

Christmas Flyer

20 December 2024

Moment of the Week

MPA Choir went to Holm Court on Wednesday afternoon to sing Christmas songs to the residents. They received many smiles and many residents sung along! After singing, they were able to spend some time speaking to the residents, which everybody enjoyed. Thank you to choir for building relationships in our community and spreading some Christmas cheer!



Headteacher 's Outstanding Achievement Award (Gold Badge)

| Molly | Small Blues | | |
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| Archie \$ | Holly Blues | | |
| Maxwell | Adonis Blues | | |
| Cherish | Chalk Hill Blues | | |
| Gracie | Royal Blues | | |
| Isla | Silver Studded Blues | | |





| House | Andromeda | Orion | Pegasus | Phoenix |
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| Points | 2945 | 2729 | 2459 | 2575 |

Messages from Staff:

Learning Power Cup

Well done to Lillyanna in Year 6 who was awarded the cup for the Autumn Term. She is a positive role model to so many. She will always think of others before herself.

House Cup

This term, Andromeda have won the House Cup. Well done to Ollie and Benjamin for their superb leadership this term. On Friday 17 January, Andromeda can wear something blue to celebrate their achievement.

Attendance 9 - 13 December

| | Small Blues | Holly Blues | Adonis Blues | Chalk Hill Blues | Royal Blues | Silver Studded Blues | Whole School Since Sept |
|---|-------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| l | 88.33% | 97.00% | 100.00% | 91.58% | 93.00% | 91.67% | 95.58% |

Adonis Blues will receive a class reward after Christmas for having the highest attendance last week.

Thank you

Huge thanks to the MPA team for their hard work in December with the extras they have provided for the MPA community. From buffet lunches, to carol concerts, to nativities to fabulous finishes plus lots more. Thanks you team MPA for sprinkling festive magic.

Staffing

As you will be aware today is Mrs Dodwell's last day as she prepares for her new role in January. We know that she will be missed as she has given a lot to the community. We are currently recruiting for a pastoral lead and a forest school lead. These applications close in January. There will be some temporary time tabling and staffing changes and these will be communicated to you in the new year.

PTFA Hamper Winners

Small Blues - Darcey Y, Holly Blues - Kobi (Yr 1), Finley (Yr 2), Adonis Blues - Maddie, Chalk Hill Blues - Osian, Royal Blues - Lyla, Silver Studded Blues - Benjhie. The total raised from the PTA Raffle was £276.00. Thank you for your support.

Reading Awards

We were thrilled to give out 77 reading awards across the school for children who have read three times every week this term. These children have received a bronze star badge and a golden ticket, allowing them a cosy afternoon on Friday 10 January where **they can bring in their PJs or cosy clothes to change into**. They will also then come together to read with squash and biscuits. Well done to all who earnt this!

House Challenge

The winners of the Christmas Bauble Decoration Competition:

Small Blues - Molly, Holly Blues - Darcie-Mae, Adonis Blues - Bodhi, Chalk Hill Blues - Alby, Royal Blues - Rose, Silver Studded Blues - Ramlah. They won 20 house points for their team.

St Mary's Church

This Christmas the church supported some families with providing a TESCO voucher to help ease the financial burden. This is a very kind gesture and I know will be valued by so many. It would mean a lot if families could email the office and say thank you. We can then forward to the church.

We wish you all a very merry Christmas and a peaceful new year.

w/c 6 January

Menu Week 1

Monday

PD Day - No children in School.

<u>Tuesday</u>

Children Return to School. Small Blues PE. Holly Blues PE. Library Session Week 1 -Small Blues, Holly Blues and Adonis Blues.

<u>Wednesday</u>

Chalk Hill Blues 11 B4 11 Promise - Sleeping Beauty @ Wolsey Theatre. Adonis Blues PE. Silver Studded Blues PE. Royal Blues PE (This week only).

Thursday

Small Blues Outdoor Learning. Chalk Hill Blues PE. <u>Friday</u> Holly Blues PE.

Upcoming Dates

14 - 15 January

Golden Ticket Day.

Bikeability Yr 6 - Children will need a roadworthy bike and helmet.

17 January

Andromeda to wear something blue.

