

## Newsletter 23rd November 2018

DATE	EVENT	TIME	COMMENTS
<b>AUTUMN TERM</b>			
<b>NOVEMBER</b>			
Saturday 24	PTFA Family Bingo	2pm - 4pm School Hall	Everyone welcome. Free entry. Refreshments available. Raffle - £2 a strip or £10 for 6 strips
Monday 26	School closed	Occasional day	
TUESDAY 27	Reading for Pleasure	6.30pm for 7pm	Mr Martin Galway
<b>DECEMBER</b>			
Sunday 2	Christmas Fayre	School Hall from 12pm - 3pm	Details to follow
Thursday 6	School Nurse	am	Year 6 Height and Weight check
Wednesday 12	School Nurse to visit Years Reception - Yr5		Nasal Immunisation Programme against Flu - Reception to Year 5 children
Friday 14	Afterschool Clubs	Last Day	Last day for all clubs
Monday 17	Reward Day		Children will need PE kit in school.
Tuesday 18	Christmas Church Service	9.45am and 1.45pm at Church	Details to follow
Wednesday 19	School Christmas dinner		
Thursday 20	Class Christmas Parties	Afternoon	A special visitor to visit the school
Friday 21	<b>Christmas Holidays begin</b>	<b>1pm</b>	
	Christmas Film Afternoon	1pm - 3.15pm in School	Details to follow
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<b>SPRING TERM</b>			
<b>JANUARY</b>			
Tuesday 8	<b>Back to School</b>		

**Dates and events are subject to change.**

### ACADEMIC YEAR 2018/19

#### Autumn Term

Tuesday, 4 September 2018 to Friday, 21 December 2018

Occasional Day - Monday, 26 November 2018 - **SCHOOL CLOSED**

### **Spring Term**

Tuesday, 8 January 2019 to Friday, 5 April 2019

Half Term - Monday, 18 February 2019 to Friday, 22 February 2019

### **Summer Term**

Tuesday, 23 April 2019 to Friday, 19 July 2019

Bank Holiday - Monday, 6 May 2019 - **SCHOOL CLOSED**

Half Term Break - Monday, 27 May 2019 to Friday, 31 May 2019

### **Inset Days - SCHOOL CLOSED**

Inset day - Monday, 3 September 2018

Inset day - Monday, 7 January 2019

Inset Days - Monday, 22 July 2019 to Wednesday, 24 July 2019 inclusive

## **Our Value this half-term is: Thankfulness**

### **DINNER MONEY**

You can pay for meals online via the School Gateway or make cheques payable to Herts Catering Ltd (HCL).

Cash payments are to be put in a clearly named, sealed envelope with the amount on the front. Receipts will be issued when being processed. The cost per meal is £2.50.

### **AUTUMN 2<sup>nd</sup> HALF TERM £2.50 per meal**

05.11.18 to 21.12.18 inclusive

All week (34 meals) £85.00

Wednesday (7 meals) £17.50

Friday only (7 meals) £17.50

Wed & Fri (14 meals) £35.00

### **READING FOR PLEASURE**

**PLEASE JOIN US ON TUESDAY EVENING FROM 6:30PM IN THE SCHOOL HALL FOR AN ENTERTAINING EVENING LED BY MARTIN GALWAY. CHEESE AND WINE WILL BE SERVED FROM 6:30PM FOR A 7PM START.**

### **CHRISTMAS FAYRE - Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December**

- Our Christmas Fayre is only one week away! Help is still needed on the day, including clearing away. Please see the PTFA if you can help.

### **CHILDREN IN NEED**

Thank you for your support in raising £160.52 for Children-in-Need.

### **FLU VACCINATION**

Nasal Immunisation Programme against Flu -Reception to Year 5 children will now take place on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

### **SCHOOL SUMMER PERFORMANCE DVD**

Robin & The Sherwood Hoodies DVD's are for sale in the school office price £5.00.

### **PARKING PROBLEMS**

Inconsiderate parking and bad driving continues to cause us many problems. Inconsiderate parking and bad driving cause concerns about the safety of our children, upsetting our neighbours and incidents of 'road rage'. If you must drive to school, please consider other road users.

It has been recommended that we organise a walking bus from the Village Hall. If this is something you could help us with, please pop into school and have a word with Mrs Winwood.

### **FAMILIES TAKING HOLIDAYS DURING SCHOOL TERM TIME**

Please be aware holidays will not be authorised when taken during term time. It is important children attend school every day if they are to make good progress. Our school face challenges from outside agencies when our attendance figures fall. Please support our school and your child's education by ensuring they are in school on time and every day they are fit and well.

### **EASYFUNDRAISING**

Please could you consider joining this little money earner for our school that costs you nothing at all!

When shopping online, go to [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) first.

Choose a retailer and click through to their website.

The retailer gives you a donation for our school, at no extra cost.

Over half a million people are using easy fundraising and 2,700 retailers are on board including Tesco, Amazon, John Lewis, Argos, Debenhams, M&S just to name a few!

We have received £26.41 in donations, thank you to everyone who supports us through using easyfundraising.

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### **DECORATION DAY**

Next Friday, will be decoration day. We will be getting the school ready for our Christmas Fayre. All pupils are invited to come into school in their Christmas jumpers or Christmassy outfits as they enjoy their day. This is not a non-uniform and no cost is involved.

Don't forget, school is closed on Monday for our Occasional Day.

## **13.11.18 and 20.11.18**



**SHINING STARS** were awarded to Benji, Phoebe E, Annabella, Jack M-B.



**MERITS** were awarded to Muctarr, Annabella, Oscar W, Logan, Nathan, James R, Tate, Evie-Mae, Joel, Charlie A, Lily, Brody, Lj, Daniel, Lacey, Elizabeth, Chloe E, Rosie, Jessica R, Max W and Jake.

**THOUGHT TO SHARE: 'I am thankful for my home and fresh running water...' Jessica (Danes Class)**