

Parents Newsletter

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Snowy sunrise over Speen CE School

Photograph courtesy of Ian Warr

Happy New Year and a warm welcome to the Rogers and Brewer families, Elsie, Macey and Oscar.

Parent Forum. 26th January

Mrs Hayman prepared

mathematical activities which the Foundation stage children explore in order to learn about shapes. After that parents and carers heard about Maths mastery, what and how it is taught and how you can help at home. Mrs Lidington provided examples of problem solving and reasoning and how the on-line homework, Activelearn, was set up for each child.

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 1st February Year Two Basketball multi-skills at Princes Risborough Secondary School.

Monday 6th February Bright Sparks concert, London Philharmonic Orchestra at the Royal Festival Hall and flight on the London Eye.

7th February, Safer Internet day. Activities to remind your children to keep safe on line.

Half term break. School closes at 3:00pm Friday 10th February and re-opens at 8:40 am Monday 20th February.

February 21st Perform Theatre drama workshops in English lessons for all children.

23rd Road Safety activities for KS1-BCC Youth service

28th Shrove Tuesday

March 6th Governor's lunch KS1 parents' evening

7th FS and KS1 parents' evening

7th Speen School's World Book Day – including Book Fair.

9th Speen CE School hosts the KS1 cross-country competition on Speen Playing fields 1:00pm.

24th Red Nose Day

2:30pm Mothers, grandmothers and carers are invited to the annual Mother's assembly

31st 9:15am Easter Service at St. John's Church Lacey Green.

Last day of Term. School closes at 2:00pm.

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PTA

Christmas events

It is now a distant memory but I would like to thank the PTA for their support throughout the Christmas Season at school. There is so much for us all to do so that the children have a memorable time and their help is really appreciated.

Eamonn Barrett, chair of governors addressed the PTA meeting on 17th January.

The next event is the Safari Supper which is very popular with parents and villagers alike on Saturday March 18th. Look out for the booking information which will come from the organiser Antonia Winson.

The PTA will also be providing refreshments at the KS1 Cross country tournament on Speen Playing field on Thursday March 9th. Come along to support our Year One and Year Two teams.

Travel Plan

On Wednesday 18th January the children were entertained by a Theatre Group, funded by the PTA. The messages were to walk to school, share a car to reduce pollution, wear something bright and stop, listen and think, "Is it safe to cross the road?"

Sainsbury Active Kids.

Last year we were fortunate to receive balls, bean bags and other playground and PE equipment, thanks to parents who saved the vouchers for us. This year Sainsbury began handing them out on 25th January. Please ask your friends and neighbours to look out for them. The children really enjoy adding to their toy cupboard outside.