

Fenstanton and Hilton Primary School and Pre-school

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Message from the Head...

Dear Parents / Carers,

We have been getting outside as much as possible this week, despite the wet weather, and have continued to use the field for games on most days. We will be completing some work in class with pupils about 'winning and losing', for them to apply in their PE lessons and in games of football and basketball at lunchtime. Emotions can sometimes run a little high but most children are able to regulate themselves suitably to ensure games can be played successfully.

Although we are still in early November, I know that plans for next month's nativity plays (EYFS and KS1) are already under way. It was lovely to see the children having an early read of some of the script, and to think ahead to what they will create for us to enjoy before the end of term.

It's not very often that I speak about the role of our school governors in our newsletters. However, our governing body play a very important part in the leadership and management of our school, and staff work with members of the governance team regularly. This week, 'subject link' governors for Art, English and our overall curriculum have been in school; over the next couple of weeks, we will welcome governors to discuss Health & Safety, Maths and Safeguarding. All of these visits play an important part in ensuring the best provision for our children. We are grateful to the team for their continued hard work.

Thank you for supporting our sale of poppies and related items this week, to aid the Royal British Legion as we mark Remembrance Day this weekend.

With best wishes for the weekend, Richard Martin.

Diary Dates...

Thursday, 16th Nov – Flu Imms (Rec – Year 6)

***Friday, 17th Nov** – Children in Need – Dress Down Day

Tuesday 5th Dec - Parents' Evening #1 -Face-to-face

Wednesday 6th Dec - Parents' Evening #2 - Online

Thursday 7th Dec - PTA Movie Night

Tuesday, 12th Dec - KS1 Nativity Performance #1 @ 2pm

Wednesday, 13th Dec - KS1 Nativity Performance #2 @ 5.30pm

Friday 15th - PTA Winter Fair

Monday 18th - Christmas Service at the Parish Church - 5.00pm, all welcome!

Thursday, 21st Dec – Wednesday, 3rd Jan - Christmas Holidays

Reminders & Other Info...

*Children in Need

The children can come to school dressed in Yellow/Dots/Spots (preferred) and donate on line via <https://donate.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/>