



PENSBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear families,

Pensby and Stanley

This week Miss Grant is preparing to work with Stanley Staff on developing our shared Forest school. This is a very exciting project and we hope to see lots of the children from both schools out there very soon.

We have also had a joint school letterhead designed and we are very excited about that. It is a blend of the 2 school logos and colours and looks stunning.

The joint 2020 shared calendar is also underway. Watch out for details of how to pre order your copies.

CAROL WAGON – A reminder about this year's event - The more adults who can come along to help the more we can collect! Our night this year is **Monday 2nd December**. We usually meet at about 5.45pm and run around madly for 2 hours – it's a great workout! We have about 15 volunteers so far, but a few more would be fabulous – if you can come along to help please email the school office and let us know.

FIREWORKS – huge thanks go to the PTA for organizing a stunning evening. Every year I think "Can they get any better?" and every year the display beats the one from the year before! It was so nice to welcome many Stanley families to the event and opening up the atrium for those who don't like loud bangs (or who felt a bit cold!) certainly went down well. Thank you too, to those wonderful families who came along to support the event. It is hugely appreciated!

OTHER PTA EVENTS

A whole host of Christmas events are coming your way! Please note the dates carefully as a few have moved around!

Thursday 28th November – PTA film night - £4 per child

Thursday 5th December – Reception and KS1 PTA visit to Chester Zoo – FREE!!!

Friday 6th December – Family breakfast - £1.50 per person – child or adult!!

Friday 6th December – Children's Xmas fair £3.50 per child

Tuesday 10th Dec – Reception and KS1 Christmas performances at 9.30am and 5.00pm

Wednesday 11th December – KS2 Christmas performances at 2.00pm and 5.30pm

Thursday 12th December – KS2 PTA visit to the zoo – FREE

Friday 13th December – Christmas jumper day - £1 donation

Friday 13th December – Children's Christmas dinner – free for KS1 and Reception, £2 for other children.

Please note, for each Christmas performance families can order up to 2 tickets for each performance. Each ticket costs £1. Evening performances are for adult and school aged children only – no under school aged children. The KS1 9.30am performance and KS2 5.00pm performance will have a crèche facility at a cost of £1 per child. Please book in to use this.



You will receive an email from the school office detailing payments for these events that can be made through Parent Mail. Please keep a look out for the email and following email. There are cut off dates for events and we cannot go beyond these.

2019 Poppy and Remembrance Day

On Monday 11th November, the whole school came together in the central atrium and observed 2 minutes silence as part of the national Remembrance Day events. The children were superb and thought very hard about the meaning of the event.

During the week the children in the school had created their own memorial for Remembrance Day. In Stanley, a tree of Remembrance was created and Pensby Pupils added some of their poppies to the memorial. It was a very fitting and warm way to mark the event.



And finally,

Keep your fingers crossed on Friday!! The Federation schools will find out if we have won the **ECO Award** as part of the Educate Awards. It's a great honour to have been nominated!

Mrs. K Brown
Headteacher