

NEWSLETTER

3 DECEMBER 2021

CANONBURY
PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Autumn 2

Dear parents and carers,

We have enjoyed a marvellous second half of the term so far, finally being able to invite you in to class assemblies. It has been wonderful to see the children so confident and enthusiastic, showing off their learning in performance. Do have a look on the website for more lovely photos of the class assemblies.

We have more to look forward to next week with our Christmas Concert for Yrs1-6, at the Union Chapel and our Early Years Christmas performances in school too.

At the start of November we held our first Canonbury community event, with our reinstated Fireworks Night celebration. It truly was a spectacular evening that went off with a bang!

A huge thank you to all the parent volunteers who worked so hard, both on the night and planning the whole event—we really couldn't do it without you.

Patrick Midden



Fabulous Fireworks



Year 4 Assembly - Romans



Year 5 Assembly — Science Experiments



Year 3 Assembly—Stone Age



Year 3 —Country Dancing

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The Margins Homeless Project

We would once again like to help our neighbours at The Margins Project with support for the homeless over at the Union Chapel.

For those of you who are new to the school this is a local charity that we support at Christmas time. Margins usually provide overnight shelter for the homeless through the winter months, however, due to Covid-19 restrictions they are only able to provide drop in sessions with hot meals, advice and washing facilities.

So in true Canonbury spirit we would like to ask all our families if they can donate any of the items listed on the flyer opposite.

Donations can be brought into school from:

Monday 6 December - Tuesday 14 December

Please place donations in the blue crates located outside the main entrance into the school.

In past years the Canonbury community has been very generous in helping, so we look forward to another bumper year of donations for people less fortunate than ourselves facing a hard, cold winter.

Dear Canonbury Primary School,

The Margins Project at The Union Chapel would love support from the Canonbury Community again this December. Margins offers a range of services to support vulnerable people facing homelessness and crisis in Islington.

This winter we are unable to run the cold weather shelter, but will continue to support our guests our twice weekly drop in, with access to a hot meal inside, advice and washing facilities, and we rely on donations from our community.

This December we would love donations of the following items:

- Hand Warmers (one brand is Little Hotties)
- Mens thick socks
- Mens and women's gloves
- Mens thermal tops
- Mens long johns
- Mens jogging bottoms
- Travel sized toiletries
- Normal sized toiletries
- Body sprays (Lynx or similar)
- Razors and shaving cream
- Handcream
- Bagged or boxed (sealed) sweets, biscuits or savouries
- Hot drink jars or sachets (eg hot chocolate)

We would also welcome donations of preloved items:

- Mens and womens fleeces
- Sturdy shoes
- Sleeping bags
- Mens belts

We will be parcelling up and handing out some of these donations out at our Christmas lunch on 22nd December, and keeping the rest as stocks to be used through the cold winter months ahead.

Diary Dates

Tuesday 7 December—11.15am	Christmas Concert - Union Chapel (Yrs1-6)
Wednesday 8 December - 9.45am	Nursery—Christmas Performance
Thursday 9 December - 9.30am	Reception Pegasus —Christmas Performance
Friday 10 December - 9.30am	Reception Phoenix - Christmas Performance
Friday 10 December	Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day (Save The Children) Bring £1 or more
Tuesday 14 December	Year 1— Toy Workshop in school from Pollock's Toy Museum
Wednesday 15 December	Year 1— Trip to: Little Angel Theatre—'The Storm Whale'
Friday 17 December 2021	Last Day of Autumn Term —break for Christmas holiday 1.45pm
Wednesday 5 January 2022	First Day of Spring Term for pupils