

SLADE

PRIMARY SCHOOL



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School Newsletter Term 2 Issue 7

Friday 15 December 2023

KAREN SLADE

FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the last newsletter of this term and what a festive week it’s been!

On the theme of festive fun, Monday evening saw many of our older pupils and their families congregate at St. Peter and St. Pauls’ church for our traditional ‘Carols by Candlelight’ service. The carol service was a lovely celebration of singing, music and readings all of which retold the story of the Nativity. Thank you to all of the children who took part and performed, either individually or collectively, and for leading us through the packed programme. Thank you too to all of the staff involved in teaching and preparing the children for this event. Many thanks to all of the friends and families who came to join us and for sharing your thanks and positive feedback following the service. Everyone went home from church feeling very Christmassy indeed!

The festivities continued into Tuesday as our Key Stage 2 Choir took the train into London to spread their Christmas cheer further afield, singing in front of the Christmas tree in Trafalgar Square! It really was a magical, memorable moment seeing and hearing our fabulous children entertaining all passers-by during their 45-minute singing window, sharing a medley of Christmas songs old and new. A huge thank you to the marvelous crowd of parents and loved ones who came to enjoy this special moment too. Special thanks to our fundraisers who were relentless with the shaking of those collection buckets, collecting donations from the very generous public. A very special moment for all involved; thank you to Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Luffingham and Miss Taylor for making the magic happen!

Still with our choir, huge congratulations to Sarah Luffingham, Higher Level Teaching Assistant and Choir-Lead Extraordinaire who has been successfully appointed to the role of part time Teaching Assistant at Somerhill School in Tonbridge and will therefore be leaving us at the start of next term with her last day being Friday 5th January. As delighted as we all are for Sarah on her successful appointment I know that you will agree that Sarah’s departure will be a huge loss to us here at Slade and that Somerhill will be very lucky to have her on their team.

A special mention and a huge thank you to all of our PTA who have been working tirelessly across this term with their fundraising efforts which culminated last week in the Christmas raffle prize draw; huge thanks to all involved in making this happen and congratulations to the lucky winners! The hamper prizes were amazing! Many thanks too for the beautifully wrapped Christmas gifts that you provided for each child in school which Santa’s Elves enjoyed delivering to the classes this afternoon!

Don’t forget to check out the Christmas edition of the Maths newsletter that landed in your inbox yesterday! It’s full of seasonal Maths ideas to keep you busy during the festive period so do check it out.

And finally, congratulations to Miss Maple (Pixie Class Teacher) who has asked me to now share her pregnancy news with the wider Slade community! We look forward to welcoming your new addition to the Slade family in the Spring! And congratulations and good luck too to Miss Lipman (Sphinx Class Teacher) who is getting married on Monday! Sending all good wishes to you for a very special day!

I hope that you all have a thoroughly restful Christmas break and look forward to seeing you all back in school for the start of Term 3 on Wednesday January 3rd 2024.

Take care, stay safe and be kind.

Karen Slade



DIARY DATES

NEXT WEEK AT SLADE

Next Week:

Day	Event
Monday 18 December - Tuesday 2 January	Christmas and New Year Holiday School Closed to All Pupils
Monday 1 January	Christmas and New Year Holiday School Closed to All Pupils
Tuesday 2 January	Christmas and New Year Holiday School Closed to All Pupils
Wednesday 3 January	First Day of Term 3
Thursday 4 January	House Captain Visit to Houses of Parliament Participants aware - please make sure payment has been made via Arbor
Friday 5 January	

Forest School and Swimming Next Week:

MONDAY	
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	4 January - Sprite Class Forest School 4 January - Griffin Class Swimming - This is the last session
FRIDAY	5 January - Gnome Class Forest School

Further Ahead:

Tuesday 9 January

PHOENIX CLASS SWIMMING

Please look out for dates and
payment information to follow

Wednesday 10 January

EYFS PRE ADMISSION OPEN
MORNING

Book via: [https://
forms.office.com/e/KHHhvQ1MCg](https://forms.office.com/e/KHHhvQ1MCg)

Thursday 11 January

SPHINX CLASS SWIMMING

Please look out for dates and
payment information to follow

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AROUND SCHOOL

Happy Holiday's

We would like to wish everyone of our readers, our families, friends, staff and most importantly of all the children of Slade Primary School the most wonderful festive period during the Christmas and New Year holiday.

