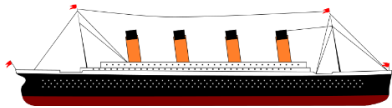


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24<sup>th</sup> November 2017. Autumn Term No 6



## Year 2 Trip

The children in Year 2 had a fun filled, informative trip to The SeaCity Museum in Southampton on Monday. Feedback from both Parent Helpers and the children was extremely positive. The trip will certainly be utilised again in the future.



## Governors

Thank you for returning your voting forms for our Parent Governor election. The results will be counted and announced next week.

## Assemblies

Our assemblies so far this half term have covered Anti Bullying and being a Giving Citizen at lunchtime.

## PIPSA



**Many hands make light work**

## Quiz Night

Thank you for your amazing support of our inaugural Quiz Night. We hope you have a fun evening.

## Christmas Cards

Christmas cards personally designed by your child have been sent home. If you'd like to place an order, please return your form today.

## Panto Tickets

We still have some discounted Panto Tickets left. If you would like to buy them, please return your slip on the original letter with payment as soon as possible. Thank you.



## THANK YOU'S



## Book Fair

Thank you for visiting and buying from our Book Fair, you spent an amazing £600 which means the school will receive books for the same value! We hope you enjoy your purchases.



## Everybody Reads Day

Thank you to everyone who came in to read with the children after a wonderful day of creative activities linked to each year group's "Author of the Term". Over 100 of you came to support us. Have a look at our website Gallery "How we've Grown" for photos of the day.



## Poppy Appeal

Thank you for supporting the Poppy Appeal, we will let you know the final figure raised as soon as we have confirmation from the Royal British Legion.



## Children in Need

It was wonderful to see so many spots in school last Friday. We are thrilled to be able to pass on £213 to this amazing cause.

## Anomaly

Have you seen the great videos the children have made about keeping safe in lots of aspects of life? Visit: <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/mLJWjNk45qV> to see if your child is one of the stars.

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Merry Christmas



## Christmas Events

That special time of year is nearly upon us. Each year group will be celebrating separately and then coming together at St Wilfrid's for a Christmas Service on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December followed by Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December. Letters were sent home regarding Year R and Year 1 productions on Tuesday, and all dates are on each Padnell Post and our website, but here is a summary of dates etc.

### Padnell Junior School Christmas Fayre

It would be great if you could go and support the Junior School's Christmas Fayre next Saturday (2<sup>nd</sup> December) from 11am to 2pm. As well as fun games and of course the ever popular Bottle and chocolate tombola's, you can also buy some crafty Christmas presents.

### Christmas Shopping Day & Santa Visit

#### Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December

You should have all received the PIPSA letters about our fantastic annual Christmas Shopping Day on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December. Please return your slip and payment by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December if your child would like to visit Father Christmas on the day.

Your child should bring the completed "Shopping List" form, together with their money in a named purse/wallet, on the day with a carrier bag to bring their gifts home in.

#### Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 9.30am & 2pm

Year R Nativity Productions

#### Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December 9.30am & 2pm

Year 1 Christmas Productions

### Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December

The children will visit St Wilfrid's Church for a special Christmas Service with Reverend Snares.

### Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December

**Christmas Jumper Day** - A more detailed letter will be sent home in due course but children are invited to wear a Christmas Jumper with their school Uniform. We would ask for a £1 Donation which will be given to the same charity as we supported last year: "The Joe Glover Trust".

**Christmas Dinner** – Our caterers, Hc3S will be providing a Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December. You will have to order a dinner if your child would like one, but again we will send a separate letter out nearer the time.

### Year 2 Carol Service 5pm – 6pm (Wed 20<sup>th</sup>)

We will also be selling refreshments to keep you warm while we enjoy a sing-song together.

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## After School Activities/Childcare



We like to support all the children at the end of the school day, ensuring their safety. In order for us to do this fully we would be grateful if you could let your child's class teacher know if they are being collected by Cowplain Day Nursery/Wombles/Planet Padnell or any other childcare facility, or if they are going to Crafty Club or an after school club. If it is a last minute booking on the day for one of the above then please call our office and let them know. Thank you.



## Rewards & Behaviour

A child is awarded a "Golden Acorn" if they have done something that is over and above meeting one of our core values (GROW), for them. They will come and see me where they will be given a sticker and I write their name in the "Golden Book". A text is sent home and all recipients of the week are acknowledged in our Celebration Assembly on Friday.



## Inset days

In order to provide opportunities for families to have extended weekends as well as additional days at the start or end of a half term holiday, we have continued to set our INSET Days in collaboration with the Junior School. The dates for 2018 – 2019 are:

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2018  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2019  
Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2019

## Flu Immunisations



The School Nursing Team will be administering the Flu Immunisations next week (Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November) to those children whose parents returned the permission forms giving consent. We will talk about the nasal spray in class on Monday.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Mandy Grayson  
Headteacher

## **GROW**



**G**iving Citizen  
**R**esilient Learner  
**O**riginal thinker  
**W**ise Worker

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**Please check our website for the list of dates for the whole year.**

Date	Event	Year Group	Info
Tuesday 28th November	Flu Jabs for all Children		
Friday 1st December. Morning only	2018 Year R tours	Prospective Parents	Appointments available throughout the day. Please contact the office to select a time.
Saturday 2nd December	Padnell Junior School Christmas Fayre		
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> December 3.05pm – 3.45pm	Open School	All Parents	School will remain open for parents to tour. You can visit any classroom or shared area and look at their children's books
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Shopping Day	All children	PIPSA Event
Monday 11th December	Year R Dress Rehearsal	Children only	
Tuesday 12th December 9.30am & 2pm	Year R Nativity	Year R Parents	School Hall
Wednesday 13th December	Year 1 Dress Rehearsal	Children only	
Thursday 14th December 9.30am & 2pm	Year 1 Christmas Production	Year 1 Parents	
Monday 18th December 9.30am	Whole School	Whole School (Children only)	St Wilfred's Church

	Church Service		
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day		
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Dinner	Whole School (Children only)	Must be pre-ordered – details to follow.
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December 5pm	Year 2 Carol Service	Year 2 children, parents & carers	
Thursday 21st December 3.05pm	Last Day of Term		
Friday 22nd December – Wednesday 3rd January	School Closed	Christmas Holiday	
Thursday 4th January 2018	Return to school		

Messy Church at St Wilfred's 3.15 – 5.45pm

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December