



New York Newsletter

Friday 6th December 2019



Did you know?

December - The tenth month?
December marks the end of the year and the coming of winter. December is formed from the Latin root decem - which means ten, but December is our twelfth month. Why?

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Girls' Indoor Cricket:

On Tuesday after school we took two girls' 6-a-side cricket teams to The Peter Paine Sports Hall to take part in an indoor cricket tournament, where everyone bowled and everyone batted. We did tremendously well again, coming third, only being beaten by the eventual winners, by 7 runs. The girls were brilliant.



Table Tennis:

What a week! On Wednesday we took two teams to the table tennis tournament at Thomas Middlecott Academy. For the second time this week we were able to borrow a minibus from the Horncastle Education Trust, allowing us to take more children to the event. What a night it was - two gold and two bronze medals!

Emily Pye – Girl's Gold, Seren Evens – Girl's Bronze, Alex Barker – Boys Gold, Riley Edwards – Boys Bronze.



Headteacher Awards:

Flick Foster	Being compassionate
Luke Morley	Great writing
Lily Hurst	Amazing reading
Kaiden Toulson	Super rhyming
Skyla Jackson	Marvellous music
Harley Hulley	Sentences including verbs
Bertie Hurst	Reaching above the stars
Archer Pearce	Reaching above the stars
Kaiden Sanders	Wonderful reading

House Point Winners:

The Blue Sapphires!

Stars of the Week:

Class 1: Olivia Leggett Class 2: Alista Archibald

Shining Stars:

Olivia Leggett	Progress in reading
Kyra Sanders	Progress in PE
Harley Hulley	Engaging in discussions
Kristie Smith	Being mature
Harriet Dixon	Participation in class

Dates for your diary:

Christmas Matinee Performance
Christmas Morning Performance
Class 2 Lion, Witch and the Wardrobe trip.
Parent Christmas Craft Afternoon (No swim)
Christmas Jumper Day
Christmas Party Afternoon
 End of Term 2
 Start of Term 3
 End of Term 3
 Start of Term 4
 Start of Term 3
 End of Term 3
 Start of Term 4
 End of Term 4
 Start of Term 5
May Bank Holiday Friday
 End of Term 5

Friday 13th Dec 2019
Monday 16th Dec 2019
Tuesday 17th Dec 2019
Wednesday 18th 2019
Thursday 19th 2019
Friday 20th 2019
 Friday 20th Dec 2019
 Tuesday 7th Jan 2020
 Thursday 13th Feb 2020
 Monday 24th Feb 2020
 Tuesday 7th Jan 2020
 Thursday 13th Feb 2020
 Monday 24th Feb 2020
 Thursday 2nd April 2020
 Monday 20th April 2020
Friday 8th May 2020
 Friday 22nd May 2020

December - The tenth month continued... Why?

The ancient Roman calendar only had ten months in the year, beginning with the month of March. January and February were originally added, to the end of the year, after December. However, by the time the Julian calendar became established in 45 B.C, January and February appeared at the beginning of the year, which bumped all of the original months (and their originally assigned names) back by two. Whatever did the Romans do for us?

Christmas Card Competition:

We have a winner... Harriett Dixon Yr 3 – Congratulations!

