



Eton Wick C of E First School

NEWSLETTER 12 - 2019/2020

Friday 6th December 2019

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DECEMBER 2019

- 10th December: Nativity Performance at 1:30pm (Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2)
12th December: Nativity Performance at 9:30am (Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2)
12th December: Year 4 Express day (2.15pm)
13th December: Nativity Performance at 9:30am (Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2)
17th December: Year 2 Express day (2.00pm)
18th December: Year 1 Express Day (2.30pm)
19th December: Christingle Service in Church led by Diamond Class at 9:30am
19th December: School Christmas Lunch
19th December: Year 3 Express day (2.30pm)
20th December: Final Awards Assembly (9.00am)

TERM ENDS ON 20TH DECEMBER AT 1:15pm

JANUARY 2020

TERM BEGINS ON 6TH JANUARY

- 6th January: Year 1 Curriculum Information Afternoon at 2:45pm
7th January: Year 2 Curriculum Information Afternoon at 2:45pm
8th January: EYFS (Nursery and Reception) Curriculum Information Morning at 9:00am
8th January: Year 3 Curriculum Information Afternoon at 2:45pm
9th January: Year 4 Curriculum Information Afternoon at 2:45pm
10th January: Fun Friday Cakes led by Diamond Class
24th January: FoEWS Dave The Disco (Times TBC)

EYFS EXPRESS

On Tuesday, the children in Early Years shared their learning about autumn with their parents. The children stood up and did a short presentation, and then took part in making squirrel muffins and tiny weeny bird cakes.

- "We made muffins for a squirrel" – Lottie
"We did a quiz" – Reggie
"We showed them the bird feeder" – Cohen"
"We made a squirrel pie" - Red



WINDSOR REINDEER PARADE

If you find yourself at a loose end tomorrow, come and see the Windsor Reindeer Parade. We are very privileged to have been asked to take part and provide some Eton Wick Elves to travel around the route with Santa...



The parade is between 2.00pm and 2:30pm in Windsor town centre, and the Reindeer Gallery will be in Windsor Yards Shopping Centre from 2:30pm to 4.00pm.

The parade leaves the castle from Advance Gate at 2.00pm and turns into St Albans Street, then into Park Street, High Street (past the Parish Church and Windsor Guildhall), into Peascod Street then into Windsor Yards. The parade finishes in Windsor Yards behind the rear entrance of Daniels Department Store by the Jubilee Monument.



<https://www.windsor.gov.uk/whats-on/windsor-yards-reindeer-parade-p783071>

SCHOOL COUNCIL AND ECO SQUAD ELECTIONS

These will be taking place next Thursday 12th December. Children who want to be elected should prepare a poster/leaflet/presentation to help them campaign to their class.

EXTENDED SCHOOL CLUBS

All clubs have now finished with the exception of drop off which is Friday 20th December and after school club which is Thursday 19th December.

FAMILY CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

Due to the Nativity next Friday morning, our celebration assembly will take place at **2:30pm next Friday**.

SCHOOL PRODUCTION – SHINE STAR, SHINE

The children in Foundation Stage and Key Stage One (Topaz, Emerald, Quartz and Sapphire) will be performing the Nativity play, Shine Star, Shine. There will be a performance next Tuesday, 10th December at 1.30pm, to which members of the local community are invited to attend. Places are available on a first come basis after seats have been reserved for invited guests. Those who attend this performance are invited to join us for refreshments and mince pies afterwards.



The other 2 performances are on Thursday 12th and Friday 13th December and both performances are at 9.30am. You are welcome to bring toddlers to the morning performances. As in previous years, we will be having a collection after each performance which will be given to Windsor Foodshare.

Mince pies

We have invited members of the local community to attend the performance on Tuesday 10th December. We will be serving refreshments after the performance and would be grateful for the donation of mince pies for this event. Please bring them into the school office by Monday 9th December.

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE

The Christingle Service is being held on Thursday 19th December and will be led by the children in Diamond class. Parents/carers are welcome to attend.

FINAL CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

This term's final Celebration Assembly will be on Friday 20th December. Attendance and birthdays up to 31st December will also be celebrated.

END OF TERM 2 AND START OF TERM 3

The last day of term 2 is Friday 20th December. **Children finish at 1.15pm.**

All children start back in the New Year on Monday 6th January 2020.

Absence - A Reminder

Important reminder: if your child is absent, please remember to telephone the office in the morning, followed by a letter when your child returns to school. If we have not heard from you by 9.30am, we will get in contact with you. This is a LA requirement, in order to ensure the safety of all children.

There are lots of bugs around at the moment. Please allow a full 24 hours of good health before the child returns to school after an upset stomach with either sickness or diarrhoea.

SEPTEMBER 2020 ADMISSIONS (RECEPTION)

If your child was born between 1st September 2015 and 31st August 2016 then they are due to start in Reception in September 2020. Applications for a school place must be made through your home authority - this is the council where you live and to which you pay council tax. Admissions on-line is now open. The deadline for applications is Wednesday 15th January 2020. If you have any questions please see the front office.

PUPIL OF THE WEEK

Quartz:: Zander Morris
Sapphire: Ethan Pottas
Diamond: Andrew Bletzer
Opal: Alfie Williams
A J Paterson



LUNCHTIME AWARD

KS1: Clara Titmuss
KS2: Nathaniel Wood

WINNING HOUSE

ST PATRICK

ATTENDANCE

Topaz: 92.1%
Emerald: 98.3%
Quartz: 98.7%
Sapphire: 98.5%
Diamond: 97.2%
Opal: 99.1%

GOLDEN BOOK

Topic: Ethan Pottas, Leo Quantrill-King, Jan Krefta and Max Shearman
Maths: Daisy Bellamy, Layla Doore, Kiera Siddall, Amelia Khan and Austin Wilson



ASSEMBLY PRAYER

Dear Lord
Thank you for the special occasions.
Thank you for the time that Jesus was born and when we can spend time with our family.
Amen

Written by Barney Farmer Year 3



Sunday 15th December
Family Carols
St John the Baptist
Eton Wick
the church near the school

Come dressed as your favourite Nativity Character

Churches Together