



Newsletter

7th December 2018

Number 13



Christmas Party Information!

Christmas parties start next week so here is useful info for you:

Year 4 Party – Thurs 13th Dec PM

Year 5 Party – Mon 17th Dec PM

Year 6 Party – Fri 14th Dec PM

Food – for this year (with the exception of Year 3) please can girls bring in savoury items and the boys bring in sweet items. **Please remember we are a nut free school.**

Dress – children may come to school in non-uniform on the day of their party. As there will be other activities happening on their party days, please ensure children have sensible footwear for playing/walking and a warm coat.

Year 3 Film – Fri 14th Dec AM

Year 3 have a film and popcorn instead of a party, so they can bring in popcorn, sweets or crisps to snack on during the film. They should wear their own comfy clothes and bring a cushion or pillow to get nice and cosy with!

Swimming reminders

Please note today (7th Dec) is Year 4's last week for swimming.

After the Christmas break, Year 3 will be swimming (please refer to letter home this week). To ensure your child is in the right swimming group, please return slips indicating your child's swimming ability.

Spare swimming letters available at the office.

Huge Success for Chorale and Elite Dance Pupils!



Last Sunday, Mrs Healy and Mrs Seeney took two groups of talented performers to 'So You Want to Sing?' held at the Tower Theatre in Folkestone.

First off, Mrs Healy's Chorale performed the catchy tune 'Back Pocket' beautifully, with carefully thought out harmonies. For most of these children, this was the first time they had performed on stage in a theatre and there were lots of backstage nerves. However, their hard work paid off, as they came first in their category – 'Under 11's Vocal Group' - and were thrilled to be presented with a trophy and medals.

Next came the Elite Dancers who performed 'Naughty' with mischievous enthusiasm, oozing drama and a credit to Mrs Seeney. This was the first time Elite Dance had ever combined singing, dancing and drama into one performance. Throughout their time at the competition both groups were praised for their high standard of innovative, original choreography St Peter's also went on to win the title of first place overall in the competition, being presented with trophies, medals and a £500 prize for the school! Well done to all children who competed, we are so proud of you all.

Office Reminders

Please return your PTFA Christmas Raffle Tickets as soon as possible. Some lovely prizes up for grabs!

The lost property box is overflowing again! Please check if your child is missing anything as we will be clearing out at the end of term.

Christmas Card Winners!



Orla's



Lily's

This year we have two winners as we could not decide! So we went for a winner from the Upper School, which was Orla in Yr 6, and a winner from the lower school, which was Lily in Yr 4.

Congratulations pupils, these designs are now being made up into cards!

Dates for the Diary:

Year 3 Christmas Nativities:

Wednesday 12th December ~ 3B - 9.30am
3H - 1.30pm

Thursday 13th December ~ 3T – 1.30pm

Friday 14th December ~ Christmas Tree Festival 3.15pm
at St Peter's Church, all welcome to this event.

Friday 14th December ~ Christmas Jumper Day!

Monday 17th December ~ Christmas Service for Years 3
and 4 ~ St Andrew's Church 2.00pm, all welcome.

Tuesday 18th December ~ Christingle Service for Years
5 and 6 ~ St Peter's Church 2.00pm, all welcome.

Wednesday 19th December ~ end of term. School
finishes at 1.30pm and there will be no clubs or
extended day. Breakfast Club will still be running.

Thursday 3rd and Friday 4th January are staff training
days. Children return to school on Monday 7th January
2019.

***For all event info, please regularly check the
event calendar on the website.***

Star of the Week

3B: Rory Q for his improved focus and learning
behaviour.

3H: Chloe N for her wonderful effort and
achievement in maths this week!

3T: Laila W for working independently on column
addition and subtraction. Well done!

4NB: Lily K for consistently working hard in all
areas of the curriculum – a fantastic attitude.

4S: Isabella W for her bravery and
determination in swimming this term.

4W: Charlie A for always giving his best in
lessons.

5S: Dakota B for a positive attitude towards
assessment.

5W: Vandon M-B for sustained effort and focus
during the assessment week.

5B: Finn G for excellent reasoning in maths.

6W: Max H for a great presentation on Bad Dad!

6S: Josua R for improved SPAG work this week.

6I: Theo C for his hard working improvement,
particularly in maths this term – resulting in
real improvement in his termly test.

6G: Holly M for her super effort and
focus in all lessons.

Well done all of you!

