

January Newsletter

Dear Parents

HAPPY NEW YEAR to you all.

We hope that you all had an enjoyable Christmas and New Year.

There is quite a lot happening in school over the next few weeks, so we wanted to make you aware of all the dates as early as possible.

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 5th February 2015

Friday 6th February 2015

Monday 16th February 2015

Tuesday 17th March 2015

Wednesday 18th March 2015

Friday 20th March 2015

Friday 27th March 2015

Monday 13th April 2015

Monday 4th May 2015

Friday 22nd May 2015

Parents Evening 3:30 to 6:30pm

School Closes for Half Term

School re-opens

Little mermaid Musical Show
6:30pm

Little mermaid Musical Show
2:00pm and 6:30pm

Entry by ticket only

INSET DAY. School, nursery and
Breakfast Club and After School
Care closed

School closes for Easter Holidays

School re-opens for Summer term

School closed for May Day holiday

School closes for half term

Thank you

Due to the generosity of parents and other visitors to our Nativity Concerts in December, we have been able to make donations of £200 each to the Rainbows Children's Hospice and the NSPCC. Thank you all for your kindness.

Late arrivals

The education Welfare Officer was in school last week monitoring the number of children who are persistently late for school. We have sent letters out to remind some families of the need to be here at the start of the school day. Please try to ensure that your children arrive on time for the start of the school day.

Annexe Playground

I have had a number of complaints from parents about rough behaviour of some children on the playground before the start of the school day.

Would parents please ensure that children are kept under control in the limited space we have on the playground. During the wet weather we are not able to spread out onto the grass areas, so it means more children in the smaller space of the playground. Children should not be charging around bumping each other or hurting each other, and must not be playing around the toy shed or down in the gully at the back of the playground. Please ensure that you can see your child at all time and ensure that their behaviour is controlled.

Spring Show

Preparations for this year's musical stage show are well underway. We are planning to do 'Little Mermaid'. All the children in school will be involved at some level, singing, helping to make props, dancing and acting. The main roles will be taken by children who attend Drama and Dance clubs or choir. Mrs Stringer will be co-ordinating the show as usual and conducting rehearsals during the club sessions. She does need help with many things, such as costume making, scenery etc, so if any parents/carers have the skills, interest and time available to help with such things, please contact Mrs Stringer at school.

Contact Numbers

Once again we are updating our records and need to know if you have recently had a new mobile phone number, a new home or work number, or would like extra family members adding to your child's contact list. It is essential that we are able to contact a family member in an emergency so that if children are ill at school they can be collected as soon as possible.

If you have any queries or questions please do either come in or give me a ring.

Thank you for your continuing support for our school

Jane Brandon
Headteacher.