

Pippins Weekly News

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SEE TOMORROW GROW

Dear Parents and Carers,

As I reflect on 2023, the year has indeed brought with it, many changes for Pippins School. I quote words from George Bernard Shaw: 'progress is impossible without change.' We have progressed significantly over the last year to ensure the best possible outcomes for all our children, along with community engagement; may this long continue. On this note, please do join me in thanking our PTA, for organising a wonderful Christmas fair. The turnout was phenomenal and the feedback outstanding! Watch this space for the next event.

Not only have we successfully managed the confirmed case of RAAC this term, whilst allowing for face to face teaching to continue, we introduced a high quality English scheme, had a new trim trail installed, made use of two brand new lap top trolleys, began working with a thematic curriculum, built greater community links, raised in excess of £30,000 of donations to support a high quality of education! the list is endless ... It has been a thoroughly exciting year for us all. As I peer into 2024, I feel a deep-rooted connection with Pippins, to strategically take it to towering heights. Our strategy 'Good today. Outstanding tomorrow' is at the fore of our direction of travel. We are resolutely moving in the right direction.

On deeper reflection, this has been a successful year, purely because of the outstanding relationships the school has built with parents and the wider community. You are my greatest asset in moving the school forward; thank you. As parents, you have come forward to support our school, for our children. I am personally grateful to you for your kindness and for all your support. Let us stand strong and united in 2024, for OUR school.

Dates for the Diary

3rd January 2024 Start of Spring 1

Attendance

Rec 87%
Y1 83%
Y2 90%
Y3 99%
Y4 91%
Y5 80%
Y6 85%

Please settle all outstanding payments on Arbor before the start of the new year.

As I excitedly peer into 2024, together, we are going to see tomorrow grow, today. I would like us to go from strength to strength, and bring back with great fortitude, the true spirit of a united family. On that note, I wish you, your family and loved ones, a Happy Christmas, and best wishes for 2024. May the New Year bring forth, peace, understanding and a united spirit of oneness for us all.

With all good wishes and more, from my family to yours.
Mr Jalaf

AWARDS THIS TERM

Congratulations to all our award winners this term! Keep up the hard work!

Mr Jalaf

Award Description	Child's Name
Maths award Y1	Ayden Heath
Maths award Y3	Gurveer Kheri
Maths award Y5	Alan Martirosyan
English Award Y2	Ajuz Baranauskas
English Award Y4	Ruzbeh Awan
English Award Y6	Akshyom Mishra
Pupil of the Term	Emily Qanta (Y5)
Global Citizen Boy EYFS	Triloachhan (REC)
Global Citizen Girl EYFS	Meher Ghotra (NURSERY)
Global Citizen Boy KS1	Samar Singh (Y2)
Global Citizen Girl KS1	Ida Rutherford (Y1)
Global Citizen Boy KS2	Anthony- Orbai Hagger (Y3)
Global Citizen Girl KS2	Sofia Yeh (Y4)

CLUBS FOR SPRING 1

Please look at the posters or Arbor for how to sign up.

Monday	Judo	3:15 - 4:15	Yrs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
	Science	3:15 - 4:15	Yrs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
Tuesday	Early Morning Judo	7:40 - 8:40	Yrs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
	Art and Craft	3:15 - 4:15	Yrs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
	Pippins Sport: Dodgeball	3:15 - 4:15	Yrs 1, 2, 3
Wednesday	Wellbeing	3:15 - 4:15	Yrs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
Thursday	Pippins Music: Recorder	3:15 - 4:00	Yrs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
	Pippins Sport: Dodgeball	3:15 - 4:15	Yrs 4, 5, 6
	M & M Book Club	3:15 - 4:15	Parents
Friday	Pippins Sports: Football	3:15 - 4:15	Yrs 4, 5, 6
	Pippins Book Club	3:15 -4:00	Yrs 1, 2, 3
	Chess Club	3:15 - 4:15	Yrs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

THE ANNUAL COLNBROOK CHRISTMAS CAROL SING ALONG

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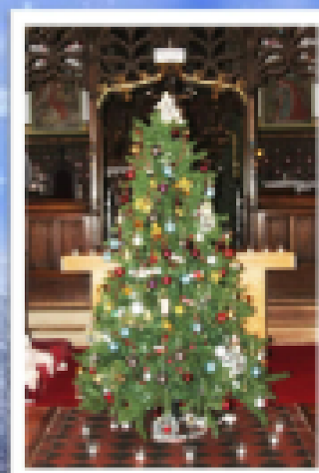
When?

Friday December

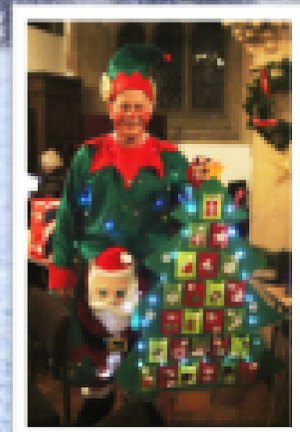
15th at 7pm

Where?

Join us in St
Thomas Church
to start the
Christmas
celebrations!



A PRIZE
will be
awarded
for Best
Christmas
Jumper!



Followed by mince pies and mulled wine!
It's all FREE but you might like to make a
donation to the St Thomas church fund.





M & M Book Club

PLEASE SIGN UP FOR THE M & M BOOK
CLUB.

IT IS HELD EVERY THURSDAY FROM 3:30
PM.

WE WILL BE LOOKING AT A RANGE OF
EXCITING BOOKS AND SHARING IDEAS
BASED ON DIFFERENT THEMES EACH
WEEK.



NURSERY - CHURCH VISIT

Dear Parents,

The Nursery children and their parents visited St Thomas church on Tuesday and had a wonderful time learning all about Christmas. We also had a guided tour of the church and participated in some Christmas crafts.

Festive greetings,
Mrs Fowler.



EYFS CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Dear Parents,

The nursery and reception class children put on a fantastic Christmas concert on Monday.

They performed on the stage in front of everyone and sang beautifully. We even had some audience participation at the end of the show!

Thanks to all of you who came and supported us.

Best wishes for a wonderful Christmas time,
Mrs Fowler and Mrs Bailey

