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## 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2022

## Points to note:

### Date Reminders:

#### Saturday 3rd December

- PTA Christmas Fair, 1 – 4pm

## Reminder: Wednesday 7th December

- Flu vaccinations in school all day, you must have signed up <u>by the end of today</u> (see separate emails)

## Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December

- Children's Christmas lunch (must have been pre-ordered)
- Wear a Christmas jumper day doesn't need to be new (pre-loved ones for sale at the Christmas Fair on 3<sup>rd</sup> December) or bought, just decorate a jumper you already have.
   Donations (£2 suggested) will go to Save the Children charity.

#### **NEW:** Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December

- 'Aladdin' pantomime in school, see separate email for details

#### Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December

- Reception performance for parents/carers, 9.30am in the Main Hall at school

#### Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December

- Year 1, Year 2, Year 3 and Acer class performance, 9.30am at St Michael's Church, Beckenham
- Year 4, Year 5, Year 6 and Ash class performance, 1.45pm at St Michael's Church, Beckenham

## Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December

- Year 6 'VE Day'
- Last day of Autumn term

#### **Tuesday 3rd January**

- INSET day – school closed to children

#### Wednesday 4th January

- First day of Spring term, return to school at the usual times

## Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you so much for all your contributions to the PTA Christmas Fair tomorrow, we were deluged by bottles and prizes this morning and thank you again to all those organising what is shaping up to be a great event!

I look forward to seeing you there!

Sarah Atherton, Headteacher



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## Year 6 Visit Chislehurst Caves



As part of our learning about World War 2, we went to Chislehurst Caves because it was used as a public shelter during the war. There was a display of the bunk beds people would have used - it cost 6p for adults and 3p for children to stay for a week.

We learnt that you could fit 15,000 people in the caves and they went on for miles. We were surprised by how dark it was and how loud noises echoed around the caves. It was an experience we will never forget!

#### by Ruby and Hollie-Mae

## Year 3 Learning at City Gate Church

Yesterday we went to City Gate church near our school.

I found out about that there are lots of different bibles. The kid's ones have pictures and the adult ones have 66 books in them. We also heard some of the stories Jesus told.

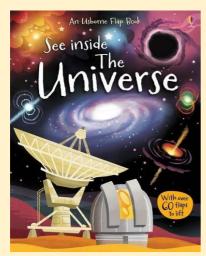
The Pastor told us that on a Sunday the church has a band with lots of different instruments and singers and she played some fun games with us.

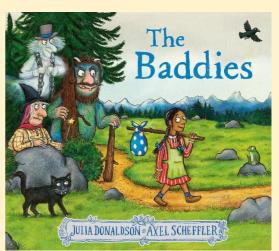
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## **Birthday Book Donations**

Thank you and happy birthday to Freddie for 'See Inside the Universe' and also to Ramona for 'The Baddies'.





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# Class Assembly Dates 2022/23

Class assemblies will be held in the school's Main Hall, starting at 2.45pm.

## **Spring Term**

26.01.23 Oak 02.02.23 Silver Birch 02.03.23 Hickory 09.03.23 Sumac 16.03.23 Olive 23.03.23 Ash

## Summer Term

 04.05.23
 Cherry

 11.05.23
 Rowan

 18.05.23
 Palm

 25.05.23
 Acer

 15.06.23
 Beech

# Term Dates 2022/23

## <u>Autumn Term</u>

Last day of Autumn 2 term: Friday 16 December

## Spring Term

Inset Day: Tuesday 3 January – school closed to children First day of Spring 1 term: Wednesday 4 January Last day of Spring 1 term: Friday 10 February Spring half term holiday: Monday 13 February – Friday 17 February First day of Spring 2 term: Monday 20 February Last day of Spring 2 term: Friday 31 March

## Summer Term

Inset Day: Monday 17 April – school closed to children First day of Summer 1 term: Tuesday 18 April Bank holiday: Monday 1 May – school closed to children Bank holiday: Monday 8 May – school closed to children Last day of Summer 1 term: Friday 26 May Spring half term holiday: Monday 29 May – Friday 2 June Inset Day: Monday 5 June – school closed to children First day of Summer 2 term: Tuesday 6 June Last day of Summer 2 term: Friday 21 July

Term dates for 2023/24 to be released shortly