

# INAMOS

*Your Child - Their Journey - Our Focus*

## Next Week's Diary

MONDAY 20 NOVEMBER

Year 5 Curriculum Production Week

TUESDAY 21 NOVEMBER

Music Recital [Exam pupils] (6pm) Manor Place Hall

WEDNESDAY 22 NOVEMBER

THURSDAY 23 NOVEMBER

Sports Council Meeting (10.30am)  
Year 5 Production performance (2.30pm)

FRIDAY 24 NOVEMBER

Year 5 Production performance (10am)

## Dates for the Diary

### **Monday 27th November**

Mufti Day (FYMS Christmas Fair)  
Music Examinations  
Year 3/4 Book Look

### **Tuesday 28th November**

Music Examinations  
Year 1/2 Book Look

### **Wednesday 29th November**

Reception and Nursery Stay and Play

### **Thursday 30th November**

GCSE PE Mock Examination  
Year 1/2 Christmas Production

### **Friday 1st December**

Year 1/2 Christmas Production

### **Saturday 2nd December**

Open Morning  
FYMS Christmas Fair

## Debating Competition Success



Our Youth Speaks team, consisting of Jake, Lola and Victoria presented a fifteen-minute debate on the question 'Are boys and girls really treated equally in 2023 UK schools?' As chair, Jake introduced both speakers charmingly and ensured that he wrapped up the presentation at precisely fifteen minutes according to the strict time-keeping rules. Lola spoke for the proposition, arguing that gender treatment is variable. She spoke with conviction and with perfect pace and enunciation. Victoria then argued from her experience as a pupil at Yateley Manor that girls and boys are valued as individuals. Her engaging and passionate presentation was also extremely convincing.

We were thrilled to win the competition and will now represent the school and Easthampstead Rotary Club in the Regional competition next year.

## Odd Socks

This Wednesday, children were invited to come into school wearing odd socks. The reason...? The Anti-Bullying Alliance initiative encourages us to express ourselves and celebrate our individuality - essentially what makes us all unique.





## Community Support

Our Year 7 children popped over the road this week to the Pantry to plant some flowers and garlic. Our link with our local Pantry is growing strong. Last year we held a Reverse Advent event. This year we are planning donations around Easter time, with an egg theme. More details will follow.



## Maths Week (England)



Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 have been celebrating Maths Week (England). Year 1 helped make a 'shapes' costume for "Mr Maker's" next TV show and Years 2, 3, and 4 used their detective, teamwork and, of course, Maths skills to try to solve the mystery of the Missing Reindeer Bells, Snowman's nose, and the Spoiled Party Bags.

Years 3 and 4 collaborated wonderfully well to calculate answers to tricky mathematical clues and like true detectives they uncovered the thief! The winning teams are pictured.



## Remembrance

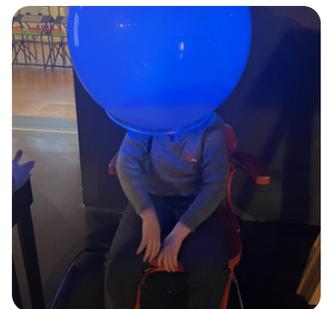
This wonderful display has been created by children in Year 2. We are lucky to have staff with so much creativity!



## Year 6 Science Museum



Year 6 had a fantastic day at the Science Museum. They started with a show all about forces, covering Newton's laws, air and water resistance, friction and magnetism, before going to a show all about how rockets work. They then went to the IMAX cinema to see 'A Beautiful Planet' before finishing off in the Wonderlab! The children behaved brilliantly and were great ambassadors for the school.





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## Car Park Safety

It has come to our attention that there are some users of the car park who are behaving in a way that is potentially dangerous for children and families. We urge you to please use the car park with caution, and in particular:

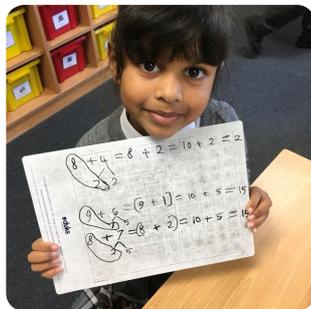
- Kill your speed, not a child.
- Switch engines off when stationary.
- Turn left out of the car park, to limit congestion.
- Follow the one-way system within the car park.

## Children in Need

In assembly this morning, we looked at what it means to be a friend. We explored the quote *'Two are better than one because, if one falls over, the other one will pick them up'* (Ecclesiastes) and how being a friend is about putting other people first.



## More Mathematics Week Fun!



## Open Morning

We have an Open Morning on Saturday 2nd December (10am). Do share the date with anybody keen to explore what we have to offer at Yateley Manor. Further details are available from Zoe Newman (Head of Marketing and Admissions) at [znewman@yateleymanor.com](mailto:znewman@yateleymanor.com)

Some of our children in Years 7 and 8 will be tour guides for the morning. They will undoubtedly be amazing ambassadors for our school.

