

Weekly Newsletter



6th December 2024

This week, it has suddenly become clear that we are racing towards Christmas! Our school Christmas tree is up and the postbox is in place so children can write and post cards to their friends. (Please ensure that they write the child's name and year group on the envelope so they reach the right person!)

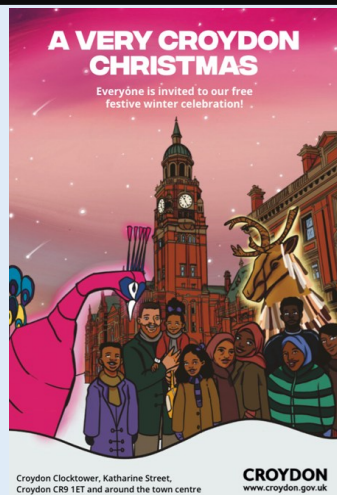
Year 6 enjoyed their Christmas concert trip to Fairfield Halls this week, which you can read about on page 3, and both Year 1 and Reception have exciting Christmas events coming up.

Mrs Jacki Keogh | Head of School

6th - 8th Dec 2024

Croydon Town Centre

Everyone is invited for a weekend of winter celebrations guaranteed to get you in the most festive of spirits. Find out more about a FREE programme of music, craft, outdoor arts, workshops, dance, poetry and performances taking place over the weekend by clicking this link.



[A Very Croydon Christmas - This is Croydon](#)

Snow Ball Disco—Thursday 12th December

Please book your disco tickets and Elfridges Gift Shop tickets here

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THE READING AGENCY Winter Mini Challenge

Welcome To The Winter Mini Challenge!
Delivered by Surrey Libraries in partnership with The Reading Agency

- 1 Sign up online**
- 2 Set your own target**
- 3 Get a prize from your Surrey Library***

 Sign up online with your own device or a public computer at your local Surrey Library. Scan the QR code or visit wintermini.org.uk

 Set your own reading target from 1st December.

 Complete your target by 20th February, visit your local Surrey Library, and collect a prize*!

One Winter. One Target. One Prize.

Looking for more things to do this Winter? Check out what's on at your local Surrey Library! 

*You must be a member of Surrey Libraries or sign up to receive a prize. You must bring a printed copy of your digital certificate, or show it on a digital device (e.g. smartphone, tablet). Prizes not available at these Community-Partnered Libraries: Bramley, Byfleet, New Haw, Tattenhams, Virginia Water.

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Reception & KS1 Christmas Performance of The Fleece Force

There will be two performances on Monday 16th December at 09:15 and 14:15.

Please click here to reserve your seat (two per family, one performance only please).

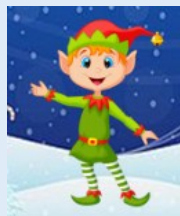
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NUMBOTS
Best Effort

Reception **Arabella**

Year 1 **Seren, again!**

Year 2 **Hunter G**


Could it be YOU?



YEAR THREE	Kai
YEAR FOUR	Holly
YEAR FIVE	Myah
YEAR SIX	Jake P-C

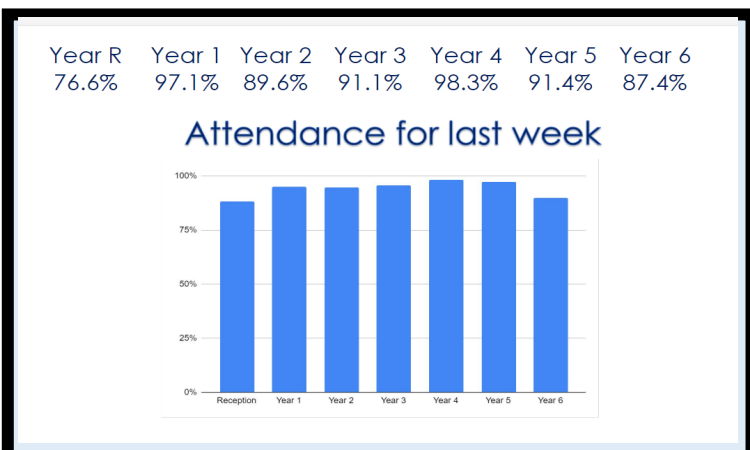


Lyla
James
Benjamin
Othniel



Sports Champions of the Week

Julia
Freddie




Congratulations to
Year 4
for achieving the highest attendance last week of 98.3%
Our target for attendance is **96%**.

