





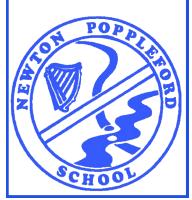
Monday, 7th January INSET Day

Tuesday, 8th January Children back in school

Thursday, 10th January Year 5 Parents Meeting at 9.00am

Wednesday, 16th January Year 3 Cake Sale

Monday, 18th February -Friday 22nd February Spring Half Term



December 21st News

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Well that's the first term over in the new school. It has been really good to see the children enjoying their new facilities especially the hall, which is obviously a massive change. It was good to be able see so many parents watch the fashion show back in October as well as the Key Stage 1 Christmas performance, as well as the local community using the hall for the Remembrance of the 100 years of the Armistice.

We are now looking forward to the final phase being completed - hopefully by about the end of February.

I hope you and your family all have a wonderful Christmas and New Year and we look forward to seeing all the children refreshed and ready for another exciting term in January.

Best Wishes

Mr Vaughan and all the staff.

From the PTFA

A massive thank you to everyone involved in the PTFA Christmas Fair this year. Those who organised it, made crafts, ran stalls, contributed to the hampers, set up, cleared up, and to all those who came along to support the event.

Special thanks to Mrs Raffell and the KS2 choir for their wonderful performance, and to Four Elms Fruit Farm for gifting the school our fabulous Christmas tree.

We've already spent some of the profits from this event, on speech and language development resources for pre-school, and blackthorn shrubs to fill in the gaps in the far field perimeter hedge.

Our next PTFA meeting is on **15th January**, at 7:45pm in the Cannon, all welcome!



"Inspire and Be Inspired"

Workshops for Parents & Carers Using 'Normal Magic' for good mental health

Wednesday 6th February 1.30- 3.00pm Newton Poppleford Primary School

To book a place please email: admin@newton-poppleford.devon.sch.uk The EH4MH Service are delivering a workshop for Parents & Carers at Newton Poppleford Primary School. We would love you to join us!

This workshop focuses on what mental health is, how we can all use M.A.G.I.C. in our interactions with children and young people to help support their mental health, the importance of balancing our mental health & positive choices we can make in doing this. You will hear how you can work alongside school in supporting your child or young person's mental health, and learn more about looking after your own mental health!

If you would like further information please contact: Harriet Coogan (SENCo) or Debbie Tollerfield (SENCo)

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