



Pre Prep School Newsletter

Friday 23rd November 2018



Happy Birthday to: Alice 1P and James R1

Year 1

This week Year 1 have been looking at a traditional tale "The Ant and the Grasshopper". Children have learnt about friendship and the moral of the story which is being prepared.

In maths children have been looking at numbers within 20. Children have been ordering numbers and making number patterns.

In Science children have been looking at light and dark some children have been making sun catchers and shadow puppets.

Radio City Toy Appeal



We will be supporting the Christmas Toy Appeal run by Radio City again this year. The children can

play their part in the appeal by donating <u>ONE</u> present to the Toy Appeal. Could you please bring your gift in to school on <u>Friday 30th November</u> Courage the Cat will come to collect them on Friday 30th November.

Year 2 Trip to Bridge Chapel

Year 2 will be going on a trip to Bridge Chapel "Christmas Journey" on Tuesday 27th November.

Could all Parents/Guardians please ensure they have given permission for their child to go on this trip. The trip is on Parent Pay. We ask for a voluntary contribution towards the transport.

Thank you

Notice to All Reception Parents/Guardians

Please see below

amended times for the Reception
Christmas Concert. The performances
will take place in the "Sutton Timmis"
Hall. Reception 1 and Reception 2 at

1.30pm not 2.30pm. Reception 3
performance will take place on Friday
14th December at 9.15am in Sutton
Timmis Hall

Visitor to Pre-Prep

The author, Terry Caffery visited Year 1 and Year 2 on Monday 19th November. He shared his wonderful story telling skills and performed the story of "The Tortoise who wanted to Fly". Year 2 children had fun making Zig-Zag books. The children thoroughly enjoyed Mr Caffery's visit. Thank you to Mrs Doran for organising this workshop through the Wilton Trust.

Reception Christmas Concert

<u>Reception 1</u> parents are invited to the performance on Monday 10th December at <u>1.30pm</u>

<u>Reception 2</u> parents are invited to the performance on Wednesday 12th December at 1.30pm

<u>Reception 3</u> parents are invited to the performance on Friday 14th December at 9.15am



Walk to School

The parents from Reception have been taking part in the "Walking Bus" this week which has been organised by one of the parents. There is a wonderful opportunity for parents from year 1 and 2 to now join them. The parents and children are meeting at different locations from 8am in the morning and then walking back in the afternoon. Please see the piece below if you would like to contact one of the parents and join the Walking Bus to school.



After School Club

Notice to all Parents/Guardians of children that attend After School Club. If you wish to change your sessions in After School will you please put it in writing and email to Mrs Fraser kfraser@liverpoolcollege.org.uk no later than Friday 30th November. If you would like you child to attend After School Club after Christmas we have limited spaces on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday. We cannot offer anyone a place on a Tuesday or a Thursday. Please email Mrs Fraser the sessions you require. Thank you



WALKING BUS



RECEPTION PARENTS HAVE ESTABLISHED A WALKING BUS AND WOULD LOVE FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY TO JOIN THEM!

WALKING BUS RUNS EACH MORNING AND NIGHT

ROUTES ARE AVAILABLE FROM YOUR WALKING BUS CLASS REPS WHO ARE:-

R1 LIZ MASON

R2 PENNTI TITTERTON

R3 AMANDA MANNION

If you would like more information, please see the parents listed above.







Each week in the Newsletter we will be sharing a piece of writing.

This week writing from Eddy 2P

Once upon a time there were three friends Mc.Cake one. Mc.Cake two and Mc.Cake three lived in the house One Cupcakes. One day they went out to find the biggest cake in the world. First Mc.Cake one sneaked into the charity shop but all he found was a fudge cupcake. Next Mc.Cake two crept into the water park but all he found was a chocolate cupcake. Finally Mc.Cake three looked at the dump and found a fudge Cake so Mc. Cake two, Mc. Cake one and Mc.Cake three split the cake into not one, not two but three slices. Then they decided to hide their cake. First Mc.Cake one crept into the basement but he dropped it in a binbag and couldn't find it. Next Mc.Cake two sneaked past the building site but he lost it in rubble. Mr Mc.Cake three walked through the waterpark but slipped and dropped it. One day Mc.Cake one was emptying the rubbish and found his cake in a bin bag. Next McCake two was looking around a building when he found his cake in a hole in the wall and Finally Mc.Cake three was swimming and when he climbed out he found his cake so they all went home to the house One Cupcakes and ate their cake.



Year 1 and Year 2 Carol Service

Parents/Guardians of Year 1 and Year 2 are warmly invited the Carol Service in the Chapel at 2.30pm on Thursday 13th December 2018

Pupil News

- Congratulations to Harriet R2 for receiving her Gymnastic medal and certificate
- Well done to Elodie 2Q for receiving her certificates for dance in Ballet and Tap

OWN CLOTHES DAY FRIDAY 7th December

As usual, the Pre Prep staff will be running a tombola stall at the Christmas Market. In return for bringing in a gift for the tombola, all the children will be able to wear their own clothes on <u>Friday 7th</u> <u>December</u>. All gifts should be new and can include toiletries, books or games.

Dates for the Diary

24 th November	Open Morning for	
	Reception 2019	
	9.30am – 12.00 noon	
29 th November	Toys to be brought in	
	for Radio City "Cash	
	for Kids" –	
8 th December 2018	Christmas Fair	
10 th December	R1 Nativity Play	
	1.30pm	
12 th December	R2 Nativity Play	
	1.30pm	
13 th December	Y1/Y2 Carol service	
	2.30pm Chapel	
14 th December	R3 Nativity Play	
	9.15am	
19 th December	Finish for Christmas	
7 th January 2019	Back to school	

Weekly Attendance Week beginning Monday 19th November 2018 School Target is 97%

Target is 37 /8		
Class	Attendance	
R1	98.5%	
R2	97.0%	•
R3	95.2%	66
1P	94.8%	66
1Q	98.5%	
1R	98.9%	•
2P	91.9%	66
2Q	98.1%	6

Congratulations to 1R for 98.9% Attendance



CAMHS are running some information sessions in the near future, for parents. **Sessions:**-

Monday 3rd December – "Behaviour as Communication" – Mosspits School – **FOR PARENTS From 2pm.**



Week Commencing 26th November Menu 4

G.Gannon – Head Teacher of Pre-Prep