



# NEWSLETTER

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2023

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## Message from Mrs Munro

Everyone has been very busy this week in school with lots of wonderful learning. I have taught in all classes so it has once again been fantastic to talk to our children about their learning.

Open the Book visited us again this week. It was lovely to see them in school delivering yet another wonderful assembly to our children - something they always tell me they thoroughly enjoy.

More building work has been happening this week in school thanks to the grant from the lottery funding bid we received. The new outside shelter will be used by our children for their outdoor learning as well as be available for the community during weekends and school holidays.

Thank you to all of our grandparents that came into school today - it is always nice to have visitors in and around school and particularly today where they were sharing their childhood memories of school and their favourite childhood books.

Please note some key diary date changes in yellow on the calendar opposite. We have had to cancel the PCSO parent E-safety workshop for this half term and will let you know of the new date once this has been rescheduled.

As always, I am available before and after school should you wish to speak to me about anything at all.

Mrs Munro

## Dates for your Calendar

27.1.2023	Grandparents Afternoon
1.2.2023	Y5/6 Basketball A Tournament
	KS1 SATS Information. Presentation to be sent out - No Face-to Face meeting
6.2.2023	Y3/4 Basketball A Tournament
16.2.2023	Reception - Stay and Learn (PM)
17.2.2023	School Closes (Half term)
27.2.2023	School Opens
2.3.2023	World Book Day
6.3.2023	Y5/6 Basket B Tournament
13.2.2023	Y5/6 Tag Rugby A Tournament
	Parents Evening Face to Face Virtual - <b>March not Feb</b> - Dates will be the newsletter after half term - <b>14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> March</b>
17.3.2023	Red Nose Day/Comic Relief
22.3.2023	Reception - Stay and Learn (AM)

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## ATTENDANCE

Reception	91%
Class 1	99%
Class 2	94%
Class 3	94%

## HOUSE POINTS

<b>BROOKS</b>	112
<b>PEEL</b>	119
<b>PATTON</b>	152
<b>MAINWARING</b>	97

## STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Mina
Reception	Jenson
Class 1	Halle
Class 1	Lenny
Class 2	Alayna
Class 2	Ivor
Class 3	Alex
Class 3	Isla

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## Request for Absence

The Principal will not grant **any** leave of absence during term time unless there are exceptional circumstances. It is important for parents to understand that they have no entitlement to take their child out of school for a holiday in term time. Peover Superior uses a specific request form for any absences. We believe this complies with current regulations. This form can be found on the website.

The LA will issue Fixed Penalty Notices related to irregular unauthorised absences and unauthorised. Failure to make payment will result in the LA taking legal action for failure to ensure regular attendance at school under Section 444 (1) Education Act 1996.

## Friendly Reminders

- As the weather is still cold and wet please could children ensure they have a waterproof coat, old trainers/wellies so that they are prepared for all weathers and can continue to be outdoors.
- Please can children have their water bottles with them daily and a healthy option break-time snack - **this should be an appropriate portion so that our children eat and enjoy their lunchtime meal.**
- Just a friendly reminder that the back gate will be open each morning and after school for the school taxi and for disabled access use only. This is to ensure safety of all children.
- Just a friendly reminder that dogs are not allowed on our school premises - thank you for your support with this.

## PTA

Thank you to everyone who attended the *Coffee and Cake* last Friday - there was lots of wonderful fundraising ideas to help raise much needed funds for school.

So far, this academic year the PTA have helped to purchase books, maths resources and a new minibeast rug for reception. We are now looking at ways to raise funds for new iPads in classrooms and to update our classroom SMART boards.

## Safe Parking & Dogs

A polite reminder when dropping off children in the morning to park safely. Please do not park on the zig zag lines and where possible try to use the lay-by areas, and not park directly outside of the school. This will ensure the safety of everyone crossing at this busy time.

Also, we have been asked to remind families that dogs are not permitted in the park opposite the school.

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## Sustainability - Top Tip of The Week

### *Draught-proof Windows & Doors*

Another sustainable living tip which will save energy as well as money is simply draught-proofing doors and windows. It can reduce the energy required to heat your home in the colder months, and could give you an extra £20 in your pocket each year.

It all adds up!



## Reading to your child

It might seem like everything has gone digital, but books still play a very important part in school life.

As well as giving your child a head start, developing a love of reading can be really enjoyable.



Make books and stories part of everyday life:

- Build a reading story into a routine, e.g. a story at bedtime.
- Stick your feet up and let your child see your reading a book.
- Go to the library so your child can choose some books to borrow for free.
- Read in fun places, e.g. a den made from blankets.
- Give books as birthday presents - this will show you value them.
- Keep books in your bag or the car.

## Safeguarding Tip of the Week

### *Making a 999 emergency call*

Teaching your child to call 999 in an emergency could save a life. Click on the link below to watch a short video explaining how to call 999.

Children should know how to call 999, their home address and how to open their front door.

- Dial 999
- Know your address
- Stay on the line
- Only call 999 in an emergency!



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZxzewVTDas0>

## Online Safety Tip of the Week

Welcome to our 'Online Safety Tip of the Week'. On each newsletter, we will provide you with some useful hints, tips, guides and fact sheets from the [National Online Safety \(NOS\)](#) website that you as parents and carers will be able to use to help keep your child safe whilst online.



This week's free online safety guide focuses on 'How to set up parental controls on iPhones to limit content and ensure that is age-appropriate'. The parental controls on iPhones allow you to block or restrict certain apps, features, content, downloads, or purchases. Setting limitations on content ratings, Siri and web searches enables you to filter out age-inappropriate content and vastly reduce the likelihood of your children being exposed to unsuitable material and information.



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PTA Events

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FRIDAY 31ST MARCH

OWN CLOTHES DAY

CHOCOLATE FOUNTAIN

DAZZLE THE CLOWN SHOW

BUNNY VISIT

THIS IS A PTA EVENT - PLEASE HAND  
IN £10 TO SCHOOL WITH YOUR  
CHILDS NAME ON.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING!

HAPPY EASTER x



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