



# NEWSLETTER

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2023

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## Message from Mrs Munro

Another week has flown by and all of our children and staff have been really busy. Lessons, which I have either taught in or had the opportunity to pop into, have been a buzz of excitement with all of our children developing confidence, resilience, independence and above all curiosity in their learning.

A key focus for us as a school is our three core values - Care, Achieve and Believe. Every day our staff are passionate about ensuring our children are fully embracing these values through our PSHE lessons and My HappyMinds sessions. The work that is produced in class floor-books and the pupil voice about these sessions really shows how our children understand the importance of our values in order to care about themselves and others and how to be aspirational and believe in themselves - it is truly wonderful to talk to our children about our school values and how we can develop our school further by using these even more.

Also this week, we have received some beautiful cards, messages and gifts from our grandparents who attended last week's grandparent afternoon. It has been wonderful to have such lovely feedback about their afternoon - we are all delighted that they had such a fantastic time in school with their grandchildren and staff would like to thank them for their kind words and gifts.

Just a note that we had to postpone Number Day from this Friday, and are hoping to reschedule this important NSPCC event for the first Friday back after the half term - Mrs Ellis-Standfield and myself will keep you posted about the date.

Have a wonderful weekend with your families - and we will see you all again next week!

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

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
13.3.2023	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	100%
Class 1	96%
Class 2	93%
Class 3	98%

## HOUSE POINTS

<b>BROOKS</b>	132
<b>PEEL</b>	120
<b>PATTON</b>	138
<b>MAINWARING</b>	72

## STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Lilli
Reception	James
Class 1	Sienna
Class 1	Rupert
Class 2	Hollie
Class 2	Lizzie
Class 3	Willow
Class 3	India

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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.

## Safe Parking & Dogs

Just 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.

Thank you for your support with this.

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## Sustainability - Top Tip of The Week

### *Think twice before shopping*

"Reduce, Reuse, Recycle" may feel retro, but it's just as important today as when the phrase was first coined. Every product we purchase has an environmental footprint, from the materials used to create it to the pollution emitted during manufacturing to the packaging that ends up in landfills. So before you buy, ask yourself if you really need it. If you do, consider buying gently used instead of new, and look for minimal packaging and shipping.



## 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 you 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

### *Top tips for keeping children safe around dogs*

- Never leave a child unattended with a dog - even for a few minutes
- Dogs may be protective of their bowls, toys or food so children should always leave a safe distance around these
- Never let your child approach dogs they don't know. Always ask the owner if it's okay for their dog to be petted.
- Let sleeping dogs lie! Never let children disturb a resting or sleeping dog.
- Practice safe hygiene between your dog and children. Encourage children to wash their hands after petting or playing with the dog.



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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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Our week in Photos...

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