

# NEWSLETTER

## 1 December 2017

### This week at Fair Furlong



Please remember there are NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS next Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> December due to YR/Y1 Christmas performance



*Tyntesfield - Fennel Class travelled back in time Wednesday as they spent the day in the Victorian world of Tyntesfield. We had a fantastic time exploring the beautiful chapel and sketching ideas from the stunning mosaics on the floors and walls so that we could use these to make our own mosaic tiles. In the*



*afternoon, we went around the outside of the house spotting 'hunky punks' which stick out from the top of the building. After sketching these and creating our own designs, we then went and made our own hunky punks out of clay. It was a totally 'art-tastic' day and we loved it!*

*Y5 Tree Planting - On Wednesday, Year 5 spent the morning planting trees in our school grounds. As part of the One Tree per Child Project, the children got to choose the type of trees that they wanted to plant around school and then, with the*



*support of John Atkinson and his team of volunteers from the project, plant them around school. As you can tell from the photos, the children had a great time and did a brilliant job!!*

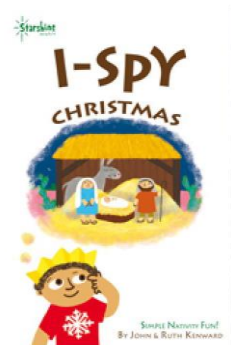
*Well done Year 5 and thanks to John Atkinson from One Tree per Child.*



*Nutmeg Class assembly - Well done to Nutmeg class who presented their class assembly today. We spoke all about their class name, Nutmeg, and one of our reporters paid us a visit to find out what makes life in our class so sweet!*

*All the children practised really hard and did everyone proud. Well done!*

*Gardening Club - On Wednesday, due to the rain, gardening club stayed indoors and did research into seeds. We looked at the packets to find out when we should plant them and when we could expect to see our flowers. Then we drew what we thought they should look like. Ellie Mae really concentrated and produced some great work.*



*This years' YR/1 performance is called I-Spy Christmas - The performances are on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 9am and Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December at 5pm. If you requested reserve tickets your child should have brought them home this week.*

**After School Clubs** - Your child should have brought an after school club letter home this week listing the different clubs available in term 3 and explaining how you need to register for them. Please ensure you read the letter as the registration process has changed. Please ring the school office if you have any questions.



Here is the Christmas tree all beautifully decorated with the ornaments that the children have made during the week. I'm sure you agree it looks great.

Cracker Sale - We will be having our Christmas cracker sale on Thursday 7th December at break time. They will be sold for 50p and pupils will be taking them home to open. If your child has any allergies please check the contents as they may contain a range of things. Thank you so much to all the families who have already made

crackers. If you are still planning on making a cracker for the sale you can send them in by the Thursday morning.



The children will be carol singing at B&M Monday 11 December. Your child will have brought a letter home with the time that they will sing. It would be lovely to see our parents/carers there supporting their children and the school.



Menu for the week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> December 2017 - Week 3:

Monday: BBQ chicken pizza & wedges : Cheese & tomato pizza : Salad bar

Tuesday: Gammon & roast potatoes : Cheese & tomato pinwheel

Wednesday: Meatballs in tomato sauce : Jacket potato, cheese & beans : Salad bar

Thursday: Chicken & roast potatoes : Red pepper frittata

Friday: Fish fingers & chips : Cheese & tomato pizza

Merit awards awarded for outstanding achievement throughout this term:



Enthusiasm: Ashton Trott; James Showering; Noah Thomas; Louis White; Dominik Kowalczyk

Challenge: Louis Bush; Mason Spencer

Learning Together: Gerard Skinner; Cameron Hall

Trust: Lily Bourton

Respect: Monasse Ntambwe; Oliver Delaney; Faith Pearce



## Attendance -

KS1 Position	Class	% Attendance	KS2 Position		Class	% Attendance
1 <sup>st</sup>	Juniper	97.3%	1 <sup>st</sup>		Star Anise	97.3%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Parsley	95.3%	2 <sup>nd</sup>		Cinnamon	95.4%
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nigella	93.3%	3 <sup>rd</sup>		Sorrel	95%
4 <sup>th</sup>	Sage	93.1%	4 <sup>th</sup>		Hibiscus	93.3%
5 <sup>th</sup>	Urfa	92%	5 <sup>th</sup>		Thyme	92.7%
5 <sup>th</sup>	Fennel	92%	6 <sup>th</sup>		Basil	91.7%
			7 <sup>th</sup>		Nutmeg	91%
			8 <sup>th</sup>		Black Pepper	88%

Attendance	Comment
99% - 100%	Outstanding
97% - 98%	Excellent
95% - 96%	Great (School attendance target is 95%)
93% - 94%	Satisfactory
Less than 93%	Must do better



Classopoly winners this week: Star Anise lunchtime party table and Juniper class visiting FFPS lollipops for the class

