

# Parklands Educate Together Primary School



November 2023

## Medieval Day

Our Year 2 children had a wonderful day on Friday celebrating 'Medieval Day' to link with their Towers, Tiaras and Turrets topic work. They even tried their hand at baking in addition to craft activities.

It's been a really fun month for the children, as they have also visited Chepstow Castle and so they have certainly been immersed in their learning.

## Book Fair

Our Book Fair is open from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> - Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November each day after school. There are hundreds of books to choose from, so please come along and browse the wide selection we have.

Payment has to be made online- there will be a QR code to scan or website to follow in order to purchase the books. If possible, please register on the site before visiting as it will speed up the process:

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.co.uk/pay>



## Wrap-around Club

We are very happy to announce we have recruited a third person for our wrap around provision from January. This means that we can increase numbers in both the breakfast and after-school clubs, making it much easier for you to book your child(ren) in. This is great news for everyone, and will take the stress out of bookings for you- these will open up for January in the last week of term.



## Trust role

We are pleased to announce that Jeremy has been given additional responsibilities within our Trust as the School Improvement Director. He will continue as Headteacher of Parklands, but will also visit the other schools to support them in their development. Hannah will continue as the Acting Deputy on any days he is not in school, plus Nicole is also returning to us in January adding more capacity.

## Congratulations

We know you will join us in congratulating Megan as she is expecting her first child later in the academic year. This is very exciting news for her and her partner as their family grows.

We will confirm teaching arrangements later in the Spring once a recruitment process has been carried out.

## Electric charging



You may have noticed that we have had two electric car chargers installed over the past few weeks. We are just waiting for this to have the final checks before going live (pun intended!).

The car charging points are for school staff, and part of our wider environmental goals.

## December Dates

1<sup>st</sup> Space dome visit

9<sup>th</sup> PSA Christmas Crafternoon

12<sup>th</sup> EYFS Christmas Play 2pm

14<sup>th</sup> EYFS Christmas Play 2pm

15<sup>th</sup> KS1 Christmas Plays 9.15 and 2pm

18<sup>th</sup> KS1 Christmas crafts morning

19<sup>th</sup> Christmas Dinner

20<sup>th</sup> End of term

## Nits

We unfortunately have nits in a couple of our classes- please can you check your child's hair on a regular basis and treat accordingly.

Advice can be found on the NHS website, or talk to a local pharmacist:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>



## Holiday Club

Weston Rugby Club are running a holiday club on 21<sup>st</sup> December. The children will do a variety of crafts, games and activities on the day.

The club runs from 10am – 3pm at the cost of £20.

Please contact them directly for more information or to register on [vogue\\_twirlers@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:vogue_twirlers@hotmail.co.uk)



50p  
a craft!

# Christmas Crafternoon

An afternoon of festive childrens crafts,  
refreshments, sweet treats  
and a hamper raffle.

9<sup>th</sup> December | 12 pm - 3pm

Main Hall, Parklands Educate Together  
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