



Newsletter

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Headline!

News!

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a week! The nativity was simple amazing and full of confidence and joy. The African Drumming performance woke everybody up and blew us all away with the tremendous sound of 30 drums being played. In between, children have been singing in preparation for our songs on the playground next Wednesday. It is a wonderful, albeit tiring, time in school.

Next week, the children will be experiencing Panto (thank you PACT and all those that support) and have the opportunity to have Christmas Lunch and attend the disco. This will be the first Christmas disco at Hall Meadow and we are really looking forward to it.

This term has been busy and your patience and support has been very much appreciated. We have raised so much money for school which will be used to pay for the Panto and upgrade the EYFS area.

Mrs Townend is recovering well from her operation while Year 3 have been enjoying learning with Mrs Chana. Mrs Townend will pop in next Wednesday to see the children prior to her return in January.

I hope to see you all next week on the playground, but if you are unable to make our event I would like to take this opportunity in the last newsletter of 2023 to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a happy and healthy New Year.

Best wishes,

Mrs Bodman-Knight



Nativity

This week we were blown away by the Reception/KS1 nativity; 'A Midwife Crisis'. The speaking, singing and dance moves were brilliant, and it was a delight to see so many grandparents, parents and extended family members all attending and leaving with big smiles of pride. A huge well done to the children and staff for putting together a joyous production!



STARS OF THE WEEK

PUPIL	CLASS
David	Iris
Damenica	Demeter
Joseph	Apollo
Flynn	Poseidon
Muhammed	Ares
Jacob D	Zeus

All parents are welcome at all our celebration assemblies, every Friday at 9am sharp.



DOJO WINNERS

Demeter class:

Marlie

Poseidon:

Harry J

Kevin

Athena:

Aeva

Alex

Aiden

Alisha

Indiv

Maxi

Maryam

Reuben

Rocco

Xavier

Ares class:

Antonia

Zeus:

Abigail

Aroush

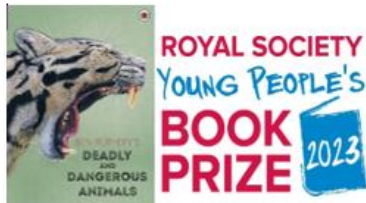
Ella



Year 5 African Drumming

A huge thank you NMPAT for our 10 weeks of drumming which accumulated in a fabulous performance today from Ares Class. The enjoyment was clear to see on everyone's faces and the noise from 30 Djembe was astonishing! A huge well done to all involved with this wonderful musical performance.

Reading Ambassadors



Yesterday lunchtime, we spent time looking through and reading Deadly and Dangerous Animals by Ben Rothery. There were some fascinating facts in the book detailing the size of shark teeth and eagle talons. We found out that the most deadly creature on the planet is a mosquito!

This book is one of six books which have been shortlisted for the Royal Society Young People's Book Prize 2023. After Christmas, we will be judging the remaining books.

Raffle Prizes

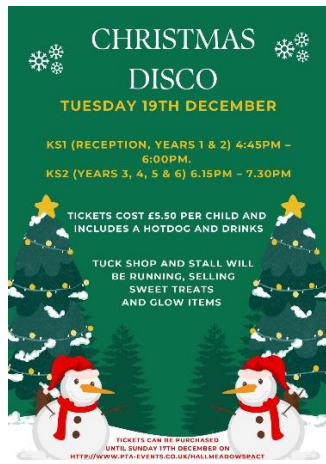
The raffle has been drawn and the prizes have now been allocated! Together, we have raised just over £1000 for the school in ticket sales so thank-you everyone for purchasing and selling tickets, it really was a team effort! And a big thank-you to PACT for putting it all together and taking time out from their own busy schedules to raise money for our school!



Dolce Christmas Lunch

Just a quick reminder that Dolce will be serving a Christmas lunch on Tuesday 19th December for the pupils.

Please remember to order this through school grid before Tuesday.



Christmas Disco 19th December

It's time for another festive disco, tickets to be purchased from the PACT website up until the 17th December.

KS1 – 4.45pm – 6pm
KS2 – 6.15pm – 7.30pm`



DATES FOR DIARY!

December

Panto – 18th December

School disco – Tuesday 19th December

Dolce Christmas Lunch Tuesday 19th December

Christmas in the playground – Wednesday 20th
December 2:30pm (Children collected from 3pm)

SATS Parents Meeting Year 6

Thursday 8th February

Upcoming Share a Story:

Share a Story

Come along into class and
share a story with your
child.

Tuesday 9th January 2023

2:45pm- 3:10pm



Tuesday 9th January 2024

Monday 5th February 2024

Thursday 7th March 2024

Hall Meadow

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