

Dear Parents/Carers

The weeks seem to be flying by and I cannot believe we are at the end of another week! Mr Cupples put the stage up on Monday so there has been great excitement in school. The children have loved rehearsing on the stage and the singing is sounding brilliant. Thank you all for sending back your ticket request forms the tickets will be sorted very soon and tickets will be sent home.

We have had two visitors into school this week taking assemblies. Helen from St Peters Church did an assembly on courage concentrating on the story of David and Goliath. Then Reverend Sarah from the Methodist Church came and talked to the children about getting ready for Advent. Both of them commented on how well the children listened and responded to them.

Year 2 have had a very busy week making moon buggies as they are learning about Neil Armstrong and the moon landing. Here is a picture of some of their wonderful moon buggies.



Kind Regards

Tina Lagdon

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Headteacher

Christmas Activity Week 6th – 10th December

We are all very much looking forward to this. If you would like your child to take part please send in your £10 by **Friday 3rd December**. This is our major fund raiser as we have been unable to run our Christmas bazaar which raises lots of money to be used for the benefit of all the children in school.

Recycled Ink Cartridges

We are collecting old ink cartridges from printers so that they can be recycled. Please send any old ones into the school office.

Strings Concert

All of those children who have strings lessons with Mrs Hubble on a Tuesday are performing a short concert in school on Tuesday 7th December at 11.15 am until 11.30 am. If you would like to come into school and watch your child can you please let the school office know

Governors Wanted!

The school has a couple of vacancies on the Governing body. If anyone is interested in joining the Governing Body, please contact the school office who will put you in contact with Mrs Alison Ranson who is our Chair of Governors. Alison will talk to you about what the role involves and the skills that would really help us with the strategic management of the school, these include a financial or educational background. We want to build a team of governors who possess a diverse range of skills, experiences, qualifications and perspectives and who come from different backgrounds and settings, so please get in contact if you think you are able to contribute to our team. It would be great to have some new Governors as part of the WIS Governing Body.

PE for Reception

Please can all Reception children bring in their indoor PE kits after the Christmas holidays. The children can bring their PE kits on the first day back at school and they can then stay in school until we send them home to be washed during February half term

Can we also ask all parents to have a few run throughs with your child at home over the Christmas holidays to get them used to changing out of normal clothes, into PE kit and then back into normal clothes. This will help the Reception Team a lot when the children are getting dressed in school.

Please also make sure that all PE kit's and school uniform are clearly named.

Christmas Hamper for Jarvis Court

We have some lovely donations for the residents at Jarvis Court. If you would still like to donate then items such as jams, chutneys, savoury snacks, biscuits and an assortment of tea bags would be gratefully received.

Flu Nasal Spray

The School Aged Immunisation Team will be visiting school on **Wednesday 1st December 2021** to give the nasal spray to those children whose parents/carers have already submitted their consent.

Reporting your child's absence

We would like to remind you how important it is to advise us if your child is going to be absent from school. The easiest way to do this is via the Studybugs app. You can download the app for free and report your child's absence this way <https://studybugs.com/about/parents>.

Alternately, please telephone or email the school office each day your child is going to be absent.

Online Safety

The National Online Safety website has lots of posters and help guides for all the online platforms as well as quick helpful video guides to help with some top tips for online safety for younger children in KS1. As well as the website you can download an app from the Apple/Android Stores. As a member, school and our parents have free access to the site and all the resources, below is the link for you to register with National Online Safety:

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/enrol/waynflete-infants-school>.

If you have any further questions or queries in relation to online safety, please feel free to contact Mrs Amanda Griffiths who is our Computing and Online Safety Leader.

Christmas Jumper Day – Friday 10th December

We will be supporting this event this year, if your child would like to wear their Christmas Jumper in exchange for a donation.

Next week

Monday	Dodgeball
Tuesday	Football Strings lessons.
Wednesday	Flu Nasal Spray for those children whose parents/carers have already submitted their consent online

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Thank you very much to those of you who donated a bag or two for the collection last Friday. We are pleased to inform you that we will be receiving a cheque for £52.00.

Christmas Raffle

Don't forget to enter our online Christmas Raffle. There are lots of lovely prizes for you to win <https://raffall.com/272202/enter-raffle-to-win-waynflete-ptfa-prize-draw-hosted-by-waynfleteptfa>

Round Table Santa Collection – Tuesday 14th December

If you would like support this event why not dust off your Christmas hat and email: ptfateamwaynflete@gmail.com. We will be meeting at Waitrose car-park at 5.45 pm ready for our slot 6:00- 8:30 pm. The route is along Waynflete and Manor Road. Thank you!