

Parkside Primary School Newsletter



Friday 9th December 2022

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Weekly Update

We have been feeling extremely festive this week at Parkside with a number of Proud to be Parkside moments.

Thank you for your support on Monday at our school fayre and then round at the precinct for our community event. There was an phenomenal turn out and lots of festive cheer. Thank you to our PTFA for their dedication and hard work to provide such a super event.

Tuesday and Wednesday reminded us what Christmas is really all about as we enjoyed our Early Years and Key Stage One Nativity. The children, spoke, danced and sang with such confidence and enjoyment. We are all extremely proud of them!

On Thursday we had our Christmas dinner, which was enjoyed by all, the festive sing along in the hall also spread even more Christmas cheer.

Today our Year Three, Four and Five children have engaged in drama workshops with a West End theatre group. They have thoroughly enjoyed acting out the poem, The Night Before Christmas and the classic, A Christmas Carol. Have a lovely weekend and we will see you next week for our final week of the autumn term.

Attendance

Across the school attendance this week has been 96.1%, We hope all the children that have been poorly feel better soon! Please remember the school register closes at 8:55am. Please help us to ensure that children are in their classrooms prior to this time.

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Dates for your Diary

Monday 12 th December	Year 6 Coffee Morning 9.30-11.30
Wednesday 14 th December	KS1 Breakfast with Santa Year 3 and 4 Parents invited in for festive fun
Thursday 15 th December	EYFS Festive Fun in the Forest
Friday 16 th December	Christmas Jumper Day/Christmas Party Day
Tuesday 3 rd January	School and Little Explorers Open for Spring Term

Primary School Applications Reminder!



The deadline for getting in your Primary School applications is fast approaching! We would be more than happy to show you around the school or support you with completing the application process. Just give us a call on 01785 450145.

You can find more info below and the link of how to apply....

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PRIMARY SCHOOL ADMISSION SEPTEMBER 2023

If your child is due to start school next September you will need to submit an **online** application. The application process opens on **1 November 2022**.

Applications can be submitted at www.staffordshire.gov.uk/admissions and the deadline is **15 January 2023**.

The online system will ask for a UID number—please click ‘No UID’, this will allow you to continue with your application. You will receive the outcome of your application on 17 April 2023. Please make your neighbours and friends aware if they have children due to start school.

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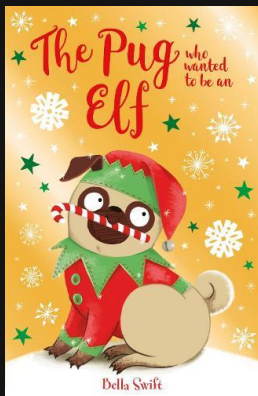
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Parkside Pantry

Thank you for your support in topping up our Parkside Pantry, it is now looking well stocked.

Our Parkside Pantry is available for everyone within our school and our local community. If you would like a bag of items making up for you then please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Over the forthcoming weeks we will be making up Christmas Treat bags, these will consist of some top up food items that can be enjoyed over the festive period.. Please contact the school office if you would like a bag.



Peggy and her family have won a dream winter holiday to Lapland! But sadly, Dad's work means that he can't go with them. Chloe is sad because their trip won't be as special if her whole family isn't together for Christmas. Peggy knows there's only one person who can help them - Santa Claus! Can she find a way to become an elf and work some Christmas magic?

The Christmasaurus is back! Get ready for the magical NEW festive adventure from bestselling author, Tom Fletcher!

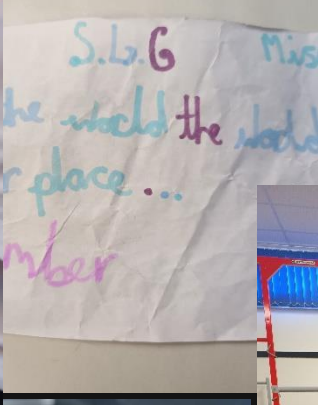
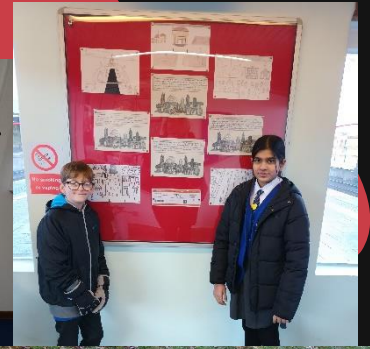


You know about the Naughty and Nice List, right? Santa's top-secret tracker that he ALWAYS checks twice? Well, this year, the Christmasaurus is on a mission to track down children who have found themselves on the Naughty List to help them put wrongs to rights, naughty to nice!

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Our Parkside Champion moments.....



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