Thankyou also to everyone who has contributed to the school newsletter over the last calendar year, we look forward to bringing you lots more of what has been going on in and around the school in 2024.

A reminder that the first day back in school in the new year is Wednesday 3 January.



Magical Musical News

We have lots of wonderful musically related stories around Slade at present. In addition to the children's own and curriculum lessons and successes (thinking of our cover story a couple of weeks back featuring Arthur at the Maidstone Music Festival) we are pleased to include in today's issue, details of the lovely Christmas performances that our choirs have been taking part in this week, see page 5 for the full story.

We are also delighted to share news of our latest musical acquisition - our new electric piano - funded by a grant from Universal Music UK Sound Foundation.

Music lead at Slade, Steph Stephens said, 'We would like to thank the Universal Music UK Sound Foundation for the grant that allowed us to purchase a new electric piano. The piano has already been put to use in our choir sessions, allowing teachers to support the children with learning different parts to songs. It will also be used for pupils learning to play and within performances throughout the year. The children and staff are very impressed with the quality of sound and are excited to put it to use as much as possible.'

In securing the grant, School Business Manager Jill Westwood said, 'Schools have weathered consistent financial challenges throughout the ABC period (Austerity, Brexit, Covid-19), and still face constant financial challenges. Whilst searching for funding opportunities, we came across The Universal Music UK Sound Foundation. This Foundation supports the Instrument and Equipment Awards, which aim to improve access to music through the purchase or upgrade of musical instruments and equipment. Since starting in 2012, they have supported hundreds of organisations. The Foundation provided Slade Primary with a £750 grant towards the purchase of a new digital piano which has provided a fantastic opportunity for both our pupils and teachers of music to improve their musical interests and abilities.'



Tree Plea from Forest School

If you have a real Christmas Tree at home and are already thinking about how to dispose of it responsibly in January, then we have the perfect plan.

Tina Hall, our Forest School Teacher would like to offer a free and easy recycling service - by donating them to Slade's Forest School.

The trees are excellent at soaking up winter mud and ground water and also act as a good grip for the children in the slippery parts of the wooded area - the children also like to practice with tools to cut the trees up, they make dens out of them and the trees, intriguingly, are also perfect for making wood cookies!

If you are able to donate a tree, please contact us via office@slade.kent.sch.uk, or alternatively, just bring the tree to the Hawden Road Gate, resting it against the gate and not on the neighbours fencing please, anytime in the new term, Monday to Friday after Monday 8 January and between 08:30 and 11:00.



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KS2 Choir in Trafalgar Square

What a wonderful evening we had in the centre of the capital city on Tuesday where the KS2 choirs, led by Mrs Stephens and Miss Taylor sung their hearts out to a packed Trafalgar Square.

Mrs Stephens told the newsletter:

‘It was an absolute joy to take 52 members of the KS2 choirs to Trafalgar Square on Tuesday afternoon. We were a little apprehensive about the forecast but were thrilled to see the sun come out as we got off our train in London.

The children have been working hard in our choir practices over the last few weeks and considering they only have 20 to 30 mins per week to rehearse, they managed to perform 12 Christmas songs beautifully.

The setting was very special and magical; we started performing in daylight and finished in darkness but surrounded by the twinkly Christmas lights of Trafalgar Square. The choir drew in a substantial crowd with many tourists and passers by stopping by for their performance and donating money to the PTA whilst doing so.

I’d like to say a big thank you to Mrs Luffingham and Miss Taylor for all of their hard work to help to prepare for this event and also to all of the lovely parents that escorted them.

Most of all, a huge well done and thank you to our incredible and talented choir members! ‘

The choir have been seasonably busy this week. Monday evening saw them perform alongside musicians , poets and speakers at the Parish Church of St Peter and St Paul for our annual Christmas service, Carols by Candlelight. Thankyou to everyone who came along for what was another very special event in Slade’s calendar.



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Christmas Presents from Kent Police

We are grateful to PC Jodie Hobbs of Kent Police for providing our parents and wider members of our families with some excellent and useful guidance with potential presents this Christmas.

