

Rue's Remarks

Lots going on in school this term. Our pupils have been busy getting ready for the Christmas nativity and showcase, due to restrictions we have set up a couple of ways in which our parents/carers can still enjoy the performances such as virtual links and recordings!

Delighted, this term, to receive the Rainbow Flag Award - *the evidence presented was found to be outstanding in showcasing the work around school.* Well done everyone!!

Our school council have been putting together a few stories for our newsletter, we look forward to having many more stories from our school council news reporters.

Ohhh and do you like the new look of our newsletter? We have been working on the school's publicity materials and we also working on updating the school website, which we hope to share with you next year.

We have also been busy re-establishing our Friends of Epina y School group and hope to raise lots of money for the school! You may have seen a flurry of fundraising activity this term, we are overwhelmed by the support we have received from parents/carers, staff and governors and local businesses. Thank you very much, we very much appreciate all that you do for us!

I would like to wish all our pupils, staff, families and friends a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

See you all back in January...
"ready to listen, ready to learn together"

Oh Christmas Tree

Thank you Blue class for collecting our tree and decorating it so wonderfully.



BBC Children in Need

WOW, overwhelmed again by the generosity and support for this, one of the most popular days in school. Pupils enjoyed lots of Pudsey bear activities and raised **£368**.



Friends of Epina y School

Following our coffee morning re-launch of Friends of Epina y School, we now have a new committee who are excited to be leading on new fundraising ideas. Follow our activities on facebook or on the school website!

Look out for our NEW – Friends of Epina y pin badges ... coming soon!



School Council Update

Over the Autumn term the students have discussed where to go for the termly house trip, recruiting buddies for phase 1 yard, creating a playlist for the Halloween party, suggestions for new after school clubs for the spring term, talking about their role during assembly, interviewing new staff and securing £200 for new equipment for the Invention shed.



This is Lucy is one of our lunch time buddies playing with Olivia and Katie. Lucy loves her new role and enjoys encouraging the children to explore different games on the yard.

Molly and Leland interviewed Miss Atthey and Mary and Harvey interviewed Miss Lucas. They each asked them questions about their time leading up to their teacher training and beyond.



Epina y Cafe

Christmas lunches – SOLD OUT!!! We hope you enjoyed the Christmas experience in Epina y Café, something our NVQ students look forward to every year! We look forward to seeing our customers return in the new year - haven't tried it yet then come and join us at our Tuesday lunch club, 2-courses for £4.50, open to the general public.

Important Dates

Christmas Holidays
Mon 20 Dec 2021 –
Mon 3 Dec 2022
RETURN TO SCHOOL
TUESDAY
4 JANUARY

February 2022 –
School Holidays
Monday 20 February –
Friday 24 February

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