

The Stationvoice



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Thought of the Week: To the world you may be one person; but to one person you may be the world." – Dr Seuss

celebrating success

Head Teacher Awards

The following children were all given a Head Teacher Award Certificate for their outstanding work last week: Lincoln Clark, Shay Foster, Kalisha Cunningham, Georgia Fullen, Rebecca Hanlon, Katie Agnew and Beth Darbyshire. Well done to all of you and keep up the good work!

Mathletics – KS2

KS2 Mathletics winners last week were Rowan class with 21,600 points. Lewis Stanton had the highest points last week with 5,712. Well done!!

Star of the Week

Star of the Week certificates were given to the following children: Sophia Halliday, Liam Stanton, Liam Brown, Carla Rowlands, Eva Halliday, Jack Stafford and Kian O'Brien. These children all had Star Tea with Mr Sutherland due to their exemplary attitude.

Ice-Cream Friday

The following children all had ice cream sundaes at ice-cream Friday last week: Ollie Little, Ellis McLean, Alex Roy, Lucy Lynn, Dylan McMorn, Natasha Olsen and Ellen Adey-Phillips. These children were rewarded because of their good attitude and their tremendous effort last week.

Pudding of the Week

The pudding of the week was chosen by Rowan class and the children are very excited about their creation. It is called 'Hyperspace Galaxy Meltdown' and it will be served on Thursday 3rd December.

Attendance

Both Oak and Chestnut classes had the highest attendance last week with 100% and whole school attendance was 98%. **This is brilliant, well done everyone!!!** Please don't forget to ring 01670 822326 if your child is going to be late or unable to attend school. Thank you.

important information

Poppy Collection

We wanted to say a huge thank you for all your contributions recently and have just heard back from the organisers that we raised a staggering total of **£267.67** in just a few weeks. I received a letter and a framed certificate from the Royal British Legion letting us know that we raised the most money out of all the schools in the local area. I shared this news with the children at our assembly the other day and the certificate has been placed in our Foyer, with a copy of the letter on the school noticeboard. Bearing in mind, we have just collected for Children in Need also, which fall at the same time of year, I wanted to thank you all for your continued generosity. It really will help to make a difference.

Elf Shelf

We have run Elf Shelf on Monday and Thursday this week and the event has once again proved extremely popular. We had stalls set up for the children to choose from a selection of gifts for each member of the family, an area set aside where presents could be wrapped and labelled and even a room where the children could then watch a movie whilst waiting to be collected. May I firstly say how beautifully behaved the children were, waiting their turn and coming up with loads of ideas about what they would like to buy. They concentrated really hard to make sure they had enough money and were clinging on to their Christmas lists for dear life. We even managed to get some maths practice in by working out what change they would need! This event couldn't happen without the hard work, organisation and dedication of a huge team of people. May I thank Mrs Johnston, all the parent helpers and all the staff for all their hard work and for giving up their time at the end of a busy day to help the children have this wonderful experience. It really is very much appreciated!

Parking

Can I please ask that parents and carers take care when dropping off and picking up their children and the beginning and the end of the day. Please park carefully so as to avoid requiring other parents and children to walk on the road in order to get round a badly parked car or one that has been parked half on the pavement or on yellow lines. I realise that this is an issue outside school boundaries but I am sure that everyone wants to work to keep the children in our community safe when around school premises. Thank you, in advance, for your co-operation.

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 9th December - Christmas Fair more details below

Wednesday 9th December – Christmas Lunch more information below

Tuesday 15th December – 2.15pm and Wednesday 16th December – 2.15pm - Christmas Performances will be at St John's Church, more details to follow in the next couple of weeks.

Thursday 17th December – Party day

Friday 18th December – School closes at 2.00pm

Christmas Fair

We will be holding our Christmas Fair on Wednesday 9th December in the School hall the doors will open at 6.00pm. There will be a Tombola stalls, raffle tickets, refreshments (coffee, tea, mince pies etc.) plus lots more. Santa Claus will also be visiting at £1.50 per child tickets will be available from Thursday 3rd December at the school office.

School Admissions for Children starting in Reception September 2016

The Online Portal is now OPEN for First and Primary School Places for children starting school in September 2016. It will be open from 2nd November 2015 until 15th January 2016.

BE BRIGHT AND BE SEEN THIS WINTER

Please don't forget. If you are out and about in the dark, wear something reflective. Attach it to your coat or bag so that you can be bright and be seen.

Class List

Please note that your child will bring home a list of children in their class. Please keep them we will not be able to re-issue them. Thank you.



Christmas Dinner Menu

Christmas Dinner

Roast Turkey, Sage and Onion Stuffing Balls,
Chipolata Sausage, Creamed Potatoes,
Roast Potatoes, Carrots and Peas

Pudding

Christmas Vanilla Ice-Cream or
Yogurt or Fresh Fruit Salad

Don't forget to order your child's Christmas Dinner -
£2.00 per child

Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day

As Wednesday 9th December is Christmas Dinner day, we are asking everyone to come along to school in their Christmas jumper. If you don't have a Christmas jumper, then attach some tinsel around the sleeves or the bottom of your jumper etc. Please note you do not need to bring a contribution – just a jumper!



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Christmas School Dinner

This year we will be having our Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 9th December. If you would like your child to have a dinner on this day, the price will be subsidised by school and held at £2.00. To order please return the slip before next Tuesday 1st December. Even if your child has free school meals please complete and return the slip below. Many thanks.

Christmas School Dinner

Child's Name _____ Class _____

I would like my child to have a Christmas dinner OR My child will be having a packed lunch.

ONLY ENCLOSE MONEY IF YOUR CHILD IS NOT PURCHASING SCHOOL DINNERS THAT WEEK.

Signature of Parent/Carer _____