Our website has been updated to include family friendly and safety for children guides to popular Social Media sites WhatsApp, Tik Tok and Snap Chat as well as to the safe use of e-scooters in and around Kent.

Find this information on our For Families page: [Slade Primary For Families](#)

In addition to this, PC Hobbs has provided the following links for parents for the safe online play of games consoles from [PlayStation](#), [Nintendo](#) and [X-Box](#)

Finally, please do take a minute or two to refer to the London Grid for Learning which promises parents and carers a one stop shop to help with all matters Safeguarding online: <https://parentsafe.lgfl.net/>



**Kent
Police**



TikTok
snapchat



SafeguardED

The Medway Tales

Leah and Lucas have a very special reason to be looking forward to Christmas this year as they help celebrate with their daddy as his book, The Medway Tales, has been successfully translated from the original Spanish and into English and is now available to buy via Amazon, here: https://www.amazon.co.uk/gp/aw/d/1916965393/ref=tmm_pap_swatch_o?ie=UTF8&qid=1701202560&sr=8-1

The book's blurb tells us about what to expect from these lovely and thoughtful stories:

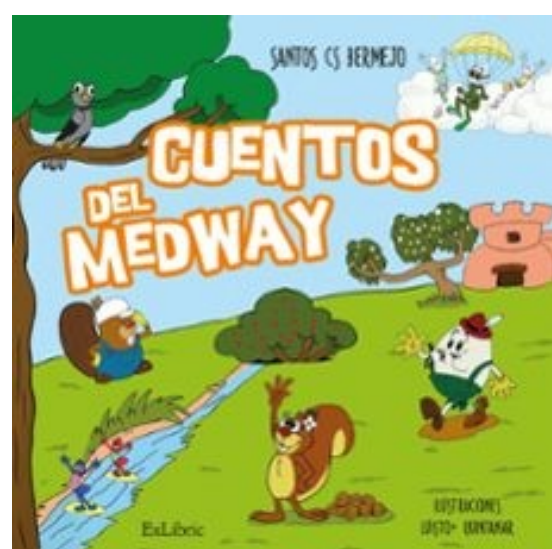
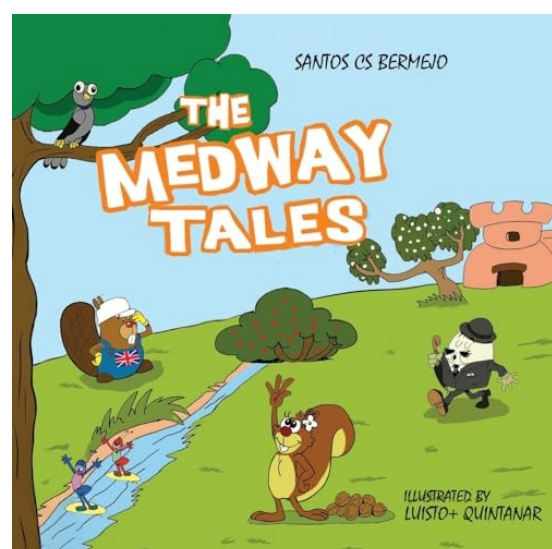
In "The Medway Tales," you will find seven short stories that, although initially may seem intended for children, will easily have the power to touch the hearts of young people, adults, and individuals of all ages.

These stories are set in the picturesque area bathed by the River Medway in SE England and share a deep anthropological foundation centered around human behaviour. They originate from the observation and appreciation of the life that surrounds us.

They are fictional stories, brief yet rich in meaning, where the personification of animals or natural elements, such as rain, comes to life to speak to us about a life experience. It won't be difficult to see oneself reflected in some of the characters and in the lessons they convey, regardless of our age.

The Spanish original, Cuentos Del Medway, has already proved to be popular and is also available to buy for those readers who speak or are learning Spanish, it would be the perfect treat and costs only €13.25 from Casa del Libro : <https://www.casadellibro.com/libro-ibd-cuentos-del-medway/9788419520715/13558832>

We are very pleased to share news of the success of the book, written by a parent here at Slade, Santos CS Bermejo, who is also author of other children's books written in Spanish, including his latest, Hoja de caer - find out more via the Amazon bio page or follow Santos on X; @SantosCejudoS_B



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SPORT, FITNESS AND WELLBEING

Year 5 and 6 Sportshall Athletics

Mrs Ball and Mrs Buckland beat the soon to be commissioned bulldozers to the Angel Centre as they took a Year 5 and a Year 6 team to the Schools Sportshall Athletics Competition.

