

Marsh Hill Newsletter

December 2nd 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this newsletter finds you well.

Lost Property

Have you noticed that your child is coming home with fewer and fewer of their personal belongings? Not only do we have a growing pile of lost property, but the majority of it is not even named! Please check through the Lost Property box located in the reception office area by **Thursday 15th December**. After this date, any unclaimed items will be sent to charity.

December Value of the Month

If you and your friends have trust, equality, compassion, honesty, and independence, you already have the foundation of a strong and healthy friendship. Even though it can be hard to recognise when a friendship is weak in some areas, it is always possible to improve yourself and your relationship with a friend.

Children in Need

A big thank you to the whole of our school community for raising £304 for so many worthwhile charities. You have, as always, been incredibly generous to those less fortunate than ourselves.



Christmas Post Box

The post box is now available for children to post their cards to friends and teachers in school. Please make sure that all cards are clearly marked with the child's/teacher's name and class.

Winter Clothing

Now that the weather has turned colder, please ensure that your child attends school in a coat, and preferably with a hat and gloves. Please also ensure that these items (as with their school uniform) are labelled, as this makes it easier to return misplaced items to their rightful owner.

Christmas Performances

Wednesday 7th December

9am Rainbows families

2pm Sunshine's families

Tuesday 13th December

KS1 carol concert 9am and 2pm

Wednesday 14th December

Year 3/4 carol concert 9am and 2pm

Thursday 15th December

Year 5/6 carol concert 9am and 2pm

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas Jumper Day 2022

On Thursday 8th December, it is Christmas Jumper Day. Once again, we will be doing our bit in our festive knits and raising lots of money for Save the Children.

We are requesting a donation of £1 to join in the festive fun!

If children do not have a Christmas jumper, they can wear something Christmas related.

We can't wait to see you looking fabulously festive on Thursday 8th December!

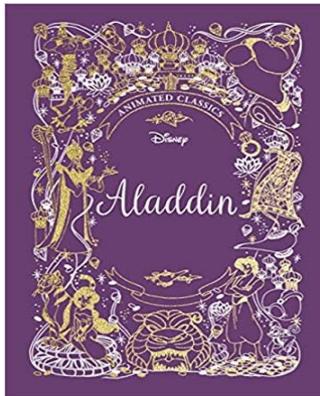


Teacher Training Day

The school term ends on Friday 16th December at 1.00 pm for the Christmas Holidays. School re-opens for all pupils on Wednesday 4th January. This is because Tuesday 3rd January is Teacher Training Day.

Book Review

This week's Book Review is by Shaker from Year 6. Shaker's favourite book is Aladdin which is a classic 'rags to riches' story featuring a young hero, a beautiful princess, an evil villain, and made complete with a magical genie. It has come to be one of the best known and most retold fairy tales of all time.



Shaker: "Aladdin is adventurous and I like adventure stories. My favourite part is when Aladdin rescues his girlfriend. His girlfriend is a princess who lives in a castle, and he has to sneak her out of the castle to see her. This type of book is not for everyone, because not everyone likes adventure stories, but I recommend it for anyone who does."

I wish you all a happy, safe and peaceful weekend.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'J. Cusack'. The signature is written in a cursive style and is placed on a white rectangular background with a light blue grid pattern.

Mr. J. Cusack
Head Teacher