

Attendance

Attendance this week :

Overall school –96.5%
 Reception—97.6%
 Class 1—97.8%
 Class 2 – 97.0%
 Class 3—96.6%
 Class 4—97.6%
 Class 5—97.5%
 Class 6—93.0%
 Class 7—94.1%

Headteacher

As a school we are always trying to find ways to help you support your children in their learning as this is a key partnership, hence our reading workshop yesterday. Unfortunately, the attendance at this meeting was low, we do understand work commitments may prevent 'working families' accessing this kind of workshop so we would appreciate any suggestions you may have on alternative ways for us to work together. Power-points and handouts will be available on the website from this meeting.
 Thank you for your support in ensuring our attendance figure stays above the National average—this is amazing!

Louise Dollery

On line safety

With Christmas season fast approaching could we please remind you about the risk of posting pictures of the children on line. Once posted and shared online any image or video can be copied and will stay online forever. Some of our children are at risk and **MUST NOT** have their images put online or some people do not want their images online for other personal or religious reasons which could lead to unforeseen circumstances.

Therefore, at Palmer's Cross, we are happy for parents and carers to take photos and video events for personal use but **insist** that these images are not distributed or put online in any way. This is to protect all members of the school community. More information can be found on our website.

Wild life Trust -Tree scheme

Earlier this week some of the children took part in planting some trees on our school grounds which have been donated by the Wildlife Trust. This was hard work but the children had an enjoyable time and hopefully in years to come, it will create a 'woodland' area for outside learning.



Charity events



Children in need raised £420 -Thank You!



On 12th December, Christmas meal day, the children will be invited to wear a Christmas jumper to raise money for UNICEF

Success

Football team won 11—1 against St Peter and Pauls Primary school!
 Netball team won 7—2 against Elston Hall Primary School.

Well done!

Lego challenge

Four of our year 6 boys took part in a lego challenge at Wolverhampton Art Gallery. They came 2nd in their heat and they are through to the final!

New events

- Tuesday 5th December Reception and Year 1 trip to see Santa
- Thursday 7th December—PTA Christmas disco

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 19th September—Reception parent meeting (reading + writing) 2.30pm

Thursday 28th September—Year 6 SATs meeting 6.00pm

Tuesday 3rd October—Reception parent meeting (Maths focus)

Tuesday 10th October—House point reward afternoon

Wednesday 11th October—Parents evening 3.15—5.00pm

Thursday 12th October—Parents evening 4.30—6.30pm

Thursday 12th October—Key stage 2 trip to Theatre

Friday 20th October—'dress in own clothes day' to raise money for Wolves for Wolves

Friday 20th October—Break up for half term

School closed—Monday 23rd to Friday 27th October

INSET Monday 30th October

Tuesday 31st October—Children return to school

Tuesday 31st October—NHS Flu vaccinations

Wednesday 1st November—Phonic meeting for Year 1 parents

Thursday 2nd November—Dance team perform at the civic centre

Friday 3rd November—Year 4 swimming lessons

Thursday 16th November - School photographer

Tuesday 5th December—Reception and Year 1 trip to see Santa

Thursday 7th December -PTA Christmas disco(details to follow)

Monday 18th December—Beauty and the Beast panto (in school)

Wednesday 20th December—Christmas party day

Wednesday 20th December—Break up for Christmas holidays

School closed Monday 25th December to January 1st January

INSET Tuesday 2nd January

Wednesday 3rd January—Children return to school

Christmas performances

Year 2/3 –Tuesday 12th December 9.15am and 2.00pm

Reception/Year 1—Thursday 14th December 9.15am and 2.00pm

Nursery am pupils—11.30am

Nursery pm pupils—2.45pm

Years 4, 5 and 6—Tuesday 19th December—2.00pm and 6.30pm

