

Dear Parents and Carers

I held my first 'Chat About' for parents on 14th November but unfortunately no parents attended apart from three Governors! I am holding the next one on Friday 19th January—put the date in your diary! I really value feedback from parents in all aspects of the school and am keen to foster the relationship between the school and parents so would be really grateful if you could come along and chat to me about any ideas or feedback you may have.

I am particularly interested in finding out if parents would be interested in some workshops about how we teach maths in school and would like to discuss that at the 'Chat About' in January.

Last Friday we had a fantastic maths day, focussing on developing the children's reasoning skills—the children were brilliant—they are all Mathemagicians!

As always, please come and talk to me if you have any questions or concerns.

Kind regards
Simone Goddard
Head Teacher

Children in Need Day

We had a very spotty day last Friday for Children in Need and raised a brilliant £209.77. Thank you to the School Council and Mrs McClure for organising the cake sale and raffle.

Swimming and Forest School

Please note that there will be no swimming for Foxes class or Forest School for Seahorses Class on Wednesday 6th December due to the dress rehearsal of the nativity play.

FOPPS

We are busy making preparations for the Christmas Fayre (Friday 8th December, 5.30—8pm). We recently sent out a letter regarding the Christmas Bauble competition which will be judged on the night. If your child would like to take part please return the reply slip to the FOPPS box in the reception area by Friday 24th November.

Please may we appeal for any unsold raffle tickets to be returned to us as we have had many requests for more tickets. If you have been unable to sell yours please return to the FOPPS box so we can pass them to the people that have requested additional tickets.

There is a box in the foyer for donations for the Tombola.



Car Park

Please may we request that children (and younger siblings) are supervised on the way in and out of school and for safety reasons are not allowed to wander across the car park.

Swimming Helper Needed!

Foxes class are in need of a Parent Helper to assist with the swimming session on Wednesday 13th December. If you are DBS checked and are able to help please let the office know.



Wellies and Mud Kit

Now that the weather is colder and wetter please can you ensure that children have wellies, coats and mud kit (spare clothes separate to their P.E. Kit) in school if they wish to play on the field during lunch times. The field gets very muddy at this time of year and if children do not bring in wellies and a mud kit they will not be able to play on the field.

For information and guidance on how to keep your child safe online please visit the school website www.pulhamprimaryschool.org.uk and navigate to the Key Information tab. From here select Forms & Documents under which you will find the e-safety guidance document which will be available to download. There is also a link on the home page. Alternatively you can call into the office and ask for a paper copy.

Month/Date	Event	Other info
December		
Friday 1 st	Wolves Celebration Assembly	2:45pm
Wednesday 6 th	Christmas Play	Penguins, Dolphins and Seahorses - 6pm
Thursday 7 th	Christmas Play	Penguins, Dolphins and Seahorses - 6pm
Thursday 7 th	No Film Club	
Friday 8 th	FOPPS Christmas Fayre	
Friday 15 th	Christmas Jumper Day	
Tuesday 19 th	Carol service in Pulham Market Church	2pm – children go home straight afterwards
Tuesday 19 th	Last Day of term	
January		
Wednesday 3 rd	Inset Day	
Thursday 4 th	Children back to school	
Friday 19 th	Chat About 9am	
February		
Friday 2 nd	Foxes Celebration Assembly	2:45pm
Tuesday 6 th	Dolphins Open Afternoon	2:30pm
Wednesday 7 th	Penguins Open Afternoon	2:30pm
Thursday 8 th	Seahorses Open Afternoon	2:30pm
Half Term Saturday 10th February to Sunday 18th February		
Monday 19 th	Children back to school	
Wednesday 21 st	Dolphins Forest Schools	
Thursday 22 nd	Chat About 2.30pm	
March		
5 th to 9 th	Science Week	
Friday 9 th	Wolves Celebration Assembly	2:45pm
Monday 12 th	Learning Conversations	Dolphins, Seahorses, Foxes, Wolves and Mrs Read
Tuesday 13 th	Learning Conversations	Dolphins, Seahorses, Wolves
Wednesday 14 th	Learning Conversations	Foxes and Wolves
19 th – 23 rd	Derbyshire Residential	Year 6
Tuesday 20 th	Dolphins Open Afternoon	2:30pm
Wednesday 21 st	Penguins Open Afternoon	2:30pm
Thursday 22 nd	Seahorses Open Afternoon	2:30pm

March		
Monday 26 th	Easter Service at Pulham St Mary Church	10am - all welcome
Monday 26 th	Afternoon of Easter activities	
Wednesday 28 th	Last day of term	
Thursday 29 th	Inset Day	
Easter Holidays – Friday 30th March to Sunday 15th April		
April		
Monday 16 th	Children return to school	
Thursday 19 th	Chat About 9am	
May		
Friday 4 th	Wolves Celebration Assembly	2:45pm
Wednesday 9 th	Foxes start Forest Schools	
Friday 11 th	Foxes Celebration Assembly	2:45pm
w/c 14 th	SATS	
w/c 21 st	ARTS WEEK	
Thursday 24 th	Chat About 2.30pm	
Half term Saturday 26th May to Sunday 3rd June		
June		
Monday 4 th	Children return to school	
Thursday 14 th	Seahorses Open Afternoon	2:30pm
Tuesday 19 th	Dolphins Open Afternoon	2:30pm
Wednesday 20 th	Penguins Open Afternoon	2:30pm
Thursday 21 st	Sports Day	
Tuesday 26 th	Reserve Sports Day	
Wednesday 27 th	Norfolk Show – whole school trip	
Friday 29 th	Talent Show	
July		
Tuesday 3 rd	Summer play Dress Rehearsal	
Wednesday 4 th	Summer play	Wolves Class
Thursday 5 th	Summer play	Wolves Class
Friday 6 th	Last day for Year 6	
Friday 6 th	Reports out to Year 6	
Friday 6 th	Prize giving and leavers assembly	1:15pm
Tuesday 10 th	Chat About 9am	
Thursday 12 th	Whole school to Southwold	
Tuesday 24 th	Last day of term	
Tuesday 24 th	End of term assembly	Pulham Market Church 2pm