



Margaretting C of E Primary School Newsletter

No Limits on Learning

With God All Things are Possible

(Matthew 19:26)



Courageous Optimism

Boundless Creativity

Heartfelt Compassion

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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week our school choir had the unforgettable experience of performing at the Royal Albert Hall, in front of thousands of people. It was a busy day of rehearsals but the children were positive, resilient and all coped brilliantly. I am so proud of their performance with the other Rural Primary Schools and I know that those who went will always remember the experience. Thank you so much to Barnardo's and Mrs O'Regan for organising the event and to all parents for your support and patience in the lead up to it. There are lots of photos and videos on Twitter, so please feel free to have a look!

Year 3/4 had some very exciting visitors in school this week. Mrs Thomson, who will be sharing the class with Mrs Gozel from January, came to visit the children. Lots of children remembered her from the interview lesson she taught and were delighted to see her back. The class also had a visit from some snakes on Wednesday! The children had a great time with Dame Tipping at the Snakes Alive Workshop. They certainly showed courageous optimism as the children were keen to hold some of the animals. Thank you to Mrs O'Connell and Mrs Gozel for organising the event.

Please remember that next week is the last week of school clubs until after the Christmas holidays. From 5th December there will not be clubs (apart from Lego and homework on 8th December to make up for parents' evening), so make sure you make arrangements for your child to be picked up at 3:15pm from 5th December.

The Year 5/6 children are looking forward to their Victorian Day next Thursday. Please remember that the children will need to come in wearing Victorian style clothing. We are looking forward to hearing from Year 5/6 children in the other Rural Primary Schools on Thursday, so we can share Victorian Day together.

The PTFA will be holding the Christmas Fair next Friday—I cannot believe how quickly the event has come round! We are hoping to hold the fair outside (weather permitting) so make sure that you wrap up warm. The fair will start at 12pm. Thank you to those of you who have returned your raffle tickets—there are some great prizes to be won! Please make sure that you return tickets and the correct change as soon as possible so the PTFA can allocate the tickets correctly. Please also make sure you write your / your child's name on the back of EACH ticket. I look forward to seeing you all at the fair.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Best wishes, Mrs M. Taylor (Headteacher, BA Hons, PGCE, NQPSL).

TERM DATES:

28th Nov—last week of clubs
1st Dec—Year 5/6 Victorian Day
2nd Dec 8:30am—EYFS phonics workshop with Mrs Kirk
2nd Dec 12:00pm —PTFA Christmas Fair
5th Dec—No clubs this week, they will start again in Jan 2023
8th Dec—Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch
13th Dec 1:45 and 4:00pm—KS1 Nativity
16th Dec—Christmas Service
20th Dec—Last day of Autumn 2
5th Jan—INSET day
6th Jan—INSET day
9th Jan— First day of Spring 1
25th Jan—NSPCC assembly (separate letter to follow)
7th Feb—NSPCC 'Speak Out, Stay Safe' Workshop for Year 5/6
10th Feb—Last day of Spring 1
20th Feb—First day of Spring 2
16th March—Happy Days Photography to take photos of the children in their classrooms
31st March—Easter Service and EYFS Class Assembly
31st March—Last day of Spring 2
17th April—First day of Summer 1
8th May—Key Stage 2 SATs Week
15th May—KS1 SATs Week (TBC)
26th May—Last day of Summer 1
5th June—INSET day
6th June—First day of Summer 2
7th June—Happy Days Photography whole class photos
12th June—Phonics Screening Week for Year 1



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Awards

The Headteacher's Award has been awarded to Beau Morss.

The LOL (Love of Learning) Award has been awarded to Hannah Fajimolu.

The SCB Writing Award has been awarded to Matilda-Rose Kirk.

The Reading Award has been awarded to King Yui Wu.

The Maths Award has been awarded to Henry Davey.

The Arts Award has been awarded to Romeo Roget.

The Stringer Star award has been awarded to Evie Belloy.

The Sports Star Award has been awarded to Noah Betts.

The Lola June Homework award has been awarded to Ayraa Ali.

Certificates this week went to Paisley Mullender, Albie Tabram, Oliver Hunter and Hattie Scales.

Please bring back school awards on Monday 28th November 2022.

Please make sure all out of school awards are in school by Thursday each week.

A snap shot of what we've been up to this week:



Here at Margaretting, and all our LIFE schools, the safety of our children is of paramount importance. With this in mind, you are welcomed to use the car park outside The Red Lion pub on Main Road when dropping off and collecting your children from school. This avoids a build up of traffic down Penny's Lane and enables our children to exit the building, and cross the road, safely. We thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

