

# Phoenix Infant and Nursery School

Newsletter

17<sup>th</sup> November 2023 [www.phoenixinfant.co.uk](http://www.phoenixinfant.co.uk)



This week in school is Anti-Bullying week. This was time dedicated to learning about bullying with the idea that we can put a stop to it by 'Making a Noise' together. Children started the week wearing Odd Socks to celebrate being unique and with an assembly delivering the message to children about what bullying is and how to speak out. Throughout the rest of the week, key messages and themes about bullying were learnt about through a range of activities. In Year 2 children found out about the value of being a kind defender and not a bystander. The children used apples to demonstrate how you can't see how someone might be feeling on the inside, so we should always be kind with our words and actions. The whole week encouraged our children to discuss what makes us all very special and unique and to celebrate these differences. All this builds on our key values that are thread through our curriculum such as respect and kindness.

## Children in Need 2023



Well done team Phoenix for achieving over 1000 Bearpees this week! We are very proud and have also raised £100 for this amazing cause. Thank you everyone!

Due to popular demand, we have added in an extra Open Day! Please share this with anyone you know looking for a school place.

**Phoenix Infant and Nursery School**

**NEW PARENT OPEN  
EVENT**

**SATURDAY  
2<sup>nd</sup> December  
12-2PM**



Will your child be starting school in September 2024?



Come and join us for a look around and for more information about Phoenix.

For further information or to register your interest contact  
**Phoenix Infant School on 0115 9539927**  
or email [office@phoenix.notts.sch.uk](mailto:office@phoenix.notts.sch.uk)

Christmas is coming....!



The Christmas season is getting ever closer! We have lots of very excited children here at Phoenix. Christmas performances are coming up and here are some further details.

- **Wednesday 13th December 2023 - F1 (Nursery) Christmas performance - held in Nursery - 10.30am / 2.00pm (separate information to follow from Nursery)**
- **Thursday 14th December 2023 - F2 (Classes 1 and 2) Christmas performance 2.00pm**
- **Monday 18th December 2023 - KS1 (Classes 3,4,5 and 6) Christmas performance 2.00pm**
- **Tuesday 19th December 2023 - KS1 (Classes 3,4,5 and 6) Christmas performance 9.30am**

Doors will open 15 minutes prior to a performance. To ensure everyone gets a seat we are requesting only 2 adults per child please and for the KS1 performances that families go to just one performance. This will help everyone get a seat and enjoy the performance.

Wednesday 20th December 2023 - PARTY DAY - non- uniform day with a Pantomime performance in school and Christmas dinner. A letter will go out for you to order your child's Christmas dinner very soon.



**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2.00pm – 3.30pm**

**Diary Date**

**Autumn**

- Friday 8th December 2023 - Christmas Jumper day
- Wednesday 13th December 2023 - F1 (Nursery) Christmas performance 10.30am / 2.00pm
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- Wednesday 20th December 2023 - Pantomime in school and party day
- Friday 22nd December 2023- Last day of term

**Spring**

- Tuesday 6th February 2024- Safer Internet Day
- Friday 9th February 2024- INSET DAY & Last day of term
- Monday 19th February 2024 - First day of term
- Thursday 7th March 2024 - World book day
- Monday 11th March and Wednesday 13th March 2024 - F2 Parents evening (Classes 1 and 2)
- Tuesday 12th March and Thursday 14th March 2024 - KS1 Parents evening

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- Friday 15th March 2024 - Easter disco for children
- Thursday 28th March 2024- Last day of term

**Summer**

- Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April - back to school
- Monday 6th May 2024- Bank Holiday- School closed
- Friday 24th May 2024- Last day of term
- Monday 3rd June 2024 - First day of half term
- W/C 3rd June 2024 - Year 1 Phonics Screening Week
- W/C 10th June 2024 - Year 1 Phonics Screening Week
- Thursday 20th June 2024 - Year 2 Residential to Gulliver's Valley
- Tuesday 25th June 2024 - F1/F2 Sports day 10am / 2pm
- Wednesday 26th June 2024 - KS1 Sports day 2pm
- Wednesday 3rd July - Visit new classes morning
- Friday 5th July - Garden Party
- Monday 8th July 2024- INSET DAY
- Thursday 25th July 2024 - Year 2 Leavers assembly
- Friday 26th July 2024- Last day of term- END OF ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/24

Have a great weekend - from Mrs Harper and the Phoenix Team!