**AWARDS: Spelling Badges:** Lucy Baldwin; Lacie Perryman; Leo Pearce; Samantha Sherwell; Freya Grist; Zachary Campho-Smith; Rocco Mauro; Dylan Moore; Leo James; Jake Phillips; Oumie Barrow; Katie Harvard; Skyla Banfield; Milo Powell; Riley Jones; Millie Exon; Thomas Ames; Cassie Wootten; Hollie Bridges; Demi Harding; Deagon Barton; Oliver Goldyn; Aaliyah Viner; Ruby Mae Mosby; Alfie Baldwin; Sapphire Billing; Madalina Gherghel; Alfie Butler; Kaylee Beard; Jacob Cole; Ruby Portingale; Alice Brace; Zak Barnes; Kourtney Elliott; Zosia Radiewicz; Lily Watts; Kyle Williams; Grayson Wootten; Ella Steadman; Alanya Stone; Skye Smith; Cooper Wiltshire; Laci Parsons; Aditi Nair; Aiden Viner; Leah Tucker; Lily May Anstey; Mason Swatton; Faith Timbrell; Mollie Ward; Haydn Chapman; Ava Fry; Monasse Ntanbwe; Jason Junior Billings; Rosie Harcom; Mia Gursztyn; Mia Hatchett; Jessie Hoare; Reggii Lilley; Tommy Lee McGauley; Leisha Thatcher; Kaleb Barnes; Reisha Lei-Ann Davis; Jake Whitfield **Maths Badges:** Lacie-May Bodnarazek; Jake Whitfield; Poppy Heyward-Sperring; Aaliyah Viner; Leisha Thatcher; Reggii Lilley; Alfie Baldwin; Melissa Pfister; Cooper Wiltshire; Zosia Radziewicz; Jason Junior Billings; Sande Amollo; Ava Fry; Zachary Campho Smith; Freya Bedford; Lola Saint; Danny Harris; Olivia Leaman; Sam



Campho-Smith; Archie Collins; Archie Irwin; Ocean-Marie Hemmings; Olivia Lainchbury; Conner Priddis; Shelly Skinner; Grace Brown; Connie Bradley; Kiera Smith; Jake Jones; Cameron Hall; Lucy Collier; Nia Shaji; Shannon Storr; Jake Tucker **Lunchtime Legends:** Parsley **Golden Good Manners Table** Ella Steadman; Lewis Bateman; Hallie Hollis; Noah Thomas; Molly White; Lashonda Burke **Outside Achievements:** Amelie Bray for gymnastics; Brook Delaney achievements at Brownies for Craft, cooking & environment



Letters Home: After School Club registration Letter; Y3 swimming letters

### **LOST COAT!**

One of our children has lost his coat, it was purchased from Asda so has the 'George' brand it was either a 9/10 or 10/11 size. This is a new coat - maybe your child has brought it home by mistake as we have a similar but smaller one in our lost property. Would it be possible please to check your child's coat to see if we can locate the missing item. Many thanks.

### **Dates for your Diary: Term 2**

Tuesday 5 Dec	YR/YI Performance - 9.00am
Wednesday 6 Dec	YR/YI Performance - 5.00pm <b><u>NO CLUBS</u></b>
Friday 8 Dec	Thyme class assembly
Monday 11 Dec	Carol singing at B&M
Tuesday 12 Dec	Carol singing at Murford Residential Home
Tuesday 12 Dec	KS2 Christmas Carols 2.00pm Parents Welcome
Wednesday 13 Dec	Christmas Lunch - wear your Christmas Jumper! YN Christmas Parties
Thursday 14 Dec	Walk to school with Santa - 8.00am
Friday 15 Dec	Class Parties - 50p donation End of Term 2 <b><u>NO CLUBS</u></b>

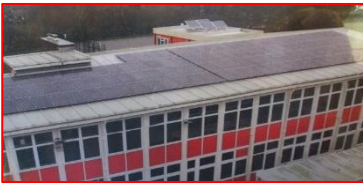
**Inset days for school year 17/18** - Tuesday 2 January, Monday 23 & Tuesday 24 July Friday 20 July last day of term

**There will be NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December or Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December**

**IMPORTANT!!!!** Applications for Reception 2018 are now open - deadline is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018  
[www.bristol.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.bristol.gov.uk/schooladmissions)

**Child Link** - You can go here to play games, have a go at their activities and talk to someone about some of your problems you can't sort out yourself.

**Telephone number: 0800 1111**



Solar Panel update: To date they have produced 47,631 kw of electricity, this is enough to run 7 school computers for 9,5263 hours, or 397 days!!



We are experiencing lots of sickness in school at the moment - please can you remind your children about good hygiene and hand washing. We have hand gels in every classroom. If your child is unfortunate enough to have a sickness bug please can you make sure that they are completely clear before sending them back to school - this is usually after 48 hours. Thank you for your support - help us to beat The Bug!