The performances from all of the children were superb with very honourable mentions for record breakers Alex, Malvina and Olivia who smashed previous competition records in Speed Bounce, and to Felix who the javelin an amazing 18.5m!

We are also proud of the team’s resilience, personified by Stella, who tripped during the relay, got herself immediately to her feet to continue the race successfully - but ended up with a spectacular bruise to her arm for the cause!

Well done to everyone who took part.



Tonbridge and Malling Year 4 Football

Tonbridge and Malling Schools FA have been in touch with another exciting set of Monday Evening Open Training Sessions in the New Year for boys in Year 4. Secretary Ashley Rodhi, wrote to us saying:

‘Our current group of year 4 footballers have been training with us since September, they have attended over 14 training training sessions and have participated in two end of term matches to give them the opportunity to apply what they have leant from there training into there matches. We are really pleased with the progress they have all made with there individual footballing development. The main aim of these sessions is to develop the individual player.

Session Details

Dates: Monday 8 and Monday 15 January 2024

Location: Mascalls Academy Maidstone Rd, Paddock Wood, Tonbridge TN12 6LT

Time: 18:00 - 19:00

Pitch Type: 3G Pitch

After both sessions, players will have the option to continue training until the Easter Holidays.

Our Representative squads trials are taking place after the Easter Holidays so this is the perfect opportunity to get involved with our district.’

Register by simply complting the form here: <https://form.jotform.com/232345093922354>



Pau Brothers’ Cracking Karate

We are delighted to hear that Harrison in Wyvern Class successfully passed his Karate grading last Sunday with a 1st pass. He is now onto his Blue Stripe belt after training with SAMA Karate who provide our Friday afternoon lessons here at Slade.

Harrison’s brother, Jackson, a former pupil here at school also passed and is now a 1st Kyu.

The boys’ parents are naturally thrilled with of them both as they have really worked hard to achieve these great results at the grading. They told the newsletter, ‘We are both very proud of them as it has been a year of training with Sama to get to this point.’

Congratulations to Harrison and Jackson and look out for our full range of Term 3 clubs coming out next week.



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PTA NEWS

Thank you from the PTA

It has been such a busy 2 terms of fundraising and we wanted to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you for attending events, buying tickets, joining in with Raffles, volunteering and generally supporting all of our efforts. Over the past two terms we are delighted to have raised over £11,000 which is already being used to purchase learning resources and subsidise school trips.

A specific thank you to the incredible businesses that support and sponsor us, working at cost to deliver amazing services that make our events possible. Thank you to Garth and Lisa with The Booze Box; Matt at Phoenix Events and Mark at Mark One Entertainments, and to Matt Sargent for his additional personal support.

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a fabulous start to the New Year!



Looking ahead to our next fundraiserBag2School

What better way to start a new year than with a clear out!! On Tuesday 30 January we have arranged a collection with Bag2School to raise funds for our school...we bring in our good quality, unwanted items, and they will pay us based on the total weight.

Bag2School is a free eco-friendly fundraising scheme that helps schools and charities raise funds through textile recycling. Their aim is to promote the reuse of clothes and shoes to benefit those who rely on second hand clothes. For every 1kg we collect, they will pay us 50p. All money raised through this scheme will go straight back to the school for additional resources for all our children.

Below is a list of what we can, and cannot, collect. All items should be in good, reusable condition.

What we can collect:

- Adult and Children's clothes
- Shoes tied together in pairs
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Bras
- Jewellery
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding

What we cannot collect:

- Duvets and blankets
- Pillow and cushions
- Carpets, rugs and mats
- Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothes
- School uniform with and without logos
- Corporate clothing and workwear
- Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material
- Furniture and large items
- Batteries

Wet items cannot be collected, so we will be keeping an eye on the weather when we decide the collection point!

Friends and family are welcome to join in too! Donated items can be collected in bin liners/available bags and we will let you know when and where to bring them in after Christmas!

