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## Horndon-on-the-Hill C. of E. Primary School

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# NEWSLETTER

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8th December 2017

Dear Parents,

### Christmas Bazaar

By the time that you read this, you will have seen Santa and enjoyed our Christmas Bazaar. Thank you for supporting us and I do hope that it was a pleasurable experience for yourself and your children.

### Pantomime

We all had a wonderful time at The Thameside Theatre watching Beauty and the Beast. Thank you to Friends of Horndon for their continued support of this annual event, thank you to all the adult helpers who gave up their time to ensure the safety of the children and thank you to Ms. Voss who organises this event with military precision, so that we all know what we're doing, what coach we're on and who is sitting where.

The actors made Mr. Hales very welcome and if your child has come home singing that they want to see him in his Speedo's, there's nothing to worry about, it was just a song that the actors sang to tease him.

### Christmas Market

A massive thank you to the organisers of the village Christmas Market who have given us a kind donation of £230.00!

### Letters on website

Swimming for Years' 3 and 5

### Achievement Certificates

**Class R** ~ Veronica Hudson for being considerate to other children and Reggie Thurgood for taking pride in his learning.

**Class 1** ~ Logan Vereker for spotting a pattern when doubling and using it to calculate missing numbers and Kendall Gibbons for spotting mistakes in other children's work and helping them



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to modify their work.

**Class 2** ~ Daisy Bennett for applying herself in all her lessons and Clark Tree for outstanding application of maths skills.

**Class 3** ~ Kye Shovlar for always having a positive attitude towards his learning and Kitty Higgins for always following the core values.

**Class 4** ~ Finlay Wright for an improved attitude to his learning and Danny Carroll for using amazing expression in his reading.

**Class 5** ~ Witold Jedrzejewski for always trying his best and having a great learning attitude and Demi McNally for working at a better pace in class.

**Class 6** ~ Jazmyn Harrington for perseverance with her art project, Tommy Falconer for improved and amazing presentation skills and Sienna Cowell for applying new skills to problem solving.

### Headteacher's Awards

*Phoebe Brigden, Elwen Nash, Scarlett Rowlett, Frankie Cottom, Teddie Barker, Noah Dorling, Vinnie Hyde, Enzo Wilsher, Kamrrone Sljivar*

### SCHOOL CLUBS

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Breakfast</b>		<u>Dodgeball</u> ALL 8:00-8:40	<u>Golf</u> Yrs 5 & 6 8:00-8:40 <i>Contact</i> <i>theschoolofgolf</i> <i>@hotmail.co.uk</i>	<u>Badminton</u> ALL 8:00-8:40	
				<u>Hi-Five</u> Yrs 4,5 & 6 8:00-8:40	
<b>Lunch</b>	<u>Active Club</u> 12:30-1:00		<u>HSBC Bank</u> 12:00-12:30	<u>Tag Rugby</u> ALL 12:30-1:00	
<b>After -school</b>	<u>Star Sports</u> All pupils 3:05-4:30 <i>Contact</i> <i>Key</i> <i>07976 756259</i>	<u>Basketball</u> ALL 3:05-4:30	<u>Athletics</u> 3:05-4:30	<u>Pottery Club</u> Yrs 3 & 4 3:05-4:00	<u>Football Club</u> Girls and boys Yrs 5 & 6 3:15-4:15 (weather permitting)



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	<u>Drama</u> Divergent Drama 3:05-4:15 <i>Contact</i> <i>Kate/Vicky</i> <i>0208 0045557</i>	<u>CC4G</u> Yr 6 only ICT suite 3:05-4:15		<u>Omlet Club</u> KS2 3.05-4.00	<u>Star Sports</u> All pupils 3:05-4:30 <i>Contact</i> <i>Kev</i> <i>07976</i> <i>756259</i>
	<u>Junior Choir</u> KS2 3:05-4:15			<u>Ju-jitsu</u> All pupils 3:10-4:10 <i>Contact</i> <i>Scott</i> <i>07890 962455</i>	
	<u>Infant Choir</u> KS1 3:05-4:15				

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### December 2017

Monday 11th December - Whole School Flu Immunisations  
Tuesday 12th December - KS1 Nativity (OAP morning) 9:30 - 10:30 am  
Tuesday 12th December - Nursery Christmas songs Afternoon @ 2:00 pm  
Wednesday 13th December - KS1 Nativity @ 1:30 - 2:30 pm  
Thursday 14th December - School Carol Service - St Peter & St Paul's @ 2:00 pm  

(parents welcome)

Friday 15th December - Christmas jumper day (no donation required)  
Friday 15th December - FOHS KS 1 and 2 Discos  

KS1 5.30pm to 7.00pm & KS2 from 7.00 pm to 8.30 pm.

