

NEWSLETTER

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Dates for your Diary

Tuesday, 19th November

Managing Behaviour Part 2 - 9.30am

Friday, 6th December

"WEAR SOMETHING FESTIVE" DAY - but to do so, you have to bring in a bottle of something to be used at the Christmas Fair tomorrow!

Saturday, 7th December

LINK ASSOCIATION CHRISTMAS FAIR 12.00pm - 3.00pm to be held at the secondary school

Monday, 9th December

Festive Feast of Entertainment and Food - 2.00pm
(More information to follow)

Tuesday, 10th December

The pupils are treated to a Pantomime when Playhouse Productions return for a special signed performance of Peter Pan.

Monday, 16th December

LINK SCHOOLS JOINT CAROLS SERVICE - 1.30pm
Wallington United Reform Church
(full details to follow)

Thursday, 19th December

LAST DAY OF AUTUMN TERM
School Closes at 1.15pm

Monday, 6th January

Inset Training Day for Staff

Tuesday, 7th January

PUPILS RETURN TO SCHOOL - 9.05am

Monday, 27th January

YR / Y6 Height & Weight Checks - Sutton School Nursing Team

A Message from Sandy

This week I write with a reminder about a couple of rules we have at school, which we ask parents to adhere to, ensuring the health and safety of all pupils is maintained.

Should your child have an injury or accident at home, we ask you to make sure you inform us by writing a note in the home school book, or alternatively emailing the school office. It is important that staff are aware of the cause of the injury and any medical interventions that have been or may be necessary.

Secondly, pupils are not allowed to wear any jewellery to school (other than stud earrings if their ears are pierced). In the case of pupils who may need to wear a medical alert bracelet, we ask that you contact the school office to discuss this.

Thank you for your support in ensuring health and safety is maintained across the school.

Sandy

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING AT THE LINK?

It has been nice to welcome parents into school again this week.

Part 2 of our social stories workshop went well and it was nice to have parents from the secondary school attending too.

Many of you have also been into school for meetings to discuss your child's IEP with their class teacher and therapist.

Don't worry if you are still waiting for your IEP meeting invitation. Demand on private office space is limited here and appointments have to be organized with meticulous timetabling.

There has been lots of creativity going on in school this week.

Beech Class have been reading "The Snowman" and lot of learning activities have been linked to the book.



Pupils have been reinforcing their knowledge of number bonds. Much more fun when snowflakes are involved!



The ability to understand and re-tell a story in the correct sequence is the first step to imaginative writing.

Using models and objects, pupils are able to take turns in telling their classmates the story, aiding their cognitive skills.



Hazel Class have been making use of foliage from the gardens to make sculptures. Imagination and creativity really comes to the fore under Rebecca and Olha's guidance - engagement at it's best.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND AND ABOUT?

We were so proud to learn that some of our pupils took part in parades on Remembrance Sunday.

Lucas from Pine Class was a flag bearer for his Scout Group and marched through Merton. We're sure you will agree his pride shines through in this photograph. Well done Lucas.



AND FINALLY

Beech Class have some wonderful news to share - Alex has become a big brother!

Baby James made his welcome arrival recently and Christina and John are obviously both thrilled.

Alex is very excited and Mum tells us that he will not sit still long enough for a photograph of them together, so she has sent us a beautiful picture of John and James having a snuggle together to share with everyone.



Huge congratulations are sent from The Link community.

Don't forget, Sue and Kathy are now taking deliveries of items for this year's Christmas Fair - Saturday, 7th December (12.00pm - 3.00pm).

Let's make it another one to remember!