



It has been such a busy week at school, with so much going on!

Y4/5 Pantomime Visit

Yesterday, Y4 and Y5 went to see Cinderella at the Lyric Theatre in Hammersmith. Nadir found Cinderella's shoe under his chair and went up on stage! What a great experience for him; he was the star of the show!

Craft Sessions

Children in Year 1 – Year 4 have been involved in some craft sessions to create magnets for the Winter Community Event. This takes place after school on 17th December and we will be walking down to Danebury Avenue with glow sticks. Please do come along! I will give you more information nearer the time.

Y6 visit to Ibstock School

It was a pleasure to go with Y6 on Wednesday to watch Beauty and the Beast, performed by the students of Ibstock School. We were all overwhelmed by the exceptional quality of the performance.

As some lights were turned on, there was a spiral-effect on the roof. It was funny when the wolves started howling! Our favourite character was the beast. Abdi and Riley 6B

Clubs

These take place as normal this week but will not run in the final week of term. We will get the letters out for the Spring clubs as soon as we can. There will definitely be a KS2 dance club on a Wednesday.

School Improvement

On Tuesday, we had our Primary Quality Mark Interim Assessment. An assessor spent the afternoon looking around the school and talking to me and Miss Durston (Literacy Leader). He gave very positive feedback and praised the consistency of the learning walls, our classroom environments and the use of libraries and book corners. He also spoke positively about our vocabulary triangles that we have introduced in class. On Monday and Tuesday of next week, we are being visited by 5 headteachers to conduct a review of the school. I will let you know how this goes next week.

Christmas Fair

Our Fair will take place after school on Friday. School closes at 2.45pm, when the fair starts. It will run as normal; you will need to buy tokens to use at the stalls. There will be a table selling tokens and I will also be around selling tokens too so look out for me! The raffle tickets will be sold for cash and the food from the kitchen will also use cash. Please bring plenty of change with you! If you would like to help, please speak to Mrs Kennedy. We look forward to seeing you all there.

Christmas the Alton Activity Centre

Orode is hosting a Christmas Day Cook Out at The Alton Activity Centre. 1pm – 6pm on Christmas Day – food is free – all are welcome. If you would like to contribute some food or a gift for the lucky dip, please contact Orode on 07492 501791.

Alton Road Parking Suspension

Please be aware, there will be a parking suspension outside Pocklington Court on Tuesday Morning.

Attendance

We have 2 weeks left until we break up and our school attendance is currently at 95.8%. This is really great news so please keep it up!

	Events	Clubs
Monday 9 th December		Football - Y1,2,3,4 - Tim Football Y4,5 -Matt
Tuesday 10 th December	Some Reception Children to Woodcote Garden Centre	Tag Rugby – Y4,5,6 –Matt KS2 Fitness Club
Wednesday 11 th December	Y1 and Y2 magnet making session Some Reception Children to Woodcote Garden Centre	Multisports –Pro Touch Coaches Y2-Y6
Thursday 12 th December	Y6 Ice Skating Some Reception Children to Woodcote Garden Centre Ms De Mel (new 2C teacher) visiting for the day	Dodgeball -Y1,2,3,4 Tim
Friday 13 th December	Christmas Jumper Day Nursery and Reception – The Clumsiest Elf Christmas Fair – school ends at 2.45pm	