



Christmas Fair Success!

The PFA Christmas fair raised a staggering £2400. Thank you so much to every person who came along and supported the event. The greatest of thanks to those volunteers on the PFA and in school who gave their time to enable the fair to go ahead. This year was the last year for some very longstanding volunteers whose children have long since left the school. Their time and support has enabled us to enrich the lives of our children in many ways and we are so grateful. If your child has enjoyed using the iPads, playing in the Class R kitchen or learning to cook, then they have benefitted from the hard work of the PFA. We are now hoping that a new generation of parents might join the PFA team to enable their amazing work to continue. The next PFA meeting will be held at school on Wednesday, 28th January at 6pm so please come along, meet some friendly faces and find out how to get involved.

Amazing

A big hurray for Class R and Class 1 & 2 for treating us to their wonderful nativities this week. They were all absolutely amazing and we are very proud! Thank you to the hard-working staff for helping to arrange such super performances and to all the families for coming along to watch.

A huge thank you to the lunchtime team for Christmas dinner day. Mrs Ridsdale cooked an incredible 151 delicious Christmas dinners, every sprout cooked to perfection!

Christmas Parties

A reminder that the party bags have come home for you to provide your child with their own party snacks on the day of their party. Children can come to school dressed in their party clothes on their party day. They will still have outdoor playtimes though so please ensure they are dressed appropriately for the weather.

Class 3 Carol service

Class 3 will be performing their carol service in St Paul's Church on Wednesday 17th December at 2pm. We hope parents and relatives can join them.

Carols on the playground

Final reminder that we invite everyone to join us on the playground to sing carols together at 3pm on Thursday, 18th December. If you are able to join us, we ask that you collect your child from the usual point a little earlier at 3pm and then make your way onto the main playground. If you cannot make it until normal collection time, your child will sing with their class teacher and can be collected in the usual way at the usual collection point. There will be festive treats available to buy at £1 each so please bring along some money.

Traffic safety

There was a worryingly close call on Green Lane this week, where more than one vehicle stopped in the No Stopping zone to drop children off. Two children left one of the vehicles and ran across the road when there was a car coming the other way. Please can I remind parents and grandparents that it is illegal to stop on the zigzag markings and for very good reason. We would much rather children arrive a few minutes late or a little bit wet from the rain than be put at risk. I know we have to give this message much too often and

thank you to the majority of parents who continue to park safely. We will continue to monitor the traffic, speak to individual families and share car registration information with our PCSO.

Clubs

All before and after school clubs have now finished for the term and will begin again in the new year.

We need you!

KS2 need newspapers for one of their party games on Tues and Wednesday next week. If you have any you can let us have, please send them in on Monday. Many thanks.

Last day of term

We would like all of the children to have some time to socialise in a relaxed way on the final afternoon of the term. We invite children to bring in any board games they might have that they can play in pairs or small groups. Please be mindful of small pieces that might get lost and don't send anything that is too valuable. The invite does not include electronics or screens of any kind as our priority is supporting the children to socialise together before they break for the Christmas holidays.

Attendance

This week our average attendance is 94.9% compared with the national average of 94.7%

Children mentioned in Good Work assembly:

(This can be for a good piece of work in any subject, good effort or for showing resilience etc.)

YR: The whole class & Theresa-Marie Y1: Mabel Y2: Rory Y3: Daisy Y4: Thea Y5: Will W. Y6: Izak

Children mentioned for demonstrating any one of our values:

YR: Hallie Y1: Rory Y2: Robyn Y3: Brian & Harry Y4: Carlotta Y5: Olly Y6: Connor

Do you or anyone you know receive Universal Credit? If you fit the criteria please apply for Free School Meals as, as well as helping you at home, we are then able to access some extra funding to support the children in school. <https://www.eastriding.gov.uk/learning/schools-colleges-and-academies/school-meals/free-school-meals/>

Tickton Play Pals after school club continue to offer a completely flexible and parent led service to meet your childcare needs before and after school. Please text Helen on 07717175689 to book your sessions as needed. They are open from 7:30 am for school drop off and after school pick up until 5:30pm.



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Feedback: We do appreciate your feedback as it helps us to improve our school further as well as celebrate the things that have gone well, so if you are happy – or not – about something, please let us know.

Parental Feedback:	Date:
Feedback/ Issue:	
Name:	
Would you like an appointment with Ms Anderson to discuss this further?	

You can also share your thoughts and opinions, both positive and negative, of our school through the Ofsted site Parent View either by using this address/link, <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk>, or typing 'Parent View' into Google.