



MANEY HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Maney Hill Newsletter

28th November 2016

Dates for your diary

December

- 2nd – Reception Christmas Production
- 2nd – PTA Christmas Fayre
- 6th Christmas Lunch
- 7th & 8th – KS1 Christmas Production
- 12th & 13th KS2 Christmas Production
- 14th Carol Concert
- 16th – Xmas Jumper Multi Day for Save the Children
- 16th – last day of term

January

- 3rd – Staff Training Day
- 4th – first day of Spring Term
- 9th – Tae Kwon Do starts
- 10th – Year 2 Inspire Workshop
- 19th – Year 3 Class Assembly
- 24th Year 1B Inspire Workshop
- 31st - Year 1J Inspire Workshop

February

- w/b 6th – Parents' Evening
- w/b 20th – half term week

March

April

- 7th – last day of term

May

- w/b 2nd – Parents' Evening (drop-in)
- 26th – Staff Training Day
- w/b 29th – half term week

June

- 12th - Bikeability

July

- w/b 17th – Open Afternoon & Parents' Evening (drop-in)
- 21st – last day of term for children
- 24th & 25th – Staff Training Days

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Dear Parents and Carers

The Christmas productions are well under way; we have a few budding stars of the future. I'm sure you will be impressed when you come to see your child's production.

Today we went to the Cinema to see Trolls, the children were very well behaved and fun was had by all. Thank you to all our parent helpers and volunteers who came with us. We appreciate, as always, the support we received.

Sorry we are a little late with the newsletter, due to staff illness (flu striking) we are running a little bit behind.

Miss Cipko

Cricketing News!

Harry Moors and Greg Rushton in Year 5 have for the last month or so been undergoing trials for the U10 Warwickshire County Cricket Club. It's been pretty intense and they have been up against 100s of children from across the county.

Brilliantly Greg has been chosen to be part of the county training squad and team - an incredible achievement - and Harry is reserve for the forthcoming season. (Effectively they are in the top 28 boys in their age group in the county).

Both of the boys regularly play for Walmley CC and earlier this year their U9 team were double County Champions in hard ball and soft ball.



Year 6 visit to Cadbury World

Here are the children dressing up as Aztecs! We also got to explore Cadbury world and learn about the origins of Chocolate.



Christmas Dates

Christmas Fayre 2nd December

Christmas Productions

Reception 2nd December

Key Stage 1 7th & 8th December

Key Stage 2 12th & 13th December

Christmas Lunch 6th December

Carol Concert 14th December

Christmas Discos 14th December

Christmas Parties 15th December

Christmas Jumper Day 16th December

Reception Spare Clothes



Do you have any spare underclothes that you could donate to school suitable for Reception and Year 1 children. Occasionally a child will have an 'accident' and need a change of pants, socks and trousers. Our spares are running very low at school as loaned items have not been returned to school.



CAR DAMAGED OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

A car belonging to a parent, a Picasso Reg BJ08 5FU, was hit outside of school last week. Two parents witnessed the accident and have taken photographs; one has the registration number of the white Transit Van belonging to a scrap merchant. If the owner comes to the Office we can pass on details.

Aperture Photographs



Please return any outstanding photograph orders by tomorrow, Tuesday, 29th November



Christmas Fayre 2nd December 5-7pm

Please keep sending in your Christmas goodies in the bags provided. These will be re wrapped to make lovely festive baskets which will be on sale at the Christmas fayre.

If anybody has any suitable raffle prizes they could donate for our raffle, then please get in touch.

On the day of the Christmas fayre we will be asking for donations of lovely homemade cakes and more bottles!

Many thanks for your continued support

NSPCC Assembly

On the 22nd of November the NSPCC came to deliver assemblies to KS1 and KS2. They shared the important message of "speaking out to stay safe." Children discussed adults they trust that they can talk to if they have any worries and the child line number was shared.

The NSPCC staff commented on "how sensible and well behaved the children were when listening to the assemblies and how welcoming the staff are at Maney Hill." We are again very proud of our children, not only for their outstanding behaviour but also that they are thoughtful and responsible.



**Congratulations to
IJ and Year 6
Lunchtime Classes of the Week**



RM Dorothy Twigg & Faith McCallion

RF Ayaan Akhtar & Jessica Riordan

1B Freya Goodall & Charlie Booth

1J Martha Carn & Ava Wilcox

**Year 2 Olivia Griffith-Jeavons &
Jessica Ashley**

Year 3 Archie Cartmill & Rukaiya Rashid

Year 4 Oliver Wall & Lydia Webber

Year 5 Gregory Rushton & Lara Ghazal

Year 6 Amy Carey & Eve Freeman

It's the Christmas holidays – time for a new challenge!



Don't wait until summer for your next challenge!

If you loved the Summer Reading Challenge, why not do a mini-challenge this Christmas?

Sign up at this website for the details of a new challenge running between

12 December 2016 and 6 January 2017

summerreadingchallenge.org.uk

All you have to do is read three books and you'll qualify for a virtual badge – and a secret video reward!



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