

St Peter's C E (VC) First School, Marchington

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SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 11th January 2019

You can contact school by telephone on 01283 820252 or via email office@st-petersmarchington.staffs.sch.uk School Website: www.st-peters-marchington.org.uk marchington.org

If you have a safeguarding concern about any child you can report it to: First Response by telephoning 0800 1313 126 (Emergency Out of Hours on 08456 042886) or via email: first@staffordshire.gov.uk

Welcome Back

All the staff wish you all a Happy New Year and hope that you are all refreshed for the start of term. This is now a paperless newsletter and the newsletter will only be accessed via e mail or on the website. If you would like the Newsletter sent to you via e mail please contact the office.

Message from Staffordshire Fire and Rescue

Safety advice for children as it gets colder. We want to inform them to stay away from frozen rivers, lakes and ponds.

The weather is getting colder so Staffordshire Fire and Rescue Service wanted to make your students aware of the dangers of frozen water. Iced over water has dangerously low temperatures which would be a real shock Sports Clubs After School to the system and means that people can very quickly get into difficulty.

Our advice is as follows:

- Make sure children understand how dangerous it is to play on ice. Tell them to stay away from frozen rivers, lakes and ponds.
- Don't wander too near to the edge, icy or wet conditions could cause you to slip and fall in
- Don't be tempted to test the thickness of the ice; it's easy to slip from the bank and fall through into the freezing water
- Dog owners should ensure they keep their pets on a lead so they are not at risk of falling in

If you see someone, or a pet, fall

through ice and get into difficulty do not risk yourself by trying to rescue them -instead ring 999 and ask for the fire and rescue service immediately.

Wind in the Willows—Theatre Trip

Our annual theatre trip to Newcastle will happen next Wednesday. The children will be seeing Wind in the Willows. If you have not sent your permission slip to school, please forward to the office ASAP.

The children need to wear their correct uniform . The children will return to school in time for afternoon break. Packed lunches are needed, school can provide a lunch, and the option for this is found on the permission slip.

Kitchen Vacancy

A vacancy for Kitchen Assistant has come up to start in January, if you are interested or know of someone who might like the position, please pop and see Mrs Hudson in the kitchen. Thanks

Dates for Diary

Wednesday 16th January—Wind in the Willows Theatre Trip

Wednesday 23rd January—MSA Movie Night



There is now DfE funding in school to support children's involvement in after school physical activities, so this years clubs will be provided by school at no extra cost.

Sorry fort he misunderstanding, if you have paid for this terms club, Mrs Ashmore will send you a refund next week.

After School Clubs:-

Tuesday—Indoor activities 3.15—4.15

Wednesday-Lego Club - More details to follow !!

Thursday—Dance Club 3.15—4.15