



Milton Primary School

Fortnightly Newsletter

3rd December 2018

Headteacher's Comments

The build up to Christmas has well and truly begun, so this newsletter aims to provide some clarity to some of the events to come.

Firstly, I would just like to confirm that the FINAL amount collected for Children in Need was a whopping £473.23! A massive thankyou as this is such an incredibly generous amount.

A big thankyou to our fantastic PFA for kicking off holiday season with their 'Breakfast with Santa' event last Saturday. All the children I have spoken with today said how much they enjoyed it, and they couldn't believe that Santa was in our school hall- on the stage!

As you know, it is an especially busy but wonderful time of the year at in school children are busy preparing for their Christmas performances.

First up this week are Y3 and Y4 who will be performing at the Presbyterian Church. Both performances are within school hours, so the children will eat in school as normal, and then the Year 4 performance at 2.30pm will be finished in time for parents to return to school to collect siblings in time for the end of the day.

Next Monday Y5 and Y6 will perform at an evening carol concert at Holy Trinity Church in Christchurch. Parents will need to bring children to church no later than 5.45pm for a 6pm concert. Parking is restricted up in Christchurch, so the church have kindly agreed to open the car park at the 'viewpoint.'

In the final week of term, there will also be a singalong in Nursery, carols in the classrooms in Reception and our Year 2s will be performing at their concert on **Wednesday 19th December** at 10am (please note the change in date).

We look forward to seeing you as many of possible at these performances.

Finally, we hope to see you all at the PFA's Christmas Fayre this Wednesday at 3pm. It promises to be a great event, with lots and lots of exciting stall planned- we might even have a special visitor!

Thankyou for your continued support and I look forward to seeing you at many of these events.

Mrs Burke

Attendance 19.11.18- 30.11.18

Class 1 FP Miss Allen	Class 2 FP Miss Thomas/ Mrs Clarke	Class 3 FP Mrs Rowan	Class 6 FP Miss Choo	Class 7 FP Miss Mogford	Class 8 FP Miss Cornwall	Class 9 FP Mrs Roche	Class 6 KS2 Miss McClymont	Class 5 KS2 Miss Wolfe Murray	Class 4 KS2 Miss Instone
89% Red	90% Red	85% Red	86% Red	88% Red	92% Amber	87% Red	85% Red	93% Amber	93% Amber

Class 3 KS2 Mrs Wells/ Mrs Hodge	Class 2 KS2 Mrs Birchmore	Class 7 KS2 Miss Jones	Class 8 KS2 Mrs Thomas	Class 9 KS2 Miss Cahill	Class 10 KS2 Mr Oram	Class 11 KS2 Mrs Ryan
92% Amber	93% Amber	85% Red	89% Red	86% Red	92% Amber	89% Red

Gold standard - 100%; Green Standard - above 97%; Amber Standard – between 92% and 97%; Red Standard – below 92%

School Target 93.3% - beaten by Class 2KS2, 4KS2 & 5KS2 Well done!

Important Dates

(New dates are in bold)

- Tuesday 4th December 2018: Flouride Varnish
- Tuesday 4th December 2018: Heddlu Bach trip to Glamorgan Cricket Ground
- Wednesday 5th December 2018 @ 3pm: PFA Christmas Fayre
- **Wednesday 5th December 2018: Nursery Coffee Morning**
- **Thursday 6th December 2018: YN New Starters Meeting @ 10am and 2pm**
- Thursday 6th December 2018: Y3 Carol Concert at Ringland Presbyterian Church @ 11am
- Thursday 6th December 2018: Y4 Carol Concert at Ringland Presbyterian Church @ 2.30pm
- Monday 10th December 2018: UKS2 Carol Concert @ Holy Trinity Church, Christchurch @6pm
- **Monday 10th December 2018: Nursery trip to St Fagans**
- Wednesday 12th December 2018: Christmas Dinner Day
- Wednesday 12th December 2018: PFA Meeting
- Friday 14th December 2018: Christmas Jumper Day
- **Wednesday 19th December 2018 @ 10am: Y2 Christmas Performance**
- Wednesday 19th December 2018: Christmas Parties
- Wednesday 19th December 2018: Choir Singing at Civic Centre, Newport
- Friday 21st December 2018: INSET day- school closed
- Monday 7th January 2019: INSET day- school closed
- Monday 14th January 2019: Deadline for Reception applications