegby Methodist Church 11.15

Wednesday 12th KS1 Nativity Performance 5.00

Thursday 13th KS1 Nativity Performances 10.00 & 2.15

Thursday 13th Choir at Idlewells Indoor Market 10.00

Friday 14th Christingle at New Cross Church 5.00

Monday 17th Choir at Lawn Park Nursing Home 2.00

Tuesday 18th Choir at Forest Manor Nursing Home 2.00

Wednesday 19th Reception/KS1 Christmas Party

Thursday 20th Rock Steady Concert 9.30

Thursday 20th Visit to the Panto (Whole School)

Friday 21st Carols in the Playground

Letters will follow to give you further details about some of these events.

Latest

Letters This Week:

- Christingle Craft (Reception, Y1 & Y2)
- Nativity Tickets (Y1 & Y2)
- Christmas Party (Nursery, Reception, Y1 & Y2)
- Nativity Tickets (Nursery & Reception)
- Clarinet & Guitar Clubs (Selected Children)

PE Kit – Colder Weather

If your child is in Year 5 or Year 6 and is walking to Quarrydale for their PE lesson, can you please ensure that they have some leggings or jogging bottoms to wear now that the weather is colder.

The School Budget

The Governors met recently to discuss the school budget at the midway point through the financial year. I am pleased to let you know that the school is maintaining a healthy, well managed budget which is in line with expectations for this time of the year.

Mrs Armitage, Business Manager

Poppy Appeal

Thank you to all parents/carers that supported the Poppy Appeal, as a school we raised over £365.

Creswell Crag – Y3

On Wednesday Year Three went to Creswell Crag to support our learning about the Stone Age. We had a go at some amazing activities including exploring in a dark cave, making a fire and survival, which included us making our own shelters. According to the staff the children were a credit to our school and the weather was not as cold as we thought it would be! Everyone enjoyed the day and learned lots too!

Mrs Hames, Y3 Teacher



Sutton Town Centre Light Switch On

The FGP Choir will be singing at the Sutton Town Centre light switch on tomorrow in Portland Square. Members of the choir should arrive from 2.30pm ready to sing at 2.40pm & 4.00. Children will be free to leave after the light switch on at 4.10pm. Everyone is welcome to come and watch our festive singing!

Mrs Avison

Packed Lunches

We have noticed at school that some of the packed lunches have had a high sugar- cake and chocolate content. Below, are the government guidelines which can be useful to look at when considering what to pack for your children if you need advice.

They recommend that a healthy packed lunch should contain a sandwich/pitta bread or wrap filled with meat, cheese or fish. A source of calcium such as a yoghurt and or cheese, one portion of fruit and one portion of vegetables or salad. Snacks such as crisps, cakes, pastries and sweets should only be occasional. We would like your support in ensuring that more children bring a healthy packed lunch to School. Thank you.

Payment for Trips/Instrument Clubs

We are experiencing a greater number of instances where payments are not being made by the deadline. The school does subsidise all events and in order for trips to go ahead these do need to be paid on-time. If anyone has a problem with payment, please come and speak to someone in the office. If you have any money outstanding please send this into school in a labelled envelope.