



# **PEARL HYDE COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL**

## **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 04/12//2015**

### **CHRISTMAS SALE**

This event has proved to be very popular again. If you have not purchased your presents yet it is not too late. The items cost a £1 each and will remain on sale until everything has been sold. Money should be brought into school in a named envelope.



### **HALF PRICE BOOK SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR**

Thank you to everyone who supported the sale. We hope you all enjoyed your bargains. The school has received £115 worth of free books as a result of the sale. We do not take as much commission on our November book fair to enable you to purchase the books at half price. The next book fair will be held in March. World Book Day vouchers will be available nearer the time to use at the fair.

### **PARENT CELEBRATION ASSEMBLIES**

4TH DECEMBER – 9.10 AM FOR KS1 PARENTS/CARERS  
11TH DECEMBER – 9.10 AM FOR KS2 PARENTS/CARERS

### **MAGICAL MATHS**

A representative from Magical Maths will be attending a school assembly on Monday. The children will receive their certificates at the Celebration assemblies on 4th and 11th December.

### **VACANCY – KIDZ ALOUD**

Kidz Aloud have a vacancy for a play worker. You will be required to work 20 hours a week for a split shift (1 hour in the morning and 3 hours in the evening).

No qualifications are required. If you are interested in this vacancy please contact Donna or Jane at Kidz Aloud.

### **TEACHER TRAINING DAYS – SCHOOL CLOSURE**

The next training days are:

Friday 12th February

Thursday 5th May (Local Elections)

Monday 6th June

### **CHRISTINGLE – COVENTRY CATHEDRAL**

The children in Year 4 will be participating along with other Coventry schools on Tuesday 8th December. The children will be back at school for a late lunch. The Cathedral is asking for a donation of £1 per Year 4 child. Please send this into school on Monday or Tuesday. The school is paying for the cost of the coach transport.

### **GLEE CLUB**

The Glee Club will be performing to their parents on 10th December at 6.00 pm. They will also be singing at Walsgrave Hospital on 9th + 10th December.

## SPORTS NEWS

**GIRLS FOOTBALL** – As you know the girls football team got through to the finals last Saturday at Christ the King School. We are pleased to announce that Pearl Hyde finished runners up in the whole competition coming in second place in the finals. Well done girls.

**CSF INTERSCHOOLS FOOTBALL COMPETITION** - Pearl Hyde competed at the AT7 Centre on Wednesday. They got through to the finals and narrowly missed winning but finished in silver medal position. A total of 26 schools took part in the competition.

**CSF INTERSCHOOLS ATHLETICS COMPETITION** – Pearl Hyde competed at the Alan Higgs centre on Thursday along with other Coventry Schools. We are pleased to announce Pearl Hyde finished in 3rd place.

## CONGRATULATIONS

You may have received a letter from The Benefits Service advising you that you may be eligible to claim for Free School Meals. If you have received a letter, please can I urge you to complete and return it as soon as possible. Even if you do not want your child to have a Free School Meal, by completing this letter you could raise up to an extra £1320 per annum for six years for your child's school (funded by central government). This can help to fund valuable teaching and learning support for your school

### Dates for your diary

Christmas Sale – 30<sup>th</sup> November onwards while stocks last

Christmas Jumper Day – 18th December – The children and staff are invited to wear their Christmas jumpers to school. Please make a donation of at least a pound on the day to raise money for charity.

**SCHOOL CLOSES FOR THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS AT THE END OF THE DAY ON FRIDAY 18TH DECEMBER**