

# Year 2 Newsletter





Dear Parents,

Welcome back!

This half term Year 2 are going back in time to London in 1666! We will be learning all about the Great Fire of London and exploring what life would have been like back then. We will also be comparing London in the past to London in the present day and how it has changed. Our exciting visit from Open Box Theatre Company will inspire us to use our imagination in our learning over the half term. We will be learning all about the Plague and some of the rather unusual cures that people tried. This half term will also be rather busy with our preparations for our Nativity extravaganza!.....as well as many other activities and fun learning opportunities.

## **Library Dates**

We will be visiting the library this half term on the following dates;

> Peacock Class Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November

> Penguin Class Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November

We will be leaving school at 2pm. Please see your class teacher if you are able to come.

### **Reading Books**

Well done to everyone who has been reading each day. Your child will receive a stamp for every 5 days that they have read. Please remember that they can read any book, not just ones they have borrowed from school. Your child is welcome to change their reading book every day.

#### **Junior School Visit**

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November we will be popping over to Stamshaw Junior School for a fun morning! Look out for more information in our Seesaw weekly news blast.

## **PE Days**

Our PE days will continue to be;

# Monday Friday

for both classes. Please make sure your child has their kit in school. Friday will be outside (weather permitting) so please make sure that your child has a hoodie or jumper with them.

Please make sure you have downloaded the Seesaw app to ensure you receive letters, class announcements and updates about the wonderful things your child is doing in school.

# **Diary Dates**

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October – INSET Day
Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October – school starts
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November- Open Box Theatre
Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Junior School Visit
Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November – flu immunisation
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November – INSET Day
Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November – PATCH Christmas
Fayre – more info soon

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December – Open Box Show Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Nativity at St. Saviour's Church

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Party Day Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December – School Finishes



**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January** – INSET Day **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> January** – school starts