Year 1 News

Assistant Headteacher Update



We are nearing the end of the children's first term in year 1! It has been a term filled with experiences, learning and amazing opportunities for all the children. I have been so impressed with the progress all the children have made and their dedication to their learning.

As the term is drawing to a close there is a buzz for Christmas and the children have really been getting into the Christmas spirit!

In writing, the children were greeted by a letter and a little bit of classroom chaos on Monday morning. Santa had visited the classroom during the night! He had brought snow from the North Pole and had left snowy footprints in the classroom, along with nibbled carrots from the reindeer. Alongside this, he had left a letter to the children. In the letter, he described the children's classroom before asking them to write him a letter back describing a perfect Santa's grotto. The children have been creating exciting noun phrases to put into their setting description.

The children had a wonderful time at our bedtime stories event last Friday. The children were all cosy and warm in their pyjamas, snuggled up for some bedtime stories. They enjoyed stories from their class teachers, Mrs Chamberlain, Miss Wright and our Chair of Governors. Of course the children thoroughly enjoyed their biscuit and milk! What a perfect way to end a week!

Just a reminder that the Christmas Fayre is on Monday. We hope to see many of you there.

I hope you all have a wonderful Christmas break and a Happy New year to you all. We will see you in January for another term of exciting learning!

Merry Christmas!

Mrs Murdoch

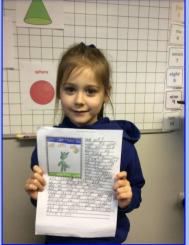
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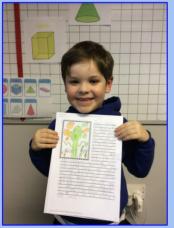


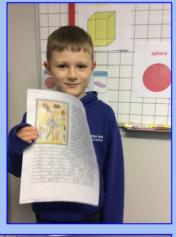


















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What do our Year 1 children have to say?

"I liked drawing a picture of Edgar on my publishing sheet" Carlos, Paris I liked listening to the stories and wearing my pyjamas. Alexander, Madrid.







"The christmas dinner was yummy and delicious" Anil, Berlin



Please make sure you send your children to school with a healthy lunch and snacks.





Key Dates



Christmas Fayre - 19th December 3.30-5pm

Last day of term - 21st December 12.30 Finish

Return back to School - 4th Jan 2023



HVPA Safeguarding











Keeping your child safe in the community

With the recent sudden drop in temperatures, and the high amount of lakes in our local community, it is increasingly more important to ensure that your child/ren understand how to keep themselves safe.

The dangers of thin ice, as our local lakes start to freeze, is significant and children may feel tempted to want to explore this change in the environment.

Across school, we have had in depth discussions regarding the dangers of thin ice, and we ask that you follow this up at home, particularly if your child walks home alone/is sout in the community alone.



Key points to discuss with your child:

- You can never be sure how frozen a lake is, and with the water frozen or not the risk of drowning is a serious threat.
- The ice may look thick enough to hold your weight, but you can't assume this. In most cases this can cause a fatal threat.
- Each and every year, people unexpectedly break through the ice and suffer serious injuries or even death.
- Cold water shock is a serious risk if you fall through the ice this
 is where you automatically gasp for air, but breathe in liquid.
- Always stay with friends when out alone playing/walking home in case of an emergency.
- Avoid the lakes to ensure safety.





On Monday 19th December 2022 3.20-4.30pm

Lots of stalls including Tombola, Face Painting, Where on Earth is Santa? Hot drinks, Cake Stall and much more.

We look forward to seeing you there



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We also have limited spaces within our highly popular nursery setting. Our friendly and dedicated nursery team provides the highest levels of childcare in a beautiful, immersive and engaging early years setting for the autumn term.

We offer term time childcare between the ages of 2-4 and we also accept 15 and 30 hour government funding.

Please contact our school office to arrange a tour of our school or visit our website to find out further information.

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MULTI-SPORTS CLUB



Every Friday from 3.15-4.15pm @Hampton Vale Primary Academy

Every Friday starting 4th November for 7 weeks. For **Years 1-6** 3.15-4.15pm £35 for 7 sessions Limited spaces Across the 7
weeks, the children
will play a variety
of sports including
football, capture
the flag, dodgeball,
basketball and
more.



Email to book:

leosports2022@gmail.com

Leo sports is run by Mr Collins



@Leo Sports

You may be working with families who are impacted by the current cost of living crisis, and they may be eligible for additional support.

