



Attendance for Last Week

Our School Target is 97%

LAST WEEK WE ACHIEVED 99%

Class percentages for last week:

Reception (Turtles) - 99.5%

Year 1 (Jellyfish) - 99.0%

Year 2 (Puffins) - 98.7%

Year 3 (Sharks) - 98.7%

Year 4 (Penguins) - 98.9%

Well done Turtles!

STARS OF THE WEEK

Kacey-Mae Henderson

Mason McKay

Sophie Taylor

Noah Baxter

Millie Angus

Marcie Burge

Lola-Kelly Forge

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2016/17 SCHOOL DIARY

Friday 9th December	5pm-7pm PTA Christmas Movie Night
Monday 12th December	2pm Y2,3 & 4 Christmas Performance
Tuesday 13th December	9.30am Y2,3 & 4 Christmas Performance
Tuesday 13th December	2pm Y2,3 & 4 Christmas Performance
Weds 14th December	2pm Nativity Service at St Cuthbert's Church
Thursday 15th December	Christmas Jumper / Christmas Dinner Day
Friday 16th December	Party Day
Friday 16th December	2pm School closes for Christmas Break
Tuesday 3rd January	SCHOOL CLOSED Teacher Training Day
Wednesday 4th January	School Re-opens for Spring Term



CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES FOR YEARS 2, 3 & 4

After the great performances from Early Years and Year 1 it's now over to the older children! Next week are our three Y2, 3 and 4 Christmas Performances. The first performance is at 2pm on Monday 12th December. Followed by performances at 9.30 am and 2.00pm on Tuesday 13th. Doors will open at 1.30pm for afternoon performances and 9.00am for the morning performance. Following afternoon performances, parents will be able to take children home with them. Our PTA will be providing refreshments and selling tickets for their annual Christmas Raffle before and after the performances. Babies and toddlers are welcome to come along to watch the performance but we ask that if they begin to make a noise that parents take them out of the hall to ensure that everyone else is able to hear. **PARENTS ARE POLITELY REQUESTED TO COME ALONG TO ONLY ONE OF THE PERFORMANCES TO GIVE EVERYONE A FAIR CHANCE TO SEE THE CHILDREN PERFORM.**

CHRISTMAS JUMPER AND DINNER DAY

The children will be enjoying their Christmas dinner next Thursday. If your child normally has a packed lunch and you would like them to have a dinner please bring payment of £2.00 to the school office by the end of Monday. **THERE WILL BE NO BAKED POTATO OPTION ON THURSDAY.** The children are also invited to come to school wearing Christmas jumpers! This has become a very popular event and we love to see the range of jumpers the children come in, including the homemade creations. As it can get quite warm in school, we ask that the children wear the majority of their school uniform and just replace their school jumper with a Christmas one so layers can be taken off if need be.



MOVIE NIGHT-TONIGHT

It's our Christmas Movie Night TONIGHT! (9th December) for children in Years 1-4. For just £3 each the children can come back to school in their pyjamas and onesies from 5pm-7pm to watch Polar Express. The price includes hot dog, drink and sweets.



FREE DISCO!!

The old storehouse are holding a free disco in their function room for First School children on Friday 16th at 2pm till 5pm.

PARTY DAY - FRIDAY

Next Friday is our last day at school before Christmas so it will be our party day! Children can come to school in party clothes and we will be providing party food at lunchtime for ALL children including those who normally have a packed lunch. **Dinner money next week will therefore only be £8.00 - please pay this on Monday.** **SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 2PM ON FRIDAY. ALL CHILDREN MUST BE COLLECTED BY AN ADULT AT THIS TIME**

CHURCH CAROL SERVICE - 2pm Wednesday 14th December

Parents and friends are welcome to join us for our Christmas Carol Service at St Cuthbert's Church at 2pm on Wednesday. Parents are invited to help us walk the children to the church and should arrive at school at 1.10pm and wait near the doors which your children leave school by each day. Parents will be able to take the children home directly from the church. All other children will be walked back to school and should be collected at the normal time. We look forward to seeing you there.