Sunday 17th December - Carols by Candlelight - St Peter & St Paul's @ 6:00 pm  
Monday 18th December- Deadline for Yr 3 trip permission and payment  
Tuesday 19th December - Carol Service Wasail Lights etc. 3:30 pm  
Tuesday 19th December - Christmas Dinner Day (Reception and KS1 free of charge - KS2 £2.10)  
Tuesday 19th December - Year 6 WWII day  
Friday 22nd December - End of Term  
Sunday 24th December - Crib Service - St Peter and St Paul's @ 5:00 pm  
Sunday 31st December - FOHS New Year's Eve Party (SAVE THE DATE)

### January 2018

Thursday 4th January - First day of term  
**Friday 5th January - Deadline for swimming permission/payment for Years' 3 & 5**  
**Friday 12th January - Swimming for Years' 3 & 5 until 23rd March**  
Sunday 14th January - Deadline for Primary School places September 2017  
Wednesday 17th January - Year 3 school trip to London Science Museum



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## **February 2018**

Thursday 1st February - Junior choir to Young Voices @ O2  
Monday 5th February - Launch Grow a pound Y6  
Tuesday 6th February - Class drop in @ 3:15 - 4:00 pm  
Friday 9th February - Last day of term  
Monday 19th February - First day of term  
Monday 19th February - 23rd - Money week  
Tuesday 20th February - Grow a pound in the hall after school  
Monday 26th February - Presentation and judging

## **March 2018**

Tuesday 20th March - Termly Learning Conference @ 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Thursday 22nd March - Termly Learning Conference @ 4:00 - 6:00 pm  
Monday 26th March - Year 6 Learning workshop @ 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Easter Service (TBC)  
Tuesday 27th March - Termly Learning Conference @ 3:30 - 5:00 pm  
Thursday 29th March - Last day of term

## **April**

Monday 16th April - First day of term  
Monday 23rd April - Mock SATs -year 6  
Monday 30th April - Mock SATs - year 2

## **May**

Monday 14th May to 18th May - SATs - Year 6  
Monday 21st May - SATs - Year 2 (Provisional)  
Monday 21st May - Year 6 - Residential  
Tuesday 22nd May - Class drop in @ 3:15 - 4:00 pm  
Friday 25th May - Last day of term

## **June**

Monday 4th June - First day of term  
Wednesday 6th June - Sports Day  
Thursday 7th June - Sports Day Reserve - In House (no parents)  
Monday 11th June - Phonics Screening  
Thursday 15th June - Borough Olympics

## **July**

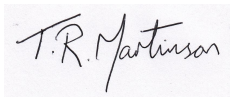
Monday 2nd July to 6th July - Transition week  
Tuesday 3rd July - Awards ceremony (selected children throughout the school)  
Tuesday 10th July - Class drop in @ 3:15 - 4:00 pm  
Friday 13th July - Reports sent to parents  
Tuesday 17th July - Production 1:30 - 3:00 pm  
Tuesday 17th July - Production 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Wednesday 18th July - KS1 and KS2 Leavers Services at the church  
Wednesday 18th July - Leavers Lunch  
Thursday 19th July - Production 1:30 - 3:00 pm  
Friday 20th July - Leavers assembly  
Friday 20th July - End of term



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Headteacher

## **FRIENDS OF HORNDON SCHOOL**

Next FOHS meeting TBA, 7.30pm Start

### **FOHS POST BOX**

**Situated on the green gate just before main office doors to the School.**

### **Upcoming events**

- School Disco 15/12/17  
KS1 5.30pm to 7.00pm & KS2 from 7.00pm to 8.30pm.
- FOHS New Year's Eve Party, Horndon Village Hall 31/12/17

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**ANY IDEAS/SUGGESTIONS FOR FUND RAISING EVENTS, PLEASE LET US KNOW.**

Any questions regarding FOHS, please contact **Kim Towlson 07724848069** or

[cst1952@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:cst1952@hotmail.co.uk)

Alternatively, send a message to our Facebook page 'Friends of Horndon School'.

## **School Bank**

You will find the Schoolbank in the Learning Zone between 12.20pm and 12.50pm  
on the following Wednesdays this term:

**13 December**



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Join us on Sunday 31st December 2017 for a  
New Year's Eve Party

7.30pm—I am

Hosted by



At

The Village Hall, High Road, Horndon on the hill  
DJ included, please bring own drinks, glasses & nibbles

Ticket information and prices to follow



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Do you think you could 'Make a Difference'?

