

Dear Families,

Welcome back from half term holidays. I hope you had a restful week and managed to catch up with friends and family. We had a successful training day on Monday looking at our School Development Plan and having some training on Maths. I am also pleased to say all of our Level 3 Teaching Assistants have passed a 1 day first aid certificate.

We have been developing our "Thought for the week",

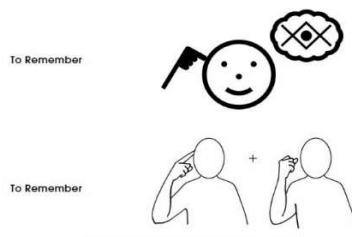
This week it is I can cheer someone up



We also have a Makaton sign for the week

Let's learn a new word every week and be inspired.
This week's sign is...

To Remember



https://makaton.org/TMC/News_Stories/SOTW/SOTW_To_Remember.aspx

Bees Class News

Bees have been working on independently pressing a switch to activate different things. They love hearing the sheep sing songs to them and watching the disco ball lights rotate.



I AM DRUMS

You are invited to a performance of: **I AM DRUMS** in the School Hall on **Thursday 17th November (5pm-6pm)**.



I AM DRUMS is a filmed poem and live drumming performance, written and created by Key Stage 4 and 6th form students. The poem explores the emotions of anxiety and anger and what it is like to be a teenager.

I AM DRUMS was first performed at Cambridge Junction in July of this year, as part of the Hotbed New Writing Theatre Festival. It is the first half of a project that will be further developed in 2023, where the emotions of happiness and excitement will be explored through a variety of creative media.

Please RSVP by Thursday 10th November to:

mgallagher@castle.cambs.sch.uk

Ticket cost: pay-what-you-like. There will be a donation bucket.

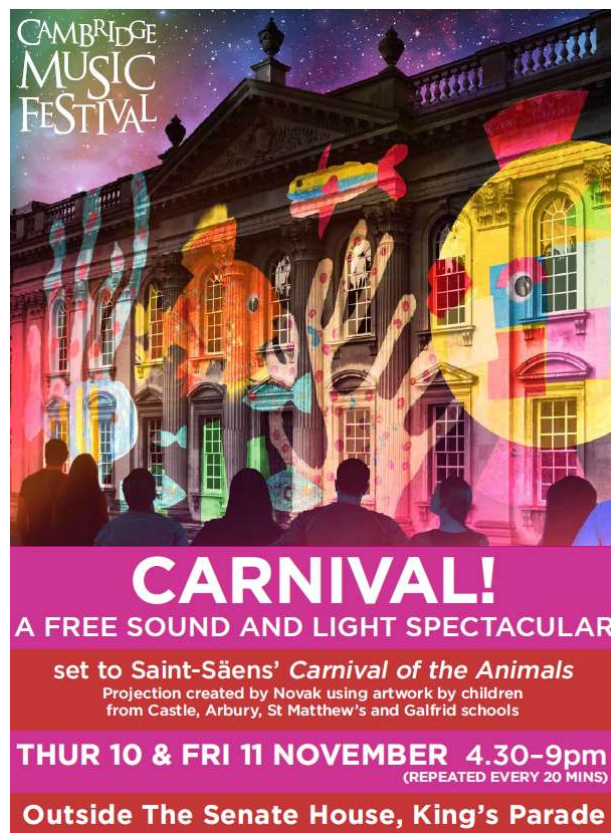
Tea, coffee and savoury snacks will be on sale before and after the performance.

Fireworks celebrations this weekend please take care and go to an organised event.



Senate House

I am very pleased to announce that the projection some Castle pupils participated in is happening next week! I hope that you will be able to come along with your children to see the finished piece. It looks really glorious and the work produced by the Castle students takes pride of place!



Phoenix Christmas Trees and Fair

It is that time of year again! - Our dates and events will be out next week.

We are delighted to announce that Phoenix Christmas Fair is back, bigger and better than ever – so do put the date in your diary.

These is a great Charity and many of our ex-pupils go there.



Come & Visit
on Sat 3rd of Dec
 10.30am - 3.30pm
at Phoenix Milton
 for some festive cheer!

JOIN US FOR

Charity Christmas Trees
 Wreaths, Decorations & Gifts
 Mini Market & Mince Pies

PLUS DISCOVER OUR CHARITY & THE PRODUCTS WE CREATE

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The trees are sized within a range, so if you have a specific size in mind, we recommend erring on the side of caution and potentially order the next height up to that which you are considering.



Charity Christmas Trees From Phoenix Milton

We are delighted to announce we are selling **Premium Cut Nordmann Firs** again this year!

To absolutely ensure that you get the tree of your choice, we would strongly recommend pre-ordering by **emailing us at info@phoenixtrust.org**. They will be available for collection, from Tuesday 29th November, and of course, at our Christmas Fair on Saturday, December 3rd.

In buying a tree from Phoenix, a social enterprise and charity, you are enabling us to carry on our work - supporting people with learning disabilities and/or complex needs.



SIZE (METRIC)	SIZE (IMPERIAL)	PRICE
90-120cm	2'9"-3'9"	£18.00
120-150cm	3'9"-4'9"	£24.00
150-175cm	4'9"-5'7"	£30.00
175-200cm	5'7"-6'5"	£38.00
200-225cm	6'5"-7'3"	£48.00
225-250cm	7'3"-8'2"	£57.00
250-300cm	8'2"-9'8"	£93.00

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Best wishes

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