



Maney Hill Newsletter

10th November 2017

Dates for your diary

updates in red

November

- 14th – 2G Inspire Workshop
- 23rd – Inspire Workshop
- 24th – PTA Mufti Day for Xmas Fayre
- w/b 27th Christmas Hoops Up

December

- 1st – PTA Christmas Fayre
- w/b 4th SEND One Page Profile Meetings
- 5th – Reception Production
- 6th – Cinema Trip
- 12th & 13th – KS1 Production
- 14th – Christmas Lunch
- 14th – PTA Xmas Disco
- 15th – Xmas Jumper Day
- 18th & 19th – KS2 Production
- 20th – Xmas Parties
- 21st – Carol Concert
- 21st – last day of term
- 22nd – Staff Training Day

January

- 8th – Spring Term starts
- 23rd – 2W Inspire Workshop
- 31st – 2G Inspire Workshop

February

- 1st – Y3 Class Assembly
- 6th – 1J Inspire Workshop
- 19th – 23rd – half term week
- 28th – Y5 Inspire Workshop

March

- 8th – Y4 Class Assembly
- 13th – RB Inspire Workshop
- 21st – RS Inspire Workshop
- 27th – Easter Assembly with Rev Rhodes
- 29th – last day of term

April

- 16th – Summer Term starts
- 19th – Y3 Inspire Workshop
- 26th – 1J Class Assembly

May

- 7th – May Day holiday

Dear Parents and Carers

A huge thank you to the PTA for organising a fantastic Fireworks Night. Despite having the building work ongoing and not being able to have a bonfire this year, the PTA were determined to do something and it was a great evening. This week we had our second Open Morning for new Reception parents. I can tell the parents how wonderful our school is but the icing on the cake is the wonderful Year 6 tour guides who really tell it as it is. Thank you to all of them for being amazing. Finally, we have again been selling poppies in school. The Royal British Legion ask us to wear a poppy and think of the sacrifice made by the Armed Forces, past and present.



Mrs Whitehead



FIREWORKS NIGHT

A very big thank you to all who came to support our fireworks night. It really did feel like a lovely family community night and the fireworks were amazing! Thank you for all your lovely comments afterwards. It was a tremendous evening. As always, we can't run these events without helpers so thank you to all who contributed to the event.



The pumpkins made a super display to add to the evening and thank you to those who brought them along. The overall class winners were Year 6 and the individual winner was Natasha Boyle in Year 6.



PTA 100 CLUB

The 100 Club has been running at Maney Hill for many years. It is another way of raising money for our school. We would love to have more parents sign up. It costs just £1 a month for a number and we carry out a monthly draw where you could win £30, £20 or £10. The more members we get then the more you could win each month will go up!



If you are interested in joining, please get in contact with Helen Hare at ukhoc@yahoo.co.uk

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2W INSPIRE WORKSHOP



On Wednesday, 2W had their Maths Inspire Workshop. The theme was multiplication, and the children and the adults took part in a range of different activities that explained the strategies taught in school, as well as ways to increase fluency with recalling multiplication facts. Thank you to all of the adults who attended and helped to make the session a successful one.



Congratulations to
RS and Year 4
Lunchtime Classes of the Week



Christmas Dates

We know Christmas can be a really busy time. To help parents plan, here are the dates for our Christmas Events.

PTA Mufti Day – 24th November
PTA Christmas Fayre – 1st December
Reception production – 5th December
Whole School Cinema Trip – 6th December
KS1 Production – 12th & 13th December
Christmas Lunch – 14th December
PTA Christmas Discos – 14th December
Christmas Jumper Day – 15th December
KS2 Production – 18th & 19th December
Christmas Parties – 20th December
Carol Concert – 21st December
Further details to follow nearer the time.

School Expansion Update

This week the Key Stage 2 block has been taking shape. The Year 3, 4 and 5 classrooms will be on the ground floor with Year 6 classrooms on the first floor. The walls and first floor flooring have been progressing and we can see the outline of windows and doorways. Meanwhile the walls for the Studio at the front of the building are going up.



The Key Stage 2 extension



RB	Hannah Taylor & Finlay Ross
RS	Dexter Hall & Phoebe Bowyer
1J	Faith McCallion & Malika Chafekar
1R	Esme Thomas & Leo Nixon
2W	Olivia Lightfoot & Alfie Dixon
2G	Jeevan Jhutti & Jasmine Mendez-Brown
Year 3	Gracie Holmes & Honor Fallow
Year 4	Nathan Tisdale & Joe Richards
Year 5	Oscar Thacker & Ruhani Shinh
Year 6	Grace Thomas & Vincent Allen