



The Thornton Times

Autumn Term

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Friday 1st December 2017

Hello everyone,

I hope you are all wrapping up warmly—the weather is going to get decidedly colder and apparently we are getting snow soon, so please send hats, gloves and scarves with your children as well as their warm coats.

I'm looking forward to seeing you all at the Christmas Fayre next week—it promises to be a lot of fun and the Friends of Thornton have been working hard to make it a memorable experience for adults and children alike. Santa will also be making a special appearance in his grotto so don't forget to pay him a visit.

Have a great weekend everyone!

Sue Simmons,



Christmas Fayre

Everyone is welcome to attend our fun filled Christmas Fayre on Friday 8th

December from 2pm.

School will close at 2pm on this day to allow everyone to attend the Fayre. Please collect your children on time so they can enjoy all the fun

festive activities!



Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day

We're taking part in Christmas Jumper Day on Friday 8th December.

Don't forget to wear your festive jumper and donate £1 to join the fun and support the work of Save the Children.



Year 4 Viking Gods and Goddesses

Year 4 have been drawing pictures of the Viking Gods and Goddesses. Children used their observational skills and careful pencil techniques to create these beautiful pictures.



Bushra
Anis



Hiba
Awan



Owais
Rehman

Star Pupil Award

Owlets	Mohammed Rehan Hameed
Wise Owls	Naffis Hussain
Great Horned Owl 3	Ayaan Ahmed
Tawny Owl 3	Mohammed Sulaiman
Snowy Owl 3	Arian Khan
Eagle Owl 3	Gracie Chapman
Barn Owl 3	Umar -Farooq Irfan
Great Horned Owl 4	Munib Yousaf
Tawny Owl 4	Sahil Azhar
Snowy Owl 4	Aliza Hussain
Eagle Owl 4	Aisha Iftikhar
Barn Owl 4	Hafsah Shahid
Great Horned Owl 5	Farhan Mahmood
Tawny Owl 5	Hafsa Altaf
Snowy Owl 5	Hassan Butt
Eagle Owl 5	Hawa Munir
Barn Owl 5	Yousuf Hussain
Great Horned Owl 6	Shianne Toppin
Tawny Owl 6	Subhan Wasif
Snowy Owl 6	Numaan Ryaz
Eagle Owl 6	Ayaan Shahid
Barn Owl 6	Ruqiyah Anwar

School Attendance target Winners

Well done to year 5 who had the most classes that achieved the school target of 97% and above attendance

Dates for your diary

5/12/17— First Aid Club , Fantastic Phonics Club Year 1, Cookery Club Year 2
 6/12/17— Star Pupil Assembly from 9-9:30 am
 7/12/17—Year 5 Parents Homework Workshop From 9-9:30am
 8/12/17 Year 6 Judaism Assembly from 9-9:30am . Christmas Jumper day, Christmas Fayre. School closes at 2pm on this day



Christmas Story Telling sessions for Parents with Babies and Toddlers!



Tuesday 12th December 9-9:30am

Christmas Dinner

Bookings for the Christmas lunch are now being taken. A letter was sent out earlier this week will all the details for you to book. If you would like a dinner with your children, please return the slip by Thursday 7th December.



Year 5 Homework Workshop

Are you the parent/carer of a child in Year 5? Year 5 teachers would like to invite you to attend a homework workshop on Thursday 7th December from 9am-9:30am.

This is a great opportunity to hear about the school's homework expectations, the use of homework planners and the chance to ask your child's class teacher any questions you may have about homework.

Year 6 parents, a similar opportunity is planned for Wednesday 13th December from 9am-9:30am. Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 parents, please watch out for your dates in January!

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