For further information please see the Bag2School website: bag2school.com



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FOREST SCHOOL

Term 3 Timetable

Thursday 4 January - Sprite (Mrs Hill)

Friday 5 January - Gnome (Mrs Potter)

Monday 8 January - Pegasus (Mrs Stephens and Mrs Berrill)

Tuesday 9 January - Hippogriff (Miss Taylor)

Thursday 11 January - Phoenix (Mr Osborne)

Friday 12 January - Sphinx (Miss Lipman)

Monday 15 January - Wyvern (Mrs Fordyce)

Tuesday 16 January - Hydra (Mr Duffin)

Thursday 18 January - Dragon (Mrs Worley)

Friday 19 January - Griffin (Mrs Burnside)

Monday 22 January - Elmer (Mrs Pearson)

Tuesday 23 January - Gruffalo (Mrs Hitchcock)

Thursday 25 January - Pixie (Miss Elliott and Miss Maple)

Friday 26 January - Elf (Mr Louth)

Monday 29 January - Gnome (Mrs Potter)

Tuesday 30 January - Sprite (Mrs Hill)

Thursday 1 February - Pegasus (Mrs Stephens and Mrs Berrill)

Friday 2 February - Hippogriff (Miss Taylor)

Monday 5 February - Phoenix (Mr Osborne) *

Tuesday 6 February - Sphinx (Miss Lipman) *

Thursday 8 February - Wyvern (Mrs Fordyce)

Friday 9 February - Hydra (Mr Duffin)

** Please look out for future announcements as these Forest School sessions for Year 4 classes are subject to possible change for cookery lessons off site, to be confirmed.*

How to Dress Kids for Cold Weather

Think of layering as a sandwich



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THE CHAIR OF GOVERNORS

Simon Griffiths

As we come to the end of another busy term, I just wanted to update you on the work of the Slade Governing Body. We held our second Full Governing Body meeting of the year, where we discussed the school's development priorities for this year and started discussions about our strategic direction for the next few years. We have established a small sub-group of governors who will be considering what our priorities should be over the next 3-5 years and I look forward to sharing the results of their work in due course.

We also held the first meeting for this academic year of our Curriculum committee. These meetings focus on specific subjects and are an opportunity to hear from the subject leads and discuss their subjects in detail. This meeting focussed on Maths and English and gave us a good understanding of the progress in each of these subjects and the plans and targets for this academic year. We also discussed how the school is making use of the additional funding provided via the Pupil Premium and Sports Premium to ensure this money is being used effectively.

In addition to our meetings, governors also visited the school as part of our monitoring responsibilities. Visits this term covered Safeguarding and Health and Safety. We also continued our regular monitoring of the school's finances.

May I also take this opportunity to thank everyone who shared their thoughts via the governor's annual survey. I can assure you the comments received have all been shared with the school and will inform the decisions we make as we move forward.

Finally, may I wish you all a safe and happy festive break.

Simon Griffiths,



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Congratulations, Raffle Winners

The PTA and everyone at Slade would like to thank everybody who bought a raffle ticket in the recent PTA Christmas draw. The monies raised go straight back into resources for each child at Slade.

The list of winners are as follows:

Hamper 1 (Luxury Cosmetics and Proseco) - Hannah Ludwig

Hamper 2 (Christmas Cheer and Theatre Trip) - Lauren Pau

Hamper 3 (Festive Treats) - Tina Di Nero

Hamper 4 (Drinks and Sweet Nibbles) - Chris Lethbridge

Festive Christmas Wreath - Samantha Ostridge

Tonbridge School and Recre8 Vouchers - Laura Vatu



Tonbridge Angels v Maidstone United tickets (26 December at Longmead) - Grace Bevis



DEAR PARENTS AND CARERS

ARBOR EMAILS SENT THIS WEEK

Please take the time to read emails sent to you, we try to make sure that everything you are sent relates to your child, so nothing is irrelevant. If you would like further information on any email we send, please contact the class teacher or the school office for assistance.