Join us for our  
**OPEN MORNING**

**Saturday 2nd December**  
**10:00am**

**Come and experience our family ethos - book your place now!**

Call 01252 405500  
Email [admissions@yateleymanor.com](mailto:admissions@yateleymanor.com)  
Visit [www.yateleymanor.com](http://www.yateleymanor.com)

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## Mathematics Competition

As part of Maths Week England, four Year 4 children were invited to participate in the Lambrook Maths Challenge on Tuesday. 48 teams from local schools took part in a variety of different activities starting with a quick-fire Mental Maths warm up. The children then enjoyed working together to think laterally to solve tricky problems including tangrams puzzles and domino jigsaws. Well done to Elizabeth, Isabel, Elijah and Reuben who represented Yateley Manor.





## FYMS Update



Welcome back to our busiest half-term of the year so far! We have lots going on so be sure to get the dates into the diary now.

**Monday 13th November:** Raffle tickets went home last week. There is a Smyths voucher up for grabs for the child that sells the most. Additional books are available to collect from reception.

**Monday 27th November:** Mufti day! Donations of chocolate for the tombola in exchange for wearing home clothes please.

**Friday 1st December:** We will be putting Santa's Grotto up in the morning. If anyone can offer a small amount of time in the morning that would be amazing. Experience of putting a bell tent up beneficial but not essential! Please email [fyms@mail.com](mailto:fyms@mail.com) if you can help.

**Saturday 2nd December:** FYMS Festive Fair welcomes everyone between 11am and 3pm. Full programme details available in our [closed FB group](#). Santa's grotto tickets are on sale so click [here](#) to get yours now. Just a few tickets remaining.

**Friday 8th December:** Prep Christmas Discos start at 6pm for Years 3 and above. Tickets are on the [website](#) now. We will be serving pizza and squash as well as offering glitter tattoos. Please ensure your child has a named water bottle with them.

**Friday 8th December:** Years 6-8 Festive Film Night. FYMS has listened to feedback and for years 6-8 FYMS will be putting on a Festive Film Night for those older children who would prefer not to attend the disco. We will be welcoming children from 6.30pm in Manor Place for pizza and drinks, with the film starting at 7pm. Children will also receive a bag of popcorn and we will have a tuck shop open selling canned drinks and sweets. For anyone who has purchased a ticket for the disco and would like to switch to the film night, email [fyms@mail.com](mailto:fyms@mail.com) and we will switch it over for you.

**Wednesday 13th December:** Nursery and Pre-Prep Christmas Parties. We ask that each child has a ticket to cover the cost of running the event. More details are available on our website.

**Volunteers:** We really do need volunteers to help run all our events so please sign up online when purchasing tickets as you will be prompted at checkout. Alternatively please email [fyms@mail.com](mailto:fyms@mail.com) letting us know the times you're available.

**Fundraising Plans for 2023/2024:** We are continuing to raise funds for additional playground equipment to enhance the donations FYMS have made over the last 18 months. The children have voted for a mixture of items including another outdoor table tennis table, miniature golf, picnic benches and outdoor art easels.

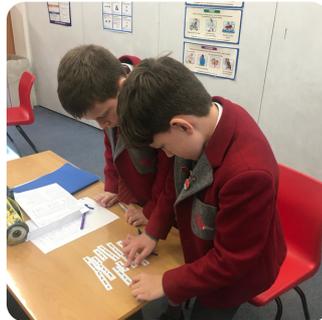
**Committee Meeting:** It was lovely to see some new faces at our FYMS Committee meeting, our next one is scheduled for 11th January 2024. If you would like to come along then please email [fyms@mail.com](mailto:fyms@mail.com) or let your year group rep know.



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## Images from the week



## Menu for next week

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day
<b>Main Event</b>	Beef and Tomato Ragu	Roasted Chicken Sage and Onion Stuffing	Cumberland Sausage Onion Gravy	Chicken and Mushroom Stroganoff	Fish Fingers Lemon Tartare Sauce
<b>Vegetarian Section</b>	Lentil and Carrot Bolognese	Sweet Potato, Pepper and Feta Tart	Cauliflower Cheese	Aubergine Tomato and Halloumi Orzo Pasta Stew	Quorn Nuggets
<b>Sides</b>	Wholemeal Pasta Garlic Bread Roasted Carrots	Herb Roasted Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Gravy	Creamed Potatoes Sauté Cabbage Leek and Broccoli	Vegetable Rice Steamed Cauliflower and Broccoli	Chips Baked Beans Choice a Colour of Vegetables
<b>Extras</b>	Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar	Hot Pasta Bar	Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar	Hot Pasta Bar	Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar
<b>Dessert</b>	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day