

## **Cavalry Primary School**

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## This week at Cavalry:

- Nursery children and their parents enjoyed a 'stay and play' session on Wednesday. About 30 parents attended the session and many especially enjoyed seeing Circle Time in action.
- Great excitement in Year 1 on Wednesday! To help the children really understand the Great
  Fire of London, they watched as the staff set fire to model houses outside near the field. They
  saw how the wind blew and the fire spread, and were able to use all their five senses to
  generate ideas for fantastic writing the next day.
- Today, 45 children from KS2 have taken part in a cross country running tournament at Alderman Jacobs School in Whittlesey. Competing against 8 other schools, we were delighted that our Year 3 and Year 6 teams came second overall and Year 4 plus Year 5 teams came first. We also had five individual medal winners well done Darcey, Elwood, Ellie, Sasha and Rhys.

## Coming up soon:

6<sup>th</sup> November - individual appointments to see your child's teacher between 5.00 and 7.30 p.m.

7<sup>th</sup> November - individual appointments to see your child's teacher between 3.30 and 6.00 p.m.

9<sup>th</sup> November – Cake Sale for children in Y5/6 in aid of MacMillan – 50p per cake

15<sup>th</sup> November – last swim for Y3

22<sup>nd</sup> November – first swim for Y4

23<sup>rd</sup> November – non uniform day – please donate items for the children's Christmas market

27<sup>th</sup> November – children's Christmas Market in the school hall

3<sup>rd</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> December – nursery appointments to see your child's key person

10<sup>th</sup> December – Y4/5/6 Christmas production at 2.00 p.m. and 6.30 p.m.

11<sup>th</sup> December – Y4/5/6 Christmas production at 6.30 p.m.

12<sup>th</sup> December – Reception/Year 1 Christmas production at 9.15 a.m.

**12**th **December** – Nursery Christmas Sing Song at 11.20 a.m. and 2.50 p.m.

13<sup>th</sup> December – Reception/Year 1 Christmas production at 9.15 a.m.

14<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Jumper Day for 'Save the Children' and also Christmas Dinner Day

17<sup>th</sup> December – Y2/3 Christmas production at 2.30 p.m.

**18<sup>th</sup> December** – Y2/3 Christmas production at 2.30 p.m.

19<sup>th</sup> December – last day of term. Carol Service for Y4/5/6 at 9.15 a.m. – parents welcome

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019 – school and nursery open for new term

All term dates for the year ahead can be found on the school website.

## Other news and reminders:

- Poppies will be on sale in school next week, so children are welcome to bring in a donation for the Royal British Legion. We will also be selling limited numbers of erasers (50p), reflectors (50p), pencil sharpeners (50p), pencils (50p) and rulers (£1). We have limited stocks of each item and 'when they are gone, they're gone'.
- Our PCSOs paid several visits to monitor parking just before half term and issued 9 parking tickets to illegally parked cars. Please do not park in the bus bay or on the single yellow lines at the times indicated by the signs.
- At the end of the school day it is always very busy outside school, especially on the school drive. Please can we ask parents to hold back and space themselves out so that all children can safely make their way to the person collecting them? This avoids accidents and help all children spot the person waiting for them.