Date of Communication	Subject	Sent To
Monday 11 December	No Clubs This Week	All School
Monday 11 December	Bags for Year 5 and 6	Year 5 and 6 Parents
Tuesday 12 December	Forest School Highlights	Griffin Class Parents
Tuesday 12 December	Forest School Highlights	Dragon Class Parents
Tuesday 12 December	Forest School Highlights	Hydra Class Parents
Wednesday 13 December	Pixie Class Update from Mrs Slade	Pixie Class Parents
Wednesday 13 December	KS2 Lunch Payments	All KS2 Classes Parents
Thursday 14 December	December Maths Newsletter	All School
Friday 15 December	Year 2 Singers	Year 2 Parents

HERE TO HELP

HOW TO CONTACT US

We are always keen to hear from you if you have a positive, negative comment to make about anything going on at school, or if you have a question or need clarification on anything we have sent or said.

We have a number of ways for you to reach out to us; please see the guide below to see where you should direct your question or comments in the first instance in order to make sure we are able to answer you as quickly as possible.

My child’s class learning , class activities, lessons, homework Wellbeing or pastoral support, Concerns about bullying and behaviour	Your child’s class email address: <i>classname@slade.kent.sch.uk</i>
School Trips, Payments, School Events Special Educational Needs (SEND) General Enquiries	office@slade.kent.sch.uk
Sickness reporting, Absence requests and medical appointments	attendance@slade.kent.sch.uk
Admissions	admissions@slade.kent.sch.uk
Yeti’s Wraparound	General queries: and Childcare Voucher payments: yetis@slade.kent.sch.uk Late Collections: 01732 377760
School Lunches, Nourish Contract Catering	teresa@nourishcontractcatering.co.uk
Slade PTA	sladepta@yahoo.co.uk
The Governing Body and Chair of Governors	governors@slade.kent.sch.uk
Complaints	slaws@slade.kent.sch.uk
GDPR Information and Reporting	eugdpr@slade.kent.sch.uk or slaws@slade.kent.sch.uk

SLADE STATS

ATTENDANCE

Over a school year, we are due to be open for 190 days which equates to 380 sessions.
Registration takes place at 08:50 in the morning and after lunch in the afternoon.
Attendance is affected if a pupil is not present at school for any whole session including registration.

The class with the best attendance each week will win Attendance Ted.
Winners are announced via our X (formerly Twitter) feed @sladeprimarysch

Our Attendance Target

97.0%

Our Attendance This Week

94.5%

Our Attendance This Year

95.4%

Congratulations to Elmer Class who have won Attendance Ted and Punctuality Pup for the Christmas Holidays.
They had the best attendance over Term 1 (97.2%) with only 3 latemarks. Unfortunately, we had a total of 297 late children through the term.



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PUNCTUALITY

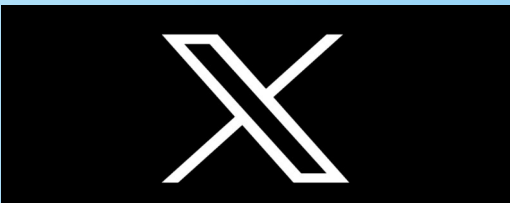
Registers are taken at 08:50.
It is important that the children are at school on time every day to prevent disruption and upset to their day and for the rest of their class.
Punctuality Pup is awarded to the class with the best punctuality each week.
Winners are announced via our X (formerly Twitter) feed @sladeprimarysch

Pupils Late This Week

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SLADE ON X

X-POSTS (Formerly Twitter)



We encourage you to follow us on the social media platform X, formerly known as Twitter.

We post a daily diary Today at Slade at 07:15 each morning as well as reminders, useful information, live updates from school and other community events of interest.

Date of Post	Subject
Monday 11 December	Today at Slade
Monday 11 December	No Clubs This Week
Monday 11 December	Carols by Candlelight
Tuesday 12 December	Today at School
Tuesday 12 December	GLA Christmas Carol Concert
Tuesday 12 December	Live from Trafalgar Square
Wednesday 13 December	Today at Slade
Wednesday 13 December	KS2 Sportshall Athletics
Thursday 14 December	Today at Slade
Thursday 14 December	Maths Newsletter
Friday 15 December	Today at Slade
Friday 15 December	Celebration Assembly from Tonbridge School
Friday 15 December	Christmas with Tonbridge Angels

Slade Primary School @SladePrimarySch · Dec 13

Our KS2 Athletes are at The Angel Centre today taking part in Sportshall Athletics.

