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FRIDAY 27TH NOVEMBER

WELCOME

As the last of the leaves fall we're admitting that autumn is over and that next week marks the start of the festive season. Keep on top of all the action by checking the updated calender and reminders in this weeks newsletter. Alongside these we have sporting news that certainly isn't 'hoopless' a musical treat and a tasty question of the week.

SLAM DUNK!

Monday saw our Y5/6 team take on four different schools in an exciting basketball tournament. Although not all the games went our way, the team spirit never faltered and they represented Navigation splendidly. If you ask any of the children, they will tell you how they got better and better as the evening went on (with scorelines to match).



NETBALL FRIENDLIES

On Tuesday, we hosted some friendly matches for our Y5/6 Netballers against Tyntesfield. They showcased the fantastic skills they have learnt at Netball Club, and showed great enthusiasm and determination throughout. With one loss, a draw and 2 wins, Navigation were the overall winners - AMAZING!
Well Done everyone!!



BAROQUE

Over the last two weeks we have been fortunate enough to be visited by Manchester Baroque. They delivered two amazing school assemblies focused on singing and musical instruments and led two workshops, last week for Reception and Y1 whilst this week it was Yr4's turn. The children enjoyed the workshops and really engaged with all the learning. We know is true as a member of the troupe made a special trip to the office to say how great the children were - bravo!

REMINDERS

No School On Monday - Don't jump out of bed and into your uniform on Monday 30th - school is closed for an Inset Day!

Christmas Fair - Meet us in the queue for the Chocolate Tombola at this years' winter fair - starting at 3.30pm Weds 2nd its sure to be festive fun!

Christmas Dinner - If your child does not have school meals you should have received a spider survey inviting them to the school's Christmas dinner on Weds 16th. Respond by Friday 4th if they want to join us for lunch with all the trimmings!

ABSENCE REMINDER

Lots of coughs and colds are going round at the moment so a quick reminder of our absence procedure. If your child is unwell contact the office before 9.30am, leaving a message stating their full name/class and the reason for absence - this should either be a named illness or quick overview of their symptoms. Whilst most seasonal illnesses are innocuous we do monitor absences for any trends/specific infections so please avoid generic terms like 'unwell' or 'feeling under the weather'. Thank you - and hopefully we'll all recover for the festive season!

IT COULD BE YOU....

From hampers to haircuts, canoeing to cookbooks - the prizes in this years PTA Raffle are amazing. Remember to get your tickets here before the big draw next Wednesday.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

If you woke up tomorrow and everything in your house was made of chocolate, what would you do?

The office team is not sure what there is to debate...





RECYCLE & SUPPORT

This January let Just Helping take care of your real Christmas tree whilst you help raise vital funds for local charities! Register your tree online, make a charitable donation, and our wonderful volunteers will collect and recycle it between 14th–19th January 2027. Last year, the appeal raised nearly £140,000 for local charities, including Moya Cole Hospice (formally St Ann's Hospice) and Francis House Children's Hospice helping support people with life-limiting conditions and their families.



GOLDEN BOOK & VALUES

	Golden Book	Values
Nurs	Elton Wong	
RLK	Martha Bradwell	Bernie Curtin
RMD	Harry Brotherton	Alfie Greenfield
1ML	Thea Preston-Griffiths	Billy Simpson
1SW	Eva Browning	Imogen Tasker
2CE	Valerie Chun	Max Chew
2BH	Hailey Ho	Omar Hegazy
3BW	Samko Muzik-Reynolds	Isabelle Taylor
3TG	Willow Krysko	Evan Sun
4LC	Edith Cashin-Davies	Luke Glassbrook
4AC	Vitor Ferreira	Louis Momenabadi
5BP	Phoebe Brooks	Mehreen Kashif
5PM	Freddie Hickey	Billy Sumbler
6DH	Sophie Hawthorn	Alice Vaughan
6SM	Alice Whitehead	Flora Lyons

MUSICIAN OF THE MONTH - MYLES SMITH

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If you've enjoyed learning about and listening to Myles' music, his debut album 'My Mess, My Heart, My Life' was realeased earlier this year and draws heavily from five years of personal notes.

It's not only us that loves Myles' music, in 2025 he won the prestigious BRIT Rising Star Award **and** the Ivor Novello for Music Most Performed Work for "Stargazing". However it's not only getting these awards that proves Myles is a big star - in the same year he also read the CBeebies Bedtime story!

HELLO december

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WEEKLY CALENDAR

MON 30th	**SCHOOL CLOSED** **TRAINING DAY**
TUES 1st	8 - 8.45 : Y3 - 6 Indoor Athletics Sports & All (playground) 3.30 : Y1 - 6 Art Club – Tactile Arts (6SM/6DH) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1 - 4 Gymnastics - Sports & All (hall) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-2 Lego Club - **Miss Dunbavand/Miss Lisa** (RMD)
WEDS 2nd	8 - 8.45 : Y5+6 Netball – Alt Junior Netball Club (playground) 12.15 - 12.45 : Y1-3 Judo - Judo Education (studio) Y3 SWIMMING & GYMNASTICS Altricham Leisure 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1- Y2 Football Sports & All (playground) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y3 - 6 Football Sports & All (playground) 3.30 – 5pm **3.30 PTA FAIR**
THURS 3rd	8 - 8.45 : Y3+4 Netball – Alt Junior Netball Club (playground) 8.15 - 8.45 : Y1-3 Choir - **Miss Watts** (1SW) 12.20 - 12.50 : Y4-6 Choir - **Mrs Booth** (3BW) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Computer Club Jam Coding (6DH) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Drama Club - Tactile Arts (RMD) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-3 Spanish - La Jolie Ronde (3BW)
FRI 4th	3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Dodgeball - Sports & All (Hall)

