

# THE PAKEMAN PRESS



**Pakeman  
Primary  
School**

Thank you for taking the time to read this weekly newsletter. We hope you will find its contents useful.

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Thursday 21st December

## Breakfast Club Festivities

Throughout the year, the staff and children at Breakfast Club are always busy in the early mornings with a host of activities. To end this term, Julie kindly made the children some festive biscuits for them to decorate. They had great fun doing this and even more fun eating their biscuits afterwards. Thank you to Julie and Jackie for all their on-going early morning care and the lovely work that they do with the children to make this club so enjoyable.



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

End of Term

Thurs 21 December  
**1.30 Finish**



Start of Spring Term

Tues 9th Jan 2024

Early School Closure:

Prompt school closure 3:30pm on:

16th January 2024

## The Gingerbread Bakers

Another group of children have been having fun at the baking table this week. Together, with Marcia, a group of key stage 1 children made some gingerbread mixture. They then passed this on to some lucky children in key stage 2, who had the fun of baking the biscuits and making gift bags to take home some of the left over dough.



## SUPERSTARS



All the children in  
Early Years  
for their fantastic  
nativity performance.

Well done.  
You are all superstars



## Winter Fair Success

A huge thank you to Marcia and to all the staff, parents, carers and children for helping to make our Winter Fair such a success. Events like this are a great reminder of just how warm and welcoming Pakeman is - something we should all be very proud of. Well done and thank you to everyone involved.



## Pine Class - The Big Builders

This half term, Pine Class has been enjoying their topic 'building and construction'. The children have been exploring lots of different ways to build. They also made some fantastic models at home. Their models are amazing. Well done - what great builders we have!



## Ways to get help - if you're struggling with living costs

If you're struggling with money, there are things you can do to save on your regular living costs. [Check what to do if you need help with living costs.](#)



If you're finding it hard to pay your bills, you can get help. [Find out more about getting help with your bills.](#)

You can also [get help with debts.](#)

If you're struggling to pay for food, [find out how to get help from a food bank.](#)

[Contact the Citizens Advice consumer helpline](#) if you need more help - a trained adviser can give you advice over the phone, online chat or by email.

If you get benefits, you might be able to get £150 off your electricity bill or £150 added to your prepayment meter. [Warm Home Discount Scheme](#)

# MUSLIM WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP

Muslim Women's Voices count!  
A safe space for muslim women to talk, share concerns and needs

Learn more about mental health  
Access to Mental Health services

**ALL ARE WELCOME**  
**REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED**

Every Monday 11 am - 12:30pm  
Manor Gardens Centre  
6-9 Manor Gardens, N7 6LA

Contact Valbona or Khadidja on:  
valbona@manorgardencentre.org 07732699611  
khadidja@manorgardencentre.org 07519588576

Manor Gardens provides support to improve the health and wellbeing of pregnant women, new mothers and their families through one-to-one support, workshops and activities.

**May we take this opportunity to wish everyone  
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year**

