



## West Tyne Federation of Schools

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Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> December 2016

Dear Parents

### Christmas Play

We would like to say a huge "well done" to all the children for their beautiful singing and wonderful acting in our Christmas play. Also, a big thank you to the PTA for organising the raffle and to all parents for their continued support.

### Staffing

I am delighted to be able to tell you that Mrs Sheila Holland will be joining our teaching team in January. Mrs Holland will be teaching the children in Reception five days a week. When I met with Mrs Holland this week, she was keen to have the opportunity to meet with the parents of our Reception children as soon as possible. Mrs Holland is coming into school next week to meet the children and, as part of that visit, we will set a date and time for her to meet with our Reception parents.

### Twix

Could any photographs of Twix misbehaving please be sent to Mrs Fairless at the address below so that she can include them on the website:

[joanne.fairless@northumberland.gov.uk](mailto:joanne.fairless@northumberland.gov.uk)

Please look out for class 1's Roald Dahl videos that they have created using the green screen.

### Christmas Events

**Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas party for the children in the afternoon. Children can bring party clothes to change into (please do not feel you have to buy anything special!)

**Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> December** – Christingle in church at 2.15, all welcome.

(We need a few parents to help make the Christingle oranges on Tuesday afternoon, 1.15pm – if you are able to help, please let the school know).

**Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> December** – the children will be spending the day at Henshaw where they will take part in Christmas activities and have a Christmas dinner. If your child normally has a packed lunch but would like Christmas dinner on that day, please let the school office know on Monday. (Normal school uniform please).

**Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas jumper day and carols round the tree for parents/friends at 2.00pm.

### Stars of the week


All of the children for their brilliant performances in the play.

Mr Nolan for helping Imogen learn her words!

**Attendance w/c 5/12/16**

Reception	100%
Year 1	96%
Year 2	97%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	95%
Overall	97%

**Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynolds's Menu w/c 5.12.16****(Please note this menu may be subject to change)**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Shepherd's Pie & Carrots Salad	Steak Pie, Potatoes, Peas & Beetroot Salad	Chicken Curry, Rice, Sweetcorn & Naan Bread Salad	 Christmas Dinner!	Chicken Goujons, Chips & Beans
Jelly & Fruit	Fruit Crumble & Custard	Raspberry Cheesecake		Frozen Fruit Smoothie
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt		Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt

A reminder that we break up for the Christmas holidays on Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> and the children return to school on Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> January.

**PTA News**

The Christmas play entertainment raised £491.05!

Raffle prize winners –

1<sup>st</sup> prize – James Nolan

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Chris Henderson c/o Claudio Di Lullo

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize – Angela Taylor c/o Claudio Di Lullo

4<sup>th</sup> prize – Erica Richardson c/o Claudio Di Lullo

Chocolate Mountain – the lucky Ringwoods!

Hamper tickets will be available to purchase throughout next week at £1 each.

The PTA will be serving refreshments next Friday (16<sup>th</sup> Dec) in the school hall and will be holding a small raffle.

Yours,

Judith Meek

Acting Executive Headteacher