Our Team:
Harriet, Malvina, Lily, Izzy, Stella, Robert, Milo, Lenny, Jack, Daniel, Dominic, Harriolos, Olivia, Victoria, Lucy, Keeva, Viloet, Charlotte, Winnie, Leo, MJ, Toby, Laith, Alex & Felix.

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Slade Primary School @SladePrimarySch · Dec 12

It has been a wonderful evening in Trafalgar Square as the Choir have been singing in the @LDN_gov Carol Concert.

Thankyou to everyone who organised the event, the visitors who stood and enjoyed the music and to Mrs Stephens and Miss Taylor for running the choirs for us.

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Slade Primary School @SladePrimarySch · 21m

Our Cuddle Bears will be spending the holiday in Elmer Class as we celebrate the fact that Mrs Pearson's EYFS children spent more time in school than any other in Term 2. Only 3 children late (/297) and 97.2% attendance (versus the average of 94.5%)

In Term 3 : #BeMoreElmer

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Slade Primary School @SladePrimarySch · Dec 11

Today at Slade:

Elf Class Forest School

NHS Flu Immunisations for all children where consent has been given

18:30 - Carols by Candlelight @PeterPaulTon with performances from our KS2 choir, the Signing Choir and from children currently learning to play instruments

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Slade Primary School @SladePrimarySch · Dec 12

We are super excited to be part of the @LDN_gov Christmas Carol Concert tonight in Trafalgar Square.

The KS2 Choirs are performing Christmas favourites to the crowds as they pass by the iconic landmarks of the square which include the tree kindly donated by @GreenOasis2019.

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Slade Primary School @SladePrimarySch · 29m

At our special end of year assembly this morning there was still plenty of time to celebrate our Pupils of the Week:

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Emma & Martin

1

Matilda & Jaden

2

Poppy & Evelyn

3

Phoebe & Wolffe

4

Kemal & William

5

Isla & Jack

6

Amber & Poppy...

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SLADE+

YOUR WAYS TO PAY

We have tried to make paying for special lessons, wraparound provision, school trips and visits amongst other events that happen through the year as easy as possible. Please see our handy guide here on the current prices and ‘Way to Pay’ when required.

We always make sure that all trips and special events are priced as fairly as possible but are acutely aware that extra costs can be tricky for our families. If you would like to discuss payment options for any extra spend at Slade, please contact us at anytime and confidentially via office@slade.kent.sch.uk.

School Dinners

School Dinners provided by Nourish Contract Catering are free to the following groups:
EYFS Classes, Year 1 Classes, Year 2 Classes, EYFS, KS1 AND KS2 pupils eligible for benefits related Free School Meals

School Dinners provided to KS2 (Year 3-6) children are charged at £2.40 per meal.
Credit should be loaded onto the Meals section of your Arbor account.

Yeti’s Wraparound Provision (Breakfast and After School Clubs)

Breakfast Club is charged at £4.20 per session

After School Club is charged at different pricepoints:

Until 16:30: £4.20 // Until 17:30: £8.60

If your child participates in an after school activity, please let us know via yetis@slade.kent.sch.uk and we charge only for the 16:30 - 17:30 time at £ 4.40.

Payment should be made via your online SCOPAY account. Please email yetis@slade.kent.sch.uk if you require a login to SCOPAY.

School Trips and other Special Events

You will be notified of the dates and costs of school trips or special events by email.

Payment and consent will be made via the Trips section of your Arbor account.

Paid For, Independent Clubs and Activities

Slade does not take payment for independently run clubs. All payment and correspondence should be directed to the club organiser.

Swimming Lessons

6 Swimming lessons are taken by all KS2 classes at a cost of £17.00.

Payment and consent will be made via the Trips section of your Arbor account once you have been advised of the dates of the sessions.

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EXTRA CURRICULAR CLUBS NEXT WEEK

Monday

Clubs

Timetable to
be released
soon

Tuesday

Clubs

Timetable to
be released
soon

Wednesday

Clubs

Timetable to
be released
soon

Thursday

Clubs

Timetable to
be released
soon

Friday

Clubs

Timetable to
be released
soon

[Full Details: Times, Prices, Ways to Book and more via the school website](#)

Clubs run by staff at Slade with spaces

Clubs run by staff at Slade Currently Full

Independent Clubs: Contact Organiser for full details