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Friday 14th January 2022

Thought for the week...



Every moment is a fresh beginning

T.S. Eliot

Dear Parents,

We were delighted to welcome the children back to school last week and to hear about what they had been doing over the Christmas holidays.

As always, the children have returned to school with a readiness and enthusiasm to learn. Thank you for all you do to facilitate this – it is a pleasure to work with your children.

As I write this letter, the year six children are visiting the Harry Potter studios. This is an exciting development as it marks the first external school trip that we have been able to run, since the beginning of the pandemic. Needless to say, the children were very excited when they left school this morning!

As we begin a new year, I hope that it will mark the beginning of a return to normal – it has been a difficult time, but we have achieved a great deal by working together as a community.

Wishing you all a Happy New Year!

With best wishes,

Christina Singh

Headteacher

Letter from Watford Peace Hospice following our school fundraising



Nascot Wood Junior School
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21 December 2021

Ref: 8683

Dear All the staff and children at Nascot Wood Junior School,

Thank you so much for your generous donation of £628.00 towards our charity's work, which we were absolutely delighted to receive. What a fantastic sum to raise through your Christmas raffle.

The Coronavirus pandemic has changed life in ways none of us could have imagined but one thing has not changed - that families who are coping with life-limiting illnesses need our help. Throughout the Coronavirus crisis, our team of nurses, doctors and support staff have worked tirelessly every day to support local families. Our nine private Inpatient Unit rooms have been fully occupied almost every day. Our Community team has been increasingly busy and are supporting more families in their own homes. Our Bereavement and Counselling teams have also been giving emotional and psychological support to more people by telephone and video calls.

As we have moved through 2021, the Retail and Fundraising landscapes continue to look uncertain. As I write, we anticipate losing up to £150,000 per month of our budgeted income.

So without the support of people like you we wouldn't be here to help patients and families when they need us most. So, on behalf of all the team at Peace Hospice Care, thank you so much again.

Have a lovely Christmas.

With very best wishes,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kara Hopgood".

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Stars of the week 14th January 2022



The following children have been nominated by their Class Teachers to be the star of the week this week for an aspect of learning, an achievement or positive behaviour. However, all the children deserve congratulations for a successful week.

Class	Nominee	Reason
Holly	Lilly	<i>For demonstrating excellent inference skills and for being a fantastic member of Holly class.</i>
Willow	Jesse	<i>For making some interesting contributions to our class discussions about adventure stories.</i>
Oak	Arjun	<i>For his amazing effort, persistence and determination during a challenging maths lesson.</i>
Juniper	Casper	<i>For having a great start to the new year and working hard across the curriculum.</i>
Elm	Jayesh	<i>For being so enthusiastic and on task in our computing lesson yesterday. In a classroom full of excitable video making, Jayesh was so focused and did exactly what was asked of him in each mini task. It was a delight to observe!</i>
Beech	Yusuf	<i>For showing natural talent and enthusiasm in our Badminton lesson.</i>
Rowan	Phoebe	<i>For being a 'team player' on the Harry Potter trip and enthusiastically participating in the activities.</i>
Poplar	Patryk	<i>For making excellent sound effects in his 'Art of Foley' lesson at Warner Bros. Studio Tour: The Making of Harry Potter.</i>