



NEWSLETTER



OUR SCHOOL VALUES: RESPECT - RESPONSIBILITY - TEAMWORK

25th November 2020

I can't believe it's nearly December! It's so uplifting to see Christmas starting to appear in the classrooms. Who doesn't like glitter and paper chains?! School is going to be a fun-filled December with lots of laughter and crafting, so let's enjoy this festive time!

Limerick Competition Winners

Our English prefects, Ines and James are delighted to announce the winners of our limerick competition: congratulations to Miley (KS2 winner) and Alice (KS1 winner)! Congratulations also to Ryley (funniest limerick) and Jemima (highly commended).

*There was a very small guinea pig
Who danced at a jog with a pig.
He said to the pig
"You squashed me a bit"
So the pig said "I'll sit you under my wig"*

By Alice Y2

*My favourite time of school is lunch
Where I get to sit down and munch
It doesn't take me long
To make my brain strong
Time to get back to the crunch!*

By Miley Y6

Parents' Evening

Thank you for all the positive comments about the 'different style' parents' evenings. It looks like we might be video calling our next ones in the Spring term, so it's good to know that on the whole they were a great success!

Happy School Bag Collection has been **cancelled** on Friday, 11th Dec due to Covid-19

Christmas Lunch Wednesday, 16th November

Turkey Dinner with trimmings
(book chicken online)
Vegetarian Wellington
(book cheese/potato pie / jacket potato on line)

Christmas Shortbread & Ice cream



and a



Black Friday Sale!

Just a reminder, that the 'Black Friday' period sees the highest number of emails flying across the ether than at any other time of year. This means that not only are there millions of legitimate emails, but the scammers also send out their flurries too. We are all vulnerable, but children, perhaps teenagers especially might be 'secretly' buying presents online for the first time. The National Cybersecurity Centre has a Suspicious Email Reporting Service (SERS) where you can send emails that you are concerned about. If you are suspicious, you should report it. Your report of a phishing email will help protect many more people from being affected. Just forward the email to: report@phishing.gov.uk You can find more advice about online security here: <https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/section/information-for/individuals-families>

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Keep walking everyone! We have raised a fabulous 10% of our target. Just a reminder - the online school disco is another fundraiser!



Dates for your Diary

Monday, 30 th November	School Disco (online)
Friday, 11 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
Wednesday, 16 th December	Christmas Party & lunch
Friday, 18 th December	School breaks up - 2pm

After School Club

The Youth Sport Trust have taken the step to deliver a free virtual after school club as part of a national response to the second lockdown. The 30-minute club will take place at 5pm each weekday and be led by a different member of the YST's athlete mentor network. The After School Sport Club will run until December 18 and children can take part live by visiting the YouTube channel - <http://www.youtube.com/user/YouthSportTrust>

The **Thinkuknow** Parents and Carers website contains a wealth of information and advice for parents and carers on keeping their children safe online. You can visit www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents for advice on topics such as: having a conversation with your child, using parental controls, understanding live streaming and supporting your child online.