



PEARL HYDE COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 19/01/18

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

This term our Reception Class are learning about special people and their jobs. We are looking for any parents who would be willing to talk to the children about their job e.g. nurses, police officers, fire officers, doctors, school crossing patrol, members of the armed forces etc. If you could be available on a Tuesday afternoon and are willing to share your story, please contact the school office, thank you.



COMMUNICATION

The school's preferred method of communication is via email. This saves the school time and money. At present, all letters are distributed as paper copies and via email. Please let us have your email address and make sure you keep the school office updated should this or any of your contact details change.

The school uses SIMS Agora for payments, Parents Evening Booking system for booking onto events and parent consultation meetings and Parentmail for school meal choices, questionnaires and event calendar. Links to these applications are available on our website.



IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICE

The car park is for staff only. **NO-ONE** should use the car park to drop-off/collect children. This applies to **ALL PARENTS AND CARERS** and includes those accessing Kidz Aloud and collecting children from after school activities.

YOUNG VOICES.

The KS2 Young Voices performance is at the Genting Arena on Friday 26th January. Children will be arriving at the arena for 1.30pm to start the practise sessions. The performance is at 7.00pm. They will require two packed meals on this day if you have not paid for a school meal. Tickets have now sold out. If you have purchased tickets but no longer require them, please let the school office know as we have some parents/carers who wish to attend.

PARENT GOVERNOR VACANCY

We have a vacancy on our Governing Body for a Parent Governor. Nomination forms are available from the School Office and must be returned to the school no later than 3pm on **Wednesday 31st January**. Each nomination requires two proposers.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS

We still have spaces on some of the sports and after school clubs. Please contact the school office if you would like your child to participate. Glee and Cross-Country are full. We have one place left on KS2 Gymnastics and Advanced Table Tennis.

SPORTS NEWS

Congratulations to the boys and girls rowing teams for winning their heats and going through to the finals of the Coventry East Schools tournament. Well done to the girls for reaching the finals for the first time. The boys have the opportunity to defend their title!



Congratulations to the girls table tennis team for winning their zone final as Warwickshire Champions and qualifying through to the last 16 schools in the UK! Commiserations to the boys team for just missing out in third place.

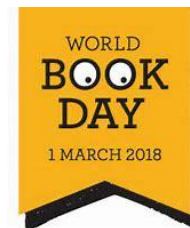
Well done to the boy's football team who tried their best against a very strong St Christopher's losing 4-1 in the Harry Shaw Cup.

GOOD LUCK to the boys and girls table tennis players who are representing the school at the Warwickshire County Championship this weekend.

SPRING BOOK FAIR

This year's Spring Book Fair will be launching on Monday 12th February and will run until Thursday 15th February. Open after school, parents/carers are invited to come into school to browse the books from the fair with their children.

All the commission raised from the fair is used to purchase books for the children to use in school. Children will be able to use their £1 World Book Day vouchers towards a book from the fair.



PARENTVIEW QUESTIONNAIRE

Questionnaires have been emailed out via Parentmail and paper copies sent home with children. We would be extremely grateful if you could complete your questionnaires before the end of term as your feedback is important to us. Thank you.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 26th January – KS2 Young Voices Performance

Monday 5th – Friday 9th February – Safer Internet Week

Friday 9th February – KS2 Celebration Assembly 9.10am

Monday 12th – Thursday 15th February 3.15pm-4.00pm – Spring Book Fair in School

Friday 16th February – EYFS & KS1 Celebration Assembly 9.10am

Monday 19th-Friday 23rd February – HALF-TERM

Thursday 1st March – World Book Day & Pearl Day – Dress up as a book character

Monday 5th March – 3.30pm-6.00pm – Parent Consultation Meetings

Wednesday 7th March – 5.00pm-7.30pm – Parent Consultation Meetings

Friday 23rd March – Sport Relief

Thursday 29th March – Last day of term

EASTER HOLIDAYS

Monday 16th April – First day of summer term