



MOUNT HAWKE ACADEMY

Friday 13th December

Academy News

DIARY DATES:

**Mon 16th Dec – FOMHS
Christmas Fayre & Christmas
Raffle 3pm**

**Wed 18th Dec – Christmas Dinner Day
& Christmas Jumper Day (* in aid of
CLIC Sargent)**

Christmas Holidays:

Monday 23rd December – Fri 3rd
January

INSET Day Mon 6th Jan (School
Closed)

Tues 7th January – Children return
to school

CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

Following our usual tradition, we should love it if children would wear a Christmas jumper to school on Christmas Dinner Day (Wednesday 18th December), along with non-uniform. In return, we would ask for a donation for our chosen charity this time - CLIC Sargent. CLIC Sargent supports children and their families when a child is diagnosed with cancer, and for the long term. It is a charity that is very close to our hearts. For more information, follow the link:

<https://www.clicsargent.org.uk/>



CELEBRATIONS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Fri 13 th Dec	Celebration	Achievement
Mousehole	Bill H	Nina
Godrevy	Bowe L	Sirennia
Longships	Zac	Elsie
Pendeen	Mason	Noah
Carne	Connie	Ralph
Gwithian	Robyn	Daisy S
Lamorna	Nicola	Carys
Class 5	George	Bess
Class 6	Chloe	Ben

CHRISTMAS PLAYS

Thank you for supporting the children by coming to see their performances and in providing costumes, helping learn lines, bringing the children back to school at such a busy time. After eight performances this week, we really feel that Christmas has begun! We are so proud of the children and their outstanding talent.



PEANUTS

Because of allergies in our school, we need to become a peanut free site. We would ask you to check that any snacks or food that you are sending children in with do not contain peanuts in any form.



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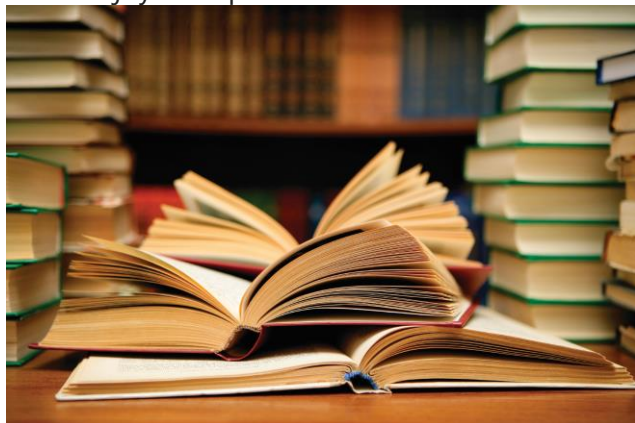
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LIBRARY UPDATE

We are delighted that the refurbishment of our main library is complete. It has turned a functional place into a very snug place, with sofas, cushions, soft lighting and a fire! The children love it. "I love snuggling up with a book now", said a Year 6. In the new year, we are having another exciting delivery to make the book corner area outside of the library a much more enjoyable space too. We can't wait!



THE DROP OFF ZONE

What a traffic jam we had yesterday! Thank you to everyone for your patience and calm driving. Do remember that the drop off zone is a space where you can drop off your child quickly and safely, and then follow our one way route out of the village. We have asked the police to keep up their regular visits to support us too.



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Friends of Mount Hawke Academy School (FOMHS) PTA News

NEXT CAKE SALE Year 3/4 Gwithian class - Monday 16th December

Year 3/4s cake sale is for the Xmas fair Monday 16th December. Please bring Christmassy cakes or cookies to school on Monday and give to year 3/4 class reps or to Reception by 2.45pm. Thank you :)

CHRISTMAS FAIR

The Christmas Fair is Monday 16th December! There will be fun Christmas games for the children, cakes, refreshments, plant and wreath sales, a Playzone craft stall, a uniform preloved sale and the school brass band will play. We will also be selling raffle tickets at the Christmas fair until 4pm.

Alison Jobbins, Chair of FOMHS PTA - ANY help is appreciated. Find our FOMHS page on Facebook.



EMERGENCY CLOSURE PROCEDURES

In the event of severe weather, it may be necessary to close the school. However, this will be the very last resort. If we do get some very bad weather in the form of snow and ice then please check the following places for information. Please do not attempt to phone the school. A decision on closure will be made as early as possible and we will attempt to make this before 8am. We will also attempt to send an in-app message through Arbor / a text message.

- <http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/current-school-closures>
- www.mounthawke.org
- Local Radio –BBC Cornwall, Heart FM and Pirate FM
- We will also do an In-App message on Arbor and will post on all our social media sites