



STARS OF THE WEEK

Darcie Barclay
Cobi Moore
Maiya Farmer
Alfie Murray
Billie-Jo Simpson
Thomas Handyside
Maisie Spuhler

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK

Our School Target is 97%

LAST WEEK : 93.6%

Nursery (Seahorses)	-87.9%
Reception (Turtles)	- 93.0%
Year 1 (Jellyfish)	- 92.7%
Year 2 (Puffins)	- 87.0%
Year 3 (Sharks)	- 96.3%
Year 4 (Penguins)	- 98.8%

Well Done Penguins!

2023/24 SCHOOL DIARY

Mon 13th—Weds 15th November	Year 4 visit to Robinwood Activity Centre
Monday 13th November	3.15-5.00 Year 1 PTA Movie Night
Tuesday 14th November	3.15-5.00 Year 2 PTA Movie Night
Wednesday 15th November	3.15-5.00 Year 3 PTA Movie Night
Friday 17th November	Children in Need Day—Spotty Theme
Wednesday 22nd November	3.15-5.00 Year 4 PTA Movie Night
Thursday 30th November	9.00am Christingle Assembly
Thursday 30th November	3.15pm Christmas Fair and Craft Night
Tuesday 5th December	Y1-Y4 Children—Christmas Carol Pantomime (in school)
NEW Monday 11th December	9.15am OR 2.00pm Early Years/Y1 Christmas Performance
NEW Sunday 17th December	11am- Choir Carol Singing at Harbour Village
NEW Monday 18th December	2.00pm - Y2,Y3 and Y4 Christmas Performance
NEW Tuesday 19th December	9.15am OR 2.00pm - Y2,Y3 and Y4 Xmas Performance
NEW Wednesday 20th December	1.30pm-Nativity Service at St Cuthbert's Church
NEW Thursday 21st December	Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day
NEW Friday 22nd December	Christmas Party Day
Friday 22nd December	2PM - School Closes for Christmas Break
NEW Tuesday 9th January 2024	SCHOOL REOPENS FOR SPRING TERM
ALL HOLIDAY DATES FOR 2023-24 and 2024-25 CAN BE FOUND ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE HERE .	



BBC CHILDREN IN NEED-NEXT FRIDAY

Next Friday we will be helping to raise some money for Children in Need as we do every year. Today, the children will receive a small labelled bag of sweets; firstly the children should eat the sweets and then we ask that they fill the bag back up with any spare change and return it to school by next Friday. On Friday, children are invited to come to school in either SPOTTY THEMED CLOTHES or non-uniform in return for a donation of £1. Over the years we've been very successful in raising thousands of pounds for Children in Need and hope to be just as successful again this year.

PTA MOVIE NIGHTS NEXT WEEK

On Monday to Wednesday next week we have the first of our PTA movie nights. See diary for the date of your child's class movie night. Children are invited to stay after school to watch a movie on the big screen with their friends. For just £3.00 each, children will also enjoy a hotdog, sweets and a drink. Children should bring their pyjamas, pillow and duvet/sleeping bag with them to school in a named bag on the morning of their movie. Children must be collected from their usual exit door at 5pm



Planning for our Christmas Fair and Craft night which will take place on **Thursday**

30th November is now well underway. To help the event run successfully we are looking for donations of the following:

RAFFLE PRIZES - perhaps you know a local business that would be willing to donate a prize or voucher.

TOMBOLA ITEMS - bottles, tins, smellies etc
CHRISTMAS JUMPERS - we'll once again run our pre-loved Christmas jumper stall

YOUR TIME- can you spare an hour or two on the day to help? Setting up, helping on a stall. If so please let Mrs Dellbridge know.

DOODLEMATHS PRIZES

In order to encourage children to stay in the Greenzone at all times by using Doodlemaths regularly for short periods (as this is the most effective way to support learning). We plan to start giving small 'spot prizes' out for children who are in the Greenzone at different times of the week other than just a Friday.

ADVENT CALENDAR RAFFLE

In the run up to December our PTA are running an Advent Calendar raffle. We have three different calendars - Barbie with a full size doll and accessories, Roblox with six exclusive figures and a No.17 Beauty calendar with full size products. Each will be raffled separately and drawn in assembly on 1st December just in time to open the first doors. Tickets are on sale from the office now at £1 a strip

NEW MENUS—MEAL ORDERING

Our new winter school meal menus start next week. We have recently noticed a reduction in the number of children who are ordering meals at home with parents as requested. Parents are asked to go through school meal menus WITH their children and pre-order through SchoolGrid. This saves us lots of time each morning and ensures that your child chooses a meal that you know they will enjoy.



BAG2SCHOOL

Thanks to everyone who brought in bags for yesterday's collection. Over £150 was raised towards PTA funds that are used for a range of extras for our children