



Dear Parents and Carers,

With Christmas on the horizon, we are delighted to share that it has been another great week of learning here at school. On Wednesday, the children enjoyed their much-anticipated trip to the Marlowe Theatre to see Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. They had a wonderful time and were excellent representatives of our school. A huge thank you to Miss Burnley for all her hard work in organising this special experience.



Next week, we are looking forward to welcoming parents into school for our Christmas performances. Please remember, if you can, to send in a Christmas jumper in a named bag if you would like your child to wear one during the festivities. Class teachers will also have a supply of Christmas accessories if this is not possible. When you visit the hall, you will also spot our very festive Christmas hoops, which the children (and staff!) have loved creating.

We are also delighted to welcome Mr. Walsh to our school community. He currently works at Pilgrims Way, one of our trust schools, and will be joining us one day a week to help develop our Forest School provision. He has already been busy preparing the forest area and planning exciting outdoor learning opportunities for the children.

Next Tuesday, we are holding our annual Christmas Fair. Thank you to the hard work the PTFA have already put into organising it. If you are able to support in any way, either helping us organise the event or supporting with a stall, please come and let us know at the school office or get in touch by emailing [PTFA@warden-house.kent.sch.uk](mailto:PTFA@warden-house.kent.sch.uk).

Please remember that during this cold weather, children should come to school wearing a coat.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Cooper.

## Dates for your diary

- ❖ PFTA Christmas Fair - Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 3:15pm – 4:15pm
- ❖ Year 3&4 Christmas Performance - Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2:00pm & Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December 9:30am
- ❖ Rocksteady Concert - Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2:00pm - CANCELLED
- ❖ Reception Christmas Performance – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2:00pm & Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December 9:30am
- ❖ Year 5&6 Christmas Performance - Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2:00pm & Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December 9:30am
- ❖ Year 1&2 Christmas Performance - Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 9:30am & Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2:00pm
- ❖ Christmas Lunch - Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December
- ❖ End of Term 2 – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December 3:15pm
- ❖ Start of Term 3 – Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January

**Please note term dates for the next academic year have now been added to the school website.**

## Attendance

**Whole school**

**93.82%**

**Year group of the week**

**Year 2**

## Book Recommendation

This week's book recommendation comes from Harper in Year 5

**Book: Darkwhispers - A Brightstorm Adventure by Vashti Hardy**

"It is really good with an exciting plot about a missing adventurer." She would recommend this book to children in Year 4, 5 and 6.

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Term Value:  
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Next Week's Lunch  
Menu - Week 1