Please see below information of support that is available and a link to Peterborough City Council's dedicated webpage that has lots of useful information on financial support and local support to help you stay warm this winter. Stay warm this winter - information about energy support (Adults/Local Offer) | Peterborough Information Network

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Narm Home Discount – increasing from £140 to £150 this Winter (22/23) Households on means tested benefits with high energy use may be eligible for a one off £150 payment from their energy supplier every winter.

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Peterborough City Council's Winter Warmth Funding 2022/23

Funding is available through the cost-of-living crisis for a range of measures to help vulnerable, lower income residents through the winter months.

If you are facing problems with maintaining a warm and comfortable home environment, we may be able to assist with the following measures:

- Boiler replacements due to breakdowns / energy inefficiency including the loan of emergency portable heaters whilst work is on order
- Boiler repairs up to £500
- Boiler servicing
- Installation of Thermostatic Radiator Valves to control room temperatures
- Smart boiler / heating controls where appropriate
- Damp proofing
- Essential repairs linked to electrical and heating issues
- Electrical upgrades and new installations
- Double glazing of single glazed door and windows
- Valves on LPG cylinders to meet new Building Control requirements
- Dehumidifiers to mitigate condensation damp where appropriate
- Small energy efficient electrical appliances where appropriate
- Loft insulation when there is currently less than 100mm of insulation

All of the measures above are subject to a property survey, except for:

- Boiler servicing
- Valves on LPG cylinders to meet new Building Control requirements
- Small energy efficient electrical appliances where appropriate

Eligibility criteria

To be eligible for this scheme, the homeowner must reside in the Peterborough unitary authority area. The homeowner must also be in receipt of one of the following:

- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income Support
- Pension Guarantee Credit
- Child Tax Credit / Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit

Or has:

A total annual gross household income less than £30,000

Contact

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Holiday Activity & Food Programme at Southfields Primary School

Oak Activities are proud to announce that this Christmas we will be partnering with Peterborough Council to support them in delivering their Holiday Activity & Food Programme (HAF). The Department of Education funded scheme is being run by Peterborough County Council. These sessions are not delivered by the school; we are helping to promote them to ensure you are aware of the opportunity. The activities will be delivered by Oak Activities.

As well as taking part in the activities, the children will also receive a free hot lunch each day to keep their energy levels high and maximise the fun that they will have with their friends. All of this totally **FREE OF CHARGE**.

We are truly excited about being able to give the children this opportunity to be active in a fun and safe environment this Christmas.

Course information -

The programme is aimed solely at children eligible for Free School Meals and will provide these children with days of fun and engaging multi-sport activities as well as performing arts and well-being sessions.

Venue: Southfields Primary School

Dates: 20th, 21st an 22th of December

Time: 10:00 - 14:00

How to sign up

The course is based on a first come first served basis and we can take up to 30 children on this course for Christmas. To confirm your space for the course, please click on the link below to sign up to the programme.

https://bookwhen.com/oakactivities-multisportcamps

Use the discount code **HAF** when booking to take the cost to zero, all bookings will be vetted by Peterborough Council and all children booking MUST be in receipt of benefits related free school meals.

Once your place is booked, we will be in contact after the to provide you with your child's food options for the event.

We hope you are as excited as we are about this and look forward to seeing you during the Christmas break!

Issues or questions? Contact matt.nelson@oakactivities.com

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Holiday Activity & Food Programme at Old Fletton Primary School

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Venue: Old Fletton Primary School

Dates: 22nd, 23nd, 30th of December & 3nd of January

Time: 10:00 - 14:00

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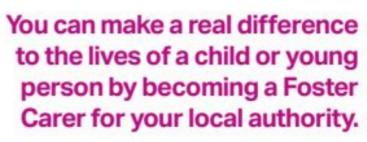


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CHRISTMAS AT CSK

Silver Hill, Hampton, PE7 8FF

Saturday 10th December

PM Nativity Trail - Serpentine Lake

Afternoon - exact timing weather dependent. Join us as we re-tell the Christmas story.

Thursday 15th December

7pm Carols at The Moorhen Pub

Join us to sing some of your favourites from our extensive carol menu!

Sunday 18th December

4pm Christingle & Carols

Join us for candlelit singing and a Christingle for every child. Children invited to come in nativity outfits.

Friday 23rd December - note date change 6pm Carols in the Carpark (behind CSK)

Join us for outside singing to get into the Christmas spirit! With mulled wine, hot chocolate and mince pies.

Saturday 24th December

11.15pm Midnight Communion

Sunday 25th December

10am Christmas Day Service

A short 45-min interactive service, including time for the children to show us their presents.

For further information:

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