

**Newsletter 5 Term 1**  
**11th October 2024**



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## Longtown Residential

This week a large group of our Year 6 children have been on their residential in Longtown in Wales! They have all enjoyed some amazing experiences including canoeing, climbing and gorge-walking. They were also lucky enough to see the amazing Northern Lights!

They have all achieved so much and we are extremely proud of all of them!

We are immensely grateful to our staff who have given up their time and being away from their own families.

Well done everyone!



## Dates

## October

## 21st Class RJF Parents Evening

**23rd** New Reception Tour  
2025 9.30am

**23rd** Parents Evening 4-7pm  
(Virtual)

**24th** Parents Evening 4-7pm  
(Virtual)

## 25th Whole School Diwali Celebration

## 25th End of Term

## November

## 4th Training Day

**5th** Children return to school  
7th School Photos (individual)

## 11th Odd Socks Day

## 11th Remembrance Day

## 13th FUMPS School Disco

## Miss Duffy

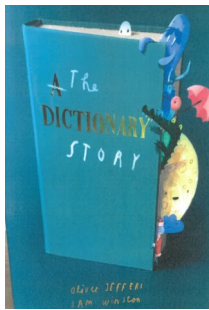
Today we say a temporary goodbye to Miss Duffy who is starting her maternity leave.

We look forward to hearing about her new arrival very soon!



## News from Mrs Rew

Mrs Rew has also received - on behalf of our children - a free book from Toppsta (toppsta.com) after submitting an entry into a giveaway. It's a hugely imaginative, and funny, story which will have wide appeal across the age ranges. Storytimes just got better! The website contains many thousands of reviews of children's books, so it's well worth exploring.



**WINTER DISCO**

**WEDNESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> NOV**

**£2.50 PER CHILD**

TICKETS AVAILABLE ON PARENT PAY

After School Winter Disco  
Reception, Year 1, Year 2: 4:45pm - 5:45pm  
Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Winter Disco is organised by FUMPS.  
All money raised supports activities for the children and the school

**Christmas Fayre**

**THURSDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**

**From 3.30 to 6.00**

UPTON MEADOWS RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION AND  
UPTON MEADOWS PRIMARY SCHOOL (AND THE FRIENDS OF)  
INVITE YOU TO A FESTIVE PACKED EVENING.

DON'T FORGET YOUR MONEY FOR  
DELICIOUS HOT FOOD, HOT & COLD DRINKS AND A WIDE VARIETY OF  
STALLS TO PURCHASE THOSE SPECIAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS!

See you there!

## Super Stars

**Well done to all the children who have worked so hard this week and demonstrated lots of our school values!**

**1EB:** Roman for being a good role model during our trip and showing good knowledge of castles!

**2AJ:** Elias for fantastic contributions in history.

**3KB:** Lucas for practising the text map at home and performing it beautifully during lessons!

**4CG:** Hope for trying really hard in her Maths work and for showing amazing resilience when she finds it difficult.

**5AK:** Dorothy for demonstrating an excellent attitude towards her learning and leading by example.

**1SK:** Rosalie for a great history discussion about the roles of the Queen and Prime Minister.

**2CD:** Maria for a brilliant shared write! Maria used fantastic vocabulary.

**3IH:** Max for always being a role model and trying his best particularly in his shared write in English this week.

**4GG:** Krisia for being a fantastic role model in our class!

**5AB:** Ayesha for her ongoing dedication to her work in class and showing UMPS pride!

## Parking

We have recently received a number of complaints.

Please can we once again remind parents to be considerate to our neighbours, children and other parents to drive and park safely.

Parents should not be parking or driving on the paths or parking across dropped curbs.

Please walk to school if possible or park a little further away to help resolve the congestion.

Thank you.



## Badges

Please can we ask if your child was a school councillor, digital leader, antibullying ambassador or eco warrior last year can they please return their badge to school as soon as possible?

Thank you.



## Rainbow Star of the Week



Abigail in 4CG for making us smile every day and creating a fantastic 'Finding tale' using lots of imagination. Well done Abigail!

## Amazon Wishlist

**Just a reminder that the school has an Amazon Wishlist**

If you would like to purchase something for the school, please take a look using the link below:

<https://amzn.eu/7Jnk7b8>



## Attendance

