This week's merit certificates are awarded to:

Darwin Class - Ava
Curie Class - Ebony & William
Attenborough Class - Loki & Leo
Einstein Class - Willow & Floria
Sports Infants - Jasper
Sports Juniors - Alexander
Well done everyone!





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Dates for your Diary

Monday 28th November -

Tuesday 29th November -

Wednesday 30th November -

Thursday 1st December -

Friday 2nd December - Year 1, 2, 5 and some 6 School Swimming Trip

- Library Bus for Year 3-6
- 9am-11am Pre-School Christmas Party in the School Hall

Birthdays

There are no Birthdays this week.



Christmas Jumper Day - Thursday 8th December



We are supporting Save the Children's Christmas Jumper Day on Thursday 8th December. Children can come to School in their School uniform that day but please swap their school jumper/cardigan for a Christmas one! Suggested donation £1.00.

If you have any jumpers your child has grown out of and are happy to donate to School we can have a jumper swap before the day. If these could be handed into School by the 30^{th} November. Thank you.

Year 6 Wheelchair Basketball Roadshow



Y6 had a great time on Wednesday at Brooksby College learning how to play wheelchair basketball. The children picked it up really quickly and were very good at steering and reversing - definitely a few new recruits for the local team – use the link to find clubs in the area.

https://britishwheelchairbasketball.co.uk/get-involved/play/club-finder/

Christmas Performances Monday 5th December and Tuesday 6th December



<u> 2pm - Monday 5th December - Buckminster Village Hall</u>

• For the whole School please collect your child from Buckminster Village Hall at 3.20pm on Monday 5th December. If your child is booked into After School Club with Mrs Watkin they will be walked back to School. If your child uses the School Bus, this will collect the children from the Village Hall.

5.30pm - Monday 5th December and Tuesday 6th December - Buckminster Village Hall

• For the whole School please drop your child off at Buckminster Village Hall at 5.00pm. Doors will open for parents to be seated at 5.15pm.

Christmas Fayre - Friday 9th December - 3.30pm-4.45pm



For the Christmas Fayre we are looking for kind donations from parents for the Chocolate and Traditional Tombola by Friday 2nd December with donations for the Cake Stall on the day please. So if you are able to donate some chocolate, items for the tombola or bake a cake these would be very much appreciated.

For the Christmas Performance Raffles x3 we are asking parents for donations for our Show Raffles which are always very popular. If you are able to look out any items suitable we would be very grateful. Such as unused gifts or a bottle of something!

Also if you have a local business or know a business you could ask for a raffle prize, these would be great too. It could be an item or an experience.

We always appreciate your support in raising much needed funds for resources for the children in School.

Thank you.

Jazzy Jars - Do you have any empty jam jars?

Mrs Floyd is making her famous Jazzy Jars for the Christmas Fayre. We would therefore be grateful if you have any clean jam jar size jars, if these could be dropped off to School. Thank you.

Pre-School/Stay and Play Christmas Party



Pre-School/Stay and Play parents and children are invited to a Christmas Party on Friday 2nd December from 9am-11am. This will be in the main School Hall. Please bring a plate of food to share with you. Thank you.

Attenborough Class Lino Printing

Attenborough Class concentrating on their lino printing in art last Friday. Mr Watkin has been helping the children to develop their Egyptian designs and then carefully cut the lines on the tiles.

Newton and Darwin Class



Pre-School and Reception acted out being a bubbling volcano before performing an experiment making pop explode.

Out of School Achievements



Yesterday Aldo got the Star of the Week at his martial arts class. Well done Aldo!

Also he found out that he had passed his trial for Grantham Swim Club and will be starting this before Christmas. Well done again Aldo, we are very proud of you.

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Dates for your Diary New dates will be added in red.
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Friday 2nd December - Swimming Year 1, 2, 5 and some Year 6

Friday 2nd December - Library Bus visit for Year 3-6

Friday 2nd December - Pre-School/Stay and Play Christmas Party in the School Hall 9am-11am.

W/C Monday 5th December - No Teacher Led or Sports Clubs this week.

Monday 5th December - 2.00pm Buckminster Village Hall Year R-6 Performance

(for parents with babies/toddlers and any Grandparents who would prefer to attend in the day)

Monday 5th December - 5.30pm Buckminster Village Hall Year R-6 Performance

Tuesday 6th December - 5.30pm Buckminster Village Hall Year R-6 Performance.

Thursday 8th December - Save the Children - Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 9th December - Christmas Fayre in School 3.30pm - 4.45pm.

W/C Monday 12th December - No Teacher Led or Sports Clubs this week.

Tuesday 13th December - Whole School Christmas Lunch

Thursday 15th December - Christmas Parties

Friday 16th December - Swimming Year 1, 2, 5 and some Year 6

Friday 16th December - Carol Service in Buckminster Church at 2.30pm. Please collect your child from the Church at 3.20pm if you are not attending the service. <u>There will be no Mrs Watkins After School Club this day.</u> Bus children will be collected from the Church unless you let Mrs Wright know that you will be at the service.

Friday 16th December - Last day of term for Christmas.

Monday 2nd January - Bank Holiday - School Closed.

Tuesday 3rd January - School opens for the Spring Term - Children back to School

Monday 9th January - Bronze Young Ambassadors Training 4.00pm-5.15pm, Huntingtower School

Friday 13th January - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 4

Friday 27th January - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 4

Monday 6^{th} February - GB Olympic Swimmer Joe Roebuck Inspire+ Assembly.

Friday 10^{th} February - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 4

 W/\mathcal{C} 13th February - Parents' Evenings

Monday 20th February-Friday 24th February - Half Term.

Wednesday 1st March - Host Legacy Tour Assembly.

Thursday 2nd March - Legacy Tour Assembly in Colsterworth.

Friday 10th March - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 4

Wednesday 15th March - Whole School Rock Kids in School - details to follow

Friday 17th March - Mother's Day Service - details to follow.

Thursday 23rd March - Tempest Photography Class Photographs.

Friday 24th March - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 4

Friday 31st March - Easter Service - details to follow.

Friday 31st March - Last day of term for Easter.

Monday 17^{th} April - School opens for the Summer Term - Children back to School.

Tuesday 18th April - Jonathan Broom-Edwards Inspire+ Assembly

Friday 21^{st} April - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 3

Monday 1st May - Bank Holiday - School Closed.

Friday 5^{th} May - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 3

Monday 8th May - Bank Holiday - School Closed - for the coronation of King Charles III

W/C 8th May - KS2 SATS week

Friday 19th May - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 3

W/C 22nd May - KS1 SATS week

Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June - Half Term.

W/C 5th June - Year 4 Multiplication Test

Thursday 8th/Friday 9th June - Year 6 Camp and Twinlakes

W/C 12th June - SN Review Meetings and Year 1 phonics

Friday 16th June - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 3

Friday 16th June - Father's Day Service - details to follow.

W/C 19th June - Sports Days

Friday 30th June - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 3

Friday 30th June - Annual Reports sent home.

W/C 3rd July - Year 6 Leaver's Assembly

Friday 7th July - Pre-School Funding end claim date for 15/30 hours free funding.

Wednesday 12th July - Last day of term for Summer.



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