Amble Links First School LINKS NEWS

FIRST SCHOOL

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STARS OF THE

WEEK
Remi Schofield
Warren Smith
Florence Roper
Eva Mather
Savannah Cowie
Carter Cramman

John McPeake

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK

Our School Target is 97% LAST WEEK: 96.1%

 Nursery (Seahorses)
 -88.9%

 Reception (Turtles)
 - 95.4%

 Year 1 (Jellyfish)
 - 99.2%

 Year 2 (Puffins)
 - 94.8%

 Year 3 (Sharks)
 - 98.2%

 Year 4 (Penguins)
 - 93.0%

Well Done Jellyfish!

ChristmasFair

Our Christmas Fair on Wednesday raised a massive £1545

We would like to say a special thank you to everybody who came along and enjoyed the evening. We would like to say an extra big thank

you to the parents, staff and governors who gave up their time to help out; it really was great to have so much help!

Well done to Mrs Dellbridge for her hard work in organising everything that went on – it's been months in the planning!

DANCE CLUB

Our last Dance Club will take place on Monday. Unfortunately this will not be restarting after Christmas as Bethan is not able to continue running these sessions after the holiday. We'll look into other options next year.

SWIMMING

There will be no further swimming lessons until after Christmas. It is our intention for lessons to restart in the first week back meaning that KS1 children would be swimming on the first day back of the Spring Term—Tuesday 10th January.

FOOTBALL CLUBS

Next week is the last week for football club this year. Football will restart on the second week back to school in January.

KS1 Football will be moving from a Thursday to a Monday after school.

We will also be looking at starting a KS2

Netball Club-look out for more news about this after the holiday.

CHRISTINGLE ASSEMBLY

It was a pleasure to welcome Revd Colin (at very short notice) to lead our Christingle Assembly this week. As usual, it was very well attended by parents

NURSERY/RECEPTION & Y1 CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES

Having not been able to hold Christmas Performances for parents last year, we're looking forward to welcoming you back again this year. Our EY/Y1 performances will be taking place at 9.15am and 2.00pm on Monday 12th December. Parents attending the morning performance will need to drop children off as usual and will then be allowed to enter the hall through the KS1 doors (like on assembly mornings) at 8.50am once we have the children in. Parents coming to the afternoon performance will be need to enter through the main school doors which will open at 1.30pm. PARENTS SHOULD CHOOSE TO COME TO ONLY ONE OF THE PERFORMANCES AS SPACE WILL BE LIMITED.

2022-2023 SCHOOL DIARY	
Monday 12th December	9.15am or 2.00pm Early Years/Y1 Christmas Performances.
Sunday 18th December	11.00am Choir singing at Harbour Village
Monday 19th December	2.00pm Y2, Y3, Y4 Christmas Performance
Tuesday 20th December	9.15am or 2.00pm - Y2, Y3, Y4 Christmas Performance
Wednesday 21st December	1.30pm Nativity Service at St Cuthbert's Church
Thursday 22nd December	Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day
Friday 23rd December	Christmas Party Day
Friday 23rd December	2pm—SCHOOL CLOSES FOR CHRISTMAS BREAK
Tuesday 10th January	SCHOOL REOPENS FOR SPRING TERM

IMPORTANT—AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS
UNFORTUNATELY WE ARE NOT ABLE
TO PROVIDE ANY AFTER SCHOOL
CLUB NEXT FRIDAY (16th DECEMBER).
THERE WILL ALSO BE NO AFTER
SCHOOL CLUB ON FRIDAY 23RD AS
SCHOOL CLOSES AT 2PM THAT DAY

CHRISTMAS DINNER

It's our Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day on
Thursday 22nd December. If your child
usually has a packed lunch but would like a
Christmas Dinner, please order this through
SchoolGrid as soon as possible.



CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

There's only a week left to buy tickets for our Christmas Raffle. The raffle will be drawn after assembly next Friday. Parents are welcome to stay behind to see this being

drawn if they wish. We'll be in touch with winners as soon as possible after the draw.

Y2. Y3 & Y4 CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES

The children are busy learning words and will begin practising next week. Performances will be held on Monday 19th December (pm) and Tuesday 20th December (pm). The same arrangements as the performances for our younger children (see left) will be in place. PARENTS ARE ASKED TO COME TO JUST ONE OF THE PERFORMANCES PLEASE

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