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Reception Class Nativity

The parents, carers and friends of the children in our Reception Classes were treated to a performance of The Nativity this afternoon. The children were amazing. They sang beautifully, remembered all their words and when to come and go off the stage. By the end of the performance there wasn't a dry eye in the house. The Reception Classes Staff are extremely proud of all the children and their hard work.



House Point Winners

Penshurst have collected the most House Points this term and have earned a non-uniform day next Tuesday 19th December. Parents of children in Penshurst will have received a text to this effect.

Search for New Governors

In an a bid to find new school governors, Mr Garthwaite asked the Head Boy

– Cameron R, Head Girl – Niamh E and their Deputies– Ted F and Mia B, to write a letter inviting local business people to join our Board of Governors. Yesterday, armed with the letter, Mr Garthwaite took them all into town in his car to talk to local businesses about being part of one of their community's schools. We will keep you informed of any progress.

Active Numeracy Festival

"Ten Year 3 and 4 children went to Bennett Memorial School on Monday and took part in an Active Numeracy Festival. Every school was split into two teams (16 teams in total) and one of our teams finished 3rd overall. We had nine activities to complete including climbing a ladder and answering a maths question; and using a hockey stick to roll a ball to the nearest shape, pick it up, run to a bench and match it to its right name. We all had great fun and look forward to the next one!"
Report by Arthur, 4S and Isabella, 3N.

Christmas Jumper Day



Children from the Phoenix Centre in their lovely Christmas jumpers. Thank you to everyone who donated to 'Save The Children'.

Christmas Parties

Monday is Christmas Party Day for the whole school! All children should come to school in full uniform but may bring a change of clothes for their parties in the afternoon, if they wish.

Carol Concert Rehearsals

The children are looking forward to their carol concerts next Wednesday 20th December. A reminder that the Years 1 and 2 Concert is at 10.00 a.m. and Years 3 to 6 is at 2.00 p.m. at the Baptist Church. Children will be walking down to the church for a rehearsal on Tuesday, before the big day.

Clubs

Please note that all clubs have now finished for this term. New club allocations will be sent home to those children who completed and returned a club options form. Some of the clubs are very popular and are heavily oversubscribed. If your child did not get their first choice club, they have been put on our waiting lists. New clubs will start week commencing Monday 8th January 2018. Please remind your child(ren) to fully commit to the clubs.

Parent/Carers Acceptable Use Policy

If you have not already done so, please can you read, sign and return the Parent/Carers Acceptable Use Policy documents which were sent home with children in November. Thank you.

Fun Disco Dance Club

We are offering a new club starting on Tuesday 9th January 2018. 'Fun Disco Dance Club' is for Years R to 3 and focuses on easy to learn dances for boys and

girls. It is a great way to keep children active whilst improving confidence. The club will run from 3.20 p.m. to 4.20 p.m. and costs £20 for the 5 weeks until the February half term. For further information and bookings please call or text Charlotte on 07905 135865

Poppy Appeal

A big thank you from The Royal British Legion for your kind donations to the Poppy Appeal during Remembrance Week. Cage Green raised an amazing amount - £389.73! Thank you for your generosity.

Gold Certificates

Gold Certificates are issued each week to celebrate children's achievements. This could be for a variety of positive reasons, including: being kind, working hard and making friends. Last week's recipients were:

1P Eva M Scarlett P	1W Emily H Ffion S
2A Travis A Keira G	2S Thomas A Jamie D
3N Lincoln B Leah S	3W Seth B Jimmy L
4H Hugo M Leo J	4S Ollie A Gaia P
5E Kathryn L-S Shane W	5F William H Jessica M
6G Niamh E Harry H	6R Mia B Frank E
Unicorn Johnny B Bethany P	Griffin Fernando F Henry M
Dragon Lucy O Charlie S	

Christmas Holiday Activities

First Class Football are running indoor football and multi-sport fun days on 21st and 22nd December in Tonbridge and Tunbridge Wells for children aged 5-12. For information and bookings please visit www.firstclassfootball.com

Premier Sport and Arts is holding a variety of activities across a number of venues in West Kent, including Cage Green Primary School, on 21st and 22nd December. For information and bookings please call 01580 212401 or visit www.premier-education.com



Dates for Your Diary

December

Monday 18th

Christmas Parties

Tuesday 19th

Phoenix Centre Assembly, 2.00 p.m.

Wednesday 20th

Carol Services at Tonbridge Baptist Church

Years 1 & 2, 10.00 a.m.

Years 3-6, 2.00 p.m.

Last Day of Term

January 2018

Thursday 4th

Children Return to School

Friday 12th

1W Class Assembly, 2.30 p.m.

Friday 19th

5F Class Assembly, 2.30 p.m.

Monday 29th

Year 6, Young Voices, 02 Arena

February

Friday 2nd

4S Class Assembly, 2.30 p.m.

Tuesday 6th

Safer Internet Day

Friday 9th

Last Day of Term

Monday 12th to Friday 16th

Half Term

Monday 19th

Children Return to School

March

March 1st

St David's Day

Friday 2nd

World Book Day

6G Class Assembly, 2.30 p.m.

Monday 12th to Friday 16th

Science Week

Tuesday 13th

Years R-6 Parent Consultation Evenings

Thursday 15th

Years R-6 Parent Consultation Evenings

Saturday 17th

St Patrick's Day

Friday 23rd

3W Class Assembly, 2.30 p.m.