

# Steam Mills Primary

5.11.21

Dear Parents/Carers,

## Thank you and well done to Class 4!

We are always impressed with the positive learning attitudes and behaviour of children in Class 4, particularly this week as Class 4 staff are poorly. The supply staff have been very complimentary, so well done for continuing to work hard and show our Steam Mills values! Thank you very much to all of Class 4 staff for providing all the work in spite of being ill, so that children could carry on with their normal curriculum.

## Car Park and Track

Thank you to the parents (and Harry!) who helped with the carpark and track repairs over the half term break. We really do appreciate the help and support from you. We imagine this maintenance will be ongoing, so if you were unable to help this time there may be more repair days in the future to look out for.

## Parent Evenings

Just to remind you that appointments are 10 minutes only, and if you miss your appointment for any reason, you will need to reschedule a catch up phone appointment. Please also ensure that your name is visible when logging in to Zoom and cameras need to be on. Thank you.

Links so far :

**Class 1** is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: My Meeting

Time: Nov 9, 2021 03:30 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86821341212?pwd=ekR6ZHFnN2huZVJHckEwODR5Vm1Tdz09>

Meeting ID: 868 2134 1212

Passcode: tE7SHx

**Class 2** is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Parents Evening Consultations

Time: This is a recurring meeting Meet anytime

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/91045687597?pwd=dXAvU3hDZlFIUzRiQVNiN0NNS2dxZz09>

Meeting ID: 910 4568 7597

Passcode: A6Y7ah

**Class 3** is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Parents evening 9.11.21

Time: Nov 9, 2021 03:30 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/94867077850?pwd=RFdtWXVBMzhkSudTcVcyeFU1Sk9FQT09>

Meeting ID: 948 6707 7850

Passcode: W2Zt9x

## Diary Dates

### November

9<sup>th</sup> Parent Evenings

11<sup>th</sup> Remembrance  
Assembly

16<sup>th</sup> Parent Evenings

19<sup>th</sup> Children in Need

22<sup>nd</sup> Shoebox deadline

### December

1<sup>st</sup> C4 Trip to We the  
Curious - Bristol

6<sup>th</sup> Panto Trip (see  
letter)

10<sup>th</sup> Save the Children –  
Christmas Jumper  
Day

15<sup>th</sup> Christmas Carols &  
Hot Chocolate

16<sup>th</sup> Christmas Lunch

17<sup>th</sup> Last Day of Term –  
FoSM non-school  
uniform day & Class  
Christmas Parties

**Class 4** is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.  
 Topic: Parents Evening  
 Time: November 9<sup>th</sup> and time of appointment booked.  
 Join Zoom Meeting  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83567990476?pwd=TUfEbGRVa254dG1UTkFQamtBQU9jUT09>  
 Meeting ID: 835 6799 0476  
 Passcode: erdT6C

### Remembrance

We are holding a zoom based assembly on 11<sup>th</sup> November for children at Woodside and Steam Mills for Remembrance, with a focus on respect and sharing our learning about this important event.

### Poppy Appeal

From Monday children will have the opportunity to support this year's Poppy Appeal from the Royal British Legion. Many thanks to Poppy, one of our school leavers last year for organising this again for the school. Please could children bring in the correct change as follows:

Paper Poppy	Donation of choice
2021 Pin Badge	£2
Adjustable Bracelet	£2
Zip Pull	50p
Reflector Poppy	50p
Silicon Wristband	£1
Snap Band	£1.50

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### Head Teacher Certificates

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**Pre-school**  
**Daphne** - for a brilliant first week at Pre-School.

**Class 1**  
**Dexter** – brilliant use of STEM sentences.  
**Ava** – for excellent art.

**Class 2**  
**Jax** – excellent phonics.  
**Fergie** – brilliant writing.

**Class 3**  
**Tallulah** - Excellent understanding of multiplication.  
**Rhys** - A well written diary in character.

**Class 4**  
**Nola** – always giving her best effort.  
**Cohen** – always asking interesting questions about his learning.

### Steam Mills – Woodside Federation Zooms Sessions

Please contact Miss Agg if you would like the Zoom details for the proposed Federation drop in meetings, the options are Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November or Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> November.

### Rights Respecting

This week, we have explored articles 26 and 27. The right to social security and the right to shelter, food, clothing, water and healthcare. In classes, we have compared needs and wants to discuss what humans need for basic survival. It would be good to start a conversation at home around this topic.

### Panto

You will have all hopefully received a letter which was sent out yesterday in book bags. Thanks you to FoSM who have arranged this exciting Panto experience for the whole school at the Everyman Cheltenham. Please return slips by **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> November.**



### Adult ACES Recovery Toolkit

Please find attached to this newsletter, information from Barnardo's about training sessions starting in January for any parents/carers who may be interested.

### Children in Need Day

Takes place on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November. Children can wear non-uniform or a costume of choice. Please donate £1.

### **Shoe Box Appeal**

Just to remind you that we are taking part in the 'Shoe Box Appeal' this year. It is a fantastic way to support children in countries that may not receive gifts this year. Please could you ensure that your shoeboxes are in school by **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2021**.

### **Rags to Riches**

We have signed up to the Rags2Riches4Schools recycling scheme again, to help others around the world benefit from our good quality unwanted clothes and shoes. The school (FoSM) gets 40p for every kilo we collect of reusable items. Our next collection will be **26 January 2022** so please keep us in mind if you are planning to have a sort out.

Best Wishes  
Mrs Davis