Punctuality
The classes with the highest level of punctuality this week:
Year 5

December

11th Year 1 trip to Croydon
12th Snow Ball Christmas Disco & Christmas Jumper Day and own clothes
16th Rec & KS1 Christmas Performance
17th Reception Pantomime Trip to Croydon
18th Christmas dinner for children, Whole School Christmas Service at All Saints Church
19th Class Christmas Parties
20th Last day of term—school finishes at **2.00 pm**



Class Reader Of the Week

Reception: Leigha
Year 1: Zayana
Year 2: Hunter L
Year 3: Jayden
Year 4: Henry
Year 5: Harmony
Year 6: Freddie



Celebration Awards

Reception: Benjamin & Layla
Year 1: Zayana & Finley
Year 2: Diego & Jack
Year 3: Daniel P & Nicole
Year 4: Jaxon & Dylan
Year 5: Ewan & Kiera
Year 6: Marley & Annabell

Head's Awards
Ralph and Cece

Year 6 Trip to Fairfield Halls for the annual Croydon Music and Arts Christmas Concert

This Thursday, Year 6 were invited to watch the CMA orchestra and friends for an exciting performance of music, dance and drama at Fairfield Halls.

The performance included Christmas favourites, alongside items to celebrate other important festivals, including Diwali, Eid and Hanukkah.

Annabell and Alisa: "Our favourite part was when the orchestra played Feliz Navidad at the end and everyone was singing it."

Tommy: "I enjoyed it and I got chosen to conduct. I was happy and I was scared—I was shaking mostly."

Mrs Parker: "It was lovely to see old Kenley students in the Riddlesdown choir performing on stage."



CROYDON MUSIC AND ARTS



- KEYBOARD
- GUITAR
- DANCE
- DRAMA
- ORCHESTRAL INSTRUMENTS
- SINGING
- MUSIC TECH
- AND MORE...

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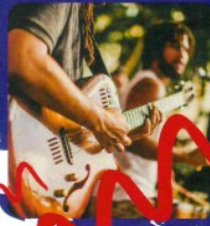
LEARN IN SCHOOL OR YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY OR JOIN ONE OF OUR CENTRES

To get involved, scan the QR code or visit: www.croydonmusicandarts.co.uk

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NEW: JUNIOR ACCESS MUSIC MAKERS!



9-10am Saturday Mornings

A new class for disabled and neuro-divergent children in years 3-6

Oasis Academy Shirley Park

Children will make and create music using their voices, percussion instruments, and technology. They will develop musical skills and confidence, work in a team, make new friends, and have fun!

The first half term will be free!

We ask that a parent/carer also attends the sessions initially

Sign up by scanning the QR code

or email MusicandArtsEducation@croydon.gov.uk



CHRISTMAS CLUB

SEND Science and Food Fun!

Location: 58 Dinsdale Gardens, London SE25 6LT
 Days: Monday & Friday (9.00 am - 1.30 pm)
 Prices: £55 per session or £100 For Two Sessions

Breakfast | Healthy Snacks | Lunch | Water - All provided

Mon 23rd December 2024 & Fri 3rd January 2025

Free for FSM Students!



Arts and Sports

Sports - table tennis, exercise classes, team games.

Indoor Activities - painting, sensory play areas and reading/calm corner.

Arts & Crafts Activities - creating Christmas themed fun!

Science Fun!

Science - Technology, Engineering and Maths games and activities.

Exploring Food Science and nutrition in a fun, child-friendly way. This will include: 5-A-DAY how to have a balanced diet and cookery classes.

Catch up Classes Years 2-7

Maths and English - Support classes

Verbal and Non-verbal Reasoning - techniques and practice

Mock Exam Paper Revisions

Book Now!



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SEND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Unlocking Potential, Building Brighter Futures!

Location: Heavers Farm (Annex) 58 Dinsdale Gardens, London SE25 6LT

Date: Thursdays Open at 3pm. Close: 5.30pm (Term Time only)

Who: For SEND students in Ks2 (Year 3-6) & Ks3 (Year 7 in Special Schools)



Thursdays - 3pm to 5.30pm

Sensory Fun Zones!

Fun - Board games, painting, building and Lego

Learning - kinesthetic, visual, auditory and tactile

Science / STEM - water, sand, sounds and textiles play-based learning activities

Cakes and Conversation

Support network for parents over cake and tea!

Come along to connect with others / share your story / have a distraction!

Run by SEND young adults!

SEND young adults who have grown up with Bright Futures 4 All will run sessions alongside SEND specialist adults!

SEND young adults know first-hand what children need to feel supported and loved.

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