



Himbleton Herald

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Moments Matter, Attendance Counts

Our whole school attendance this week was 87.8% and our attendance to date is 94.9%. Our target is 95%. This week, KS1 had the highest attendance of an amazing 98.1%. Well done to you all!



Housepoints

Congratulations to Oak who won this week's House Cup with 539 points. It was very close between the Houses this week— Ash had 523 points and Elm had 532.



A Christmas Celebration

Well done and thank you to our wonderful KS2 children who performed their Christmas concert so beautifully this week, reminding us of the special story and the true message of Christmas through song, dance and clearly spoken readings.



Celebrations

Very many congratulations to Ana, Kenneth, Luca and all in LKS2 for outstanding work, and to Kerry-Ann, Walter, Leon and James for Gold Awards for living our Christian values. In addition, well done to Finley, Harvey, Albus, Kerry-Ann, Edward and Lyla who proudly showed off their achievements from home. Well done to you all!





Arriving to school on time

Unfortunately, there are still a large number of children arriving to school late which is often having an impact on both their learning and their emotional wellbeing. We ask that all parents and carers ensure that their children are in school before the gate closes at 8.50am.

Roll Up, Roll Up!

In UKS2 this half term, children have been focusing on the topic of 'Fun at the Fair'. As a vehicle for learning, a movie evening was held where the children were able to come back after school hours to watch 'The Greatest Showman'. The classroom was decorated in a circus-theme style and great fun was had by all. Thank you for a great evening!



Wake up Wednesday

10 Top Tips for Parents and Educators
SAFETY OVER THE FESTIVE SEASON

This week's Wake up Wednesday explored the topic of Safety over the Festive Season. This has been shared with you on Class Dojo.

Instructions For the Pudding Lane Baker

During their English lessons, children in KS1 have been helping the baker on Pudding Lane to perfect his recipe for making bread by learning how to write instructions. They then followed their own recipes to make these fabulous loaves of bread which definitely passed the taste test!



Stretching Out in LKS2

After a busy week of rehearsals and two excellent performances this week, children in LKS2 enjoyed some relaxation with a Cosmic Kids yoga session. Great focus, balance and core strength demonstrated.

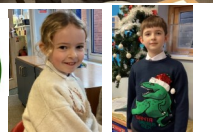
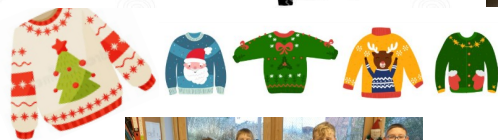


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Christmas Jumper Day

Thank you to everyone who supported our Christmas Jumper Day yesterday. A fine array of festive jumpers were proudly worn by children, all in aid of the Grace Kelly Foundation and save the Children.



Dates for Your Diary



Thursday 19th December –Values' Service (9.30am, St Mary Magdalene Church, Himbleton)

Friday 20th December –Christmas Party Day (non-school uniform party clothes) and last day of Autumn Term 2024

Monday 6th January –INSET Day–school closed to children

Tuesday 7th January –First Day of Spring 1 Term

Monday 13th January–After school clubs start

Friday 7th February–NSPCC Number Day

Tuesday 11th February–Safer Internet Day

Friday 14th February–Last Day of Spring 1 Term