Thurrock fostering are looking for people that could make a positive difference to a child's life – if you think that could be you, please get in touch with them to request an information pack:

[Thurrock.gov.uk/fostering](http://Thurrock.gov.uk/fostering)

0800 652 1256

Facebook.com/thurrockfostering

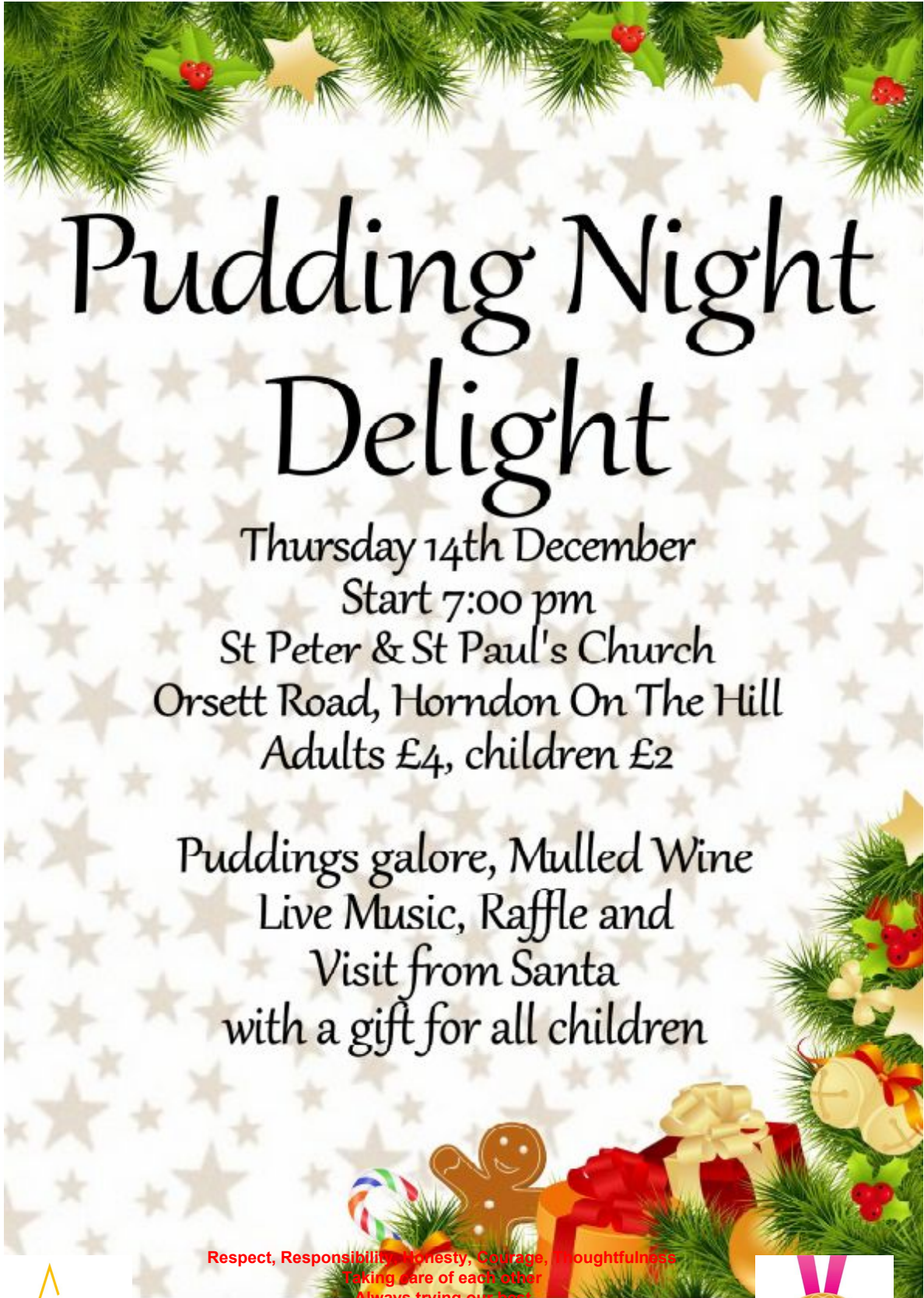


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# Pudding Night Delight

Thursday 14th December  
Start 7:00 pm  
St Peter & St Paul's Church  
Orsett Road, Horndon On The Hill  
Adults £4, children £2

Puddings galore, Mulled Wine  
Live Music, Raffle and  
Visit from Santa  
with a gift for all children



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## Christmas Bazaar

8th December - Doors open 1.30 pm.

EVERYONE WELCOME!



### AN EXCITING RANGE OF STALLS

Silver & Fashion Jewellery

Sweets & Fudge

Hand Made Frills - hair bows, etc.

Emoji Gift

Test your Strength

Cards and Candles

Books

Glitter, Hair, Nails & Lips

Embroidered Goods

Toys

Children's Tattoos

Visit Santa's Grotto

£3.50

**A Gift for Every Child**



Cakes & Refresh-



Reindeer Food

Prize Raffle

Bottle Tombola



Guess the Name



Plus.... Lots of 'create your own' craft stalls!

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# Christmas Dinner

**Roast Turkey with  
Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy**

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**Quorn Fillet or  
Vegetable Pastry Puff**

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**Chipolata Sausage & Stuffing Ball  
Roast Potatoes  
Seasonal Vegetables**

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**Festive Ice Cream Tub or  
Christmas Pudding & Custard**

**£2.10 or FREE to  
Reception & KS1 Pupils**

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

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