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School News Friday 29th November 2024
Together we learn, together we thrive

W/c 2nd December

Mon 2nd – School closed

Tues 3rd – Christmas carol singing, Chalklands Community Centre - pupils only

Fri 6th – Generate Christmas assembly – pupils only. Christmas Fair 4.30-6.30pm

W/c 9th December

Tues 10th - Y4 production of "It's Chriiistmas!" 1.30pm and 5.30pm

Thurs 12th – Christmas Jumper Day

Inset Day – Monday 2nd December

Please be reminded that Monday 2nd December is the next staff training (inset) day. The school will be closed to pupils and no childcare will be available.

Christmas Fair

As a reminder, this year's Christmas Fair is on Friday 6th December 4.30-6.30pm. Please bring relatives and friends along, the more the merrier. There will be plenty of mulled wine, a raffle and a special guest in a red suit! All monies raised will go towards renewing IT provision across the school.

Y4 Production – "It's Chriiistmas!"

On Tuesday 10th December, Y4 will be performing their production of "It's Chriiistmas!" at 1.30pm and 5.30 pm. Parents and grandparents are very welcome to attend and there are no tickets required. Y4 children will need to be back at school at 5pm, to give them enough time to get ready for their evening performance.

Christmas Carol Concert

All families are welcome to join us at our St Mary's Christmas services which are taking place on Monday 16th Dec for Chilford and Symmons and Tuesday 17th Dec for Granta and Rivey. Both services will start at 9.30am for 45 minutes. We would very much appreciate parents helping to walk with us to and from the church.

Christmas Jumper day – Thurs 12th Dec

Mrs Webb's favourite day of the school year will be taking place on Thursday 12th December. Please come supporting the gaudiest festive knitwear possible, a T-shirt or jumper is also fine. Please wear normal uniform other than that. There will be no charge for this momentous day, it is just for fun. Dress to impress!

Healthy Packed Lunches

Linton Heights prides itself on being a healthy eating school. Innovate provide school meals that are both nutritious and healthy. As a polite reminder, we kindly request that if parents choose to provide their child with a packed lunch, that only healthy, low fat/sugar meals are provided, irrespective of the occasion. Thank you.

Cross Country Competition

On Wednesday 20th November some of the Y5 and Y6 children went to a cross country competition in Wimpole Hall. There were 1,000 children attending this event and the atmosphere was amazing! All of the children were great, ran their best and did the school proud. A special mention to Josh, Grayson, Millie, Jemima and Juho who placed very well in their races.



Sleeps 'til Santa – Second recording!

Because we were such ****SUPERSTARS**** last time, on Thursday morning Josh from Star radio came in to record all the children singing "Sleeps 'til Santa" for the second time. The new day is 5 sleeps and our recording will be played on [Star Radio](#) on Friday 20th

December, the last day of term, at 6.30, 7.30 & 8.30am on 100.7FM, DAB or you can ask your smart speaker to play Star radio! We will send a reminder the day before.



A New Musical Arrival

On Friday last week we were so lucky to have a wonderful new arrival..... as a very special Yamaha piano was delivered to our school Music Room. The instrument has been very kindly donated by Peter and Caroline McKenna and we are so grateful to them both for their generosity. We currently have over a third of our pupils learning an additional musical instrument with our team of visiting music teachers. We also use the music room for small groups and staff practise time, when time and space allows, so we know that the piano will be a great benefit to everyone who plays it!



Ceilidh Award Winners today!

Ceilidh Praise Winners!

Anna (Class 5): Maturity & courage
Adelle (Class 5): Consistent hard work
Luella (Class 6): Great geography
Emily (Class 6): Excellent effort
Tanya (Class 7): Attitude to learning
Stan G (Class 7): Helpfulness & attitude
Owen (Class 8): Class contributions
Charlotte (Class 8): Maths methods

Ceilidh Cup Winners!

Maths cup: **Eddie (Class 5)**
Sports cup: **Harry (Class 6)**
Arts cup: **Imogen (Class 6)**
Values cup: **Annie (Class 7)**
Writer's cup: **Isla (Class 8)**
Handwriting cup: **Lander (Class 8)**

Ceilidh

Friday 6th December - Lower school **8:55am**
Friday 13th November - Upper school **8:55am**

Forest School sessions

Friday 6th December - Class 2
Friday 13th November – Class 2

Recording child absence link

Just a reminder for all parents and carers that any absence for your child must be recorded via our online form. If you have recorded via the link, you do not need to phone or email as well as we will check the online form at morning registration every day. Please ensure you complete the absence log by 9am on each day of your child's absence. Please see the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/gdN0pAh1Ts>

Reminders

School Lunches

Please ensure that you pre order your child's school lunches for the forthcoming school week by midnight on Saturday, at the latest.

To register for meals - www.ifg-psm.co.uk.

For any queries or to make any meal changes email - primary@impactfood.co.uk or call 0204 542 7211.

Innovate will not be able to supply school lunches if you have not pre ordered your child's meals.

Year 6 Residential Trip to Aylmerton – June 2025

The first instalment for the Year 6 residential trip was due on Friday, 15th November. The second instalment is due on Friday 13th December. Please make your payments using MCAS.

Whole School Trip to the Pantomime

We will be taking the whole school to the pantomime in Bishops Stortford on Wednesday 18th December and would like to ask for a voluntary contribution of £17. Please make your payment using MCAS.

Year 5 Trip to Leicester Space Centre

We will be taking Year 5 to the Leicester Space Centre on Tuesday 28th January. The first instalment of £18 was due on 1st November and the second instalment of £18 is due on Friday 6th December. Please make your payment using MCAS.

Year 6 Mighty Mountains Workshop

We would like to ask for a voluntary contribution of £3 towards the cost of this geography workshop which is taking place on 29th November. Please make your payment using MCAS.

GDPR Policies

Do you have a data query? Is so, please see the Anglian Learning GDPR policies:

<https://anglianlearning.org/gdpr-policies/>

Term Dates:

2024 Autumn Term Dates:

Tuesday 3rd September – Friday 20th December

Inset day: Tues 3rd Sept (non-pupil day)

Inset day: Weds 4th Sept (non-pupil day)

Half Term: Mon 28th Oct – Fri 1st Nov

Inset day: Mon 2nd Dec (non-pupil day)

Autumn term ends Friday 20th December

The term dates for 2024/25 academic year are on our website under News and Events, Term Dates