

Ashton St. Peter's Primary School

Newsletter 14



'To seek to open our hearts and minds to the love of God and learning'

Our value for December is Love

"Love life and life will love you back. Love people and they will love you back"

16th December 2016

Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you

On behalf of all the staff and Governors at Ashton St Peter's I would like to thank our parents and grandparents for all the support they have given to the school this term. We have been able to share many memorable occasions, such as grandparents day and school trips to St Albans and The Grove for example. Without your support, these opportunities would not be able to happen. Thank you everyone!

Ballet Performance

On Thursday, 15th December the children who participate in the lunchtime ballet club staged a performance for friends and family. This was a wonderful opportunity to see how well the children have been listening and practicing within their classes. Congratulations to you all on a wonderful performance!

Christmas Jumper Day

We have managed to raise over £150 today for charity by wearing our Christmas jumpers. There were lots of twinkling lights, music and dodgy reindeers to be seen. Thank you all!

Christingle

On our return to school we will be distributing the Christingle candles in preparation for our service on Friday, 6th January. Thank you.

School Closure - Important Notice

Please note that in the event of any school closures such as snowfall over the coming months we will endeavour to remain open. All parents should register with the Central Bedfordshire "State of Schools" portal. You will then receive email alerts if our school does close for any reason. The website to register is: www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/webApps/SOS. If there is snowfall during the night we will keep our registers open for longer so there is no need to telephone the school to say your child will be late in.

Pebble Music Christmas Workshops

Pebble Music will be running Christmas music workshops on 20th, 21st, 22nd, 28th and 29th December. They will be running two sessions per day at 9:30am to 12:30pm and 2:30pm to 5:30pm, however, Thursday sessions are all day bookings only. If you would like further information please contact info@pebble-music.co.uk, message the team at www.facebook.com/pebblemusicschool or call Chris on: 07581 812784.

Attendance

Congratulations to Year 2 who had the highest attendance last week. Well done!

1st	Year 2	98.6%
2nd	Year 3	97.6%
3rd	Year 4	96.4%
4th	Year 5	95.3%
5th	Year R	94.2%
6th	Year 6	92.5%
7th	Year 1	88.9%

I would like to thank all parents for their continued support.

We would like to wish you all a very happy and peaceful Christmas and New Year. We look forward to seeing you all on Wednesday, 4th January 2017.

Best wishes

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