



Edgewood Primary School

Building skills and values for life

Friday 16th December 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

FOUNDATION STAGE CHRISTMAS NATIVITY

The Nativity performed by the children in Rainbow, Red and Green classes this week was fantastic. All the children have worked very hard to learn their lines and songs. The staff members would like to say a big thank you to all of the parent helpers.

YEAR 1 & 2 CHRISTMAS NATIVITY

The 'Angel Express' Nativity performed by the children in Blue, Orange and Yellow classes this week has been a great success. All the children have worked hard to learn their lines and the songs for the performances and all the staff members involved are incredibly proud of the effort put in by the children.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Thank you to everyone who supported the Christmas Fayre – especially Santa who made time to visit at such a busy time. We raised an amazing £500.

SCHOOL ACHIEVERS

Ruby-May Elkington	For being quietly determined in every lesson. Ruby reflects on her work and makes positive choices. Well done.
Megan Green	For setting a great example to others in the way that she organises herself and the effort that she puts into all of her work
Lauren Jones	For changing her mind set from 'Can't Do' to 'Can Do' in every piece of work she has faced this half-term.
Evie Martin	For her determination and drive for excellence across all subjects.
Matthew Mills	For excellent improvements in attitude and enthusiasm
Paige Newbold	For being determined to try her best in every lesson and always having a positive attitude towards learning.
Cody Newton	For his increasing independence and resilience. He is focussed on the carpet and always tries his best. He is making good progress with his phonics and always asks adults if he can do a job to support his learning. Well done Cody!
Faith Pratt	For becoming more respectful on the carpet and listening to others.
Charlotte Stirland	For always striving to do her best and being determined to succeed.
Jessica Swainston	For excellent improvement in reading
Connor Waplinton	For channelling his energy in being more mature in the classroom.

HALF TERMLY LUNCHTIME ACHIEVERS

Green Class	All of Green class	For being ready for lunch every day.
Blue Class	All of Blue class	For being superstars
Orange Class	Kensley-Rae Fell	For fantastic behaviour
Amarillo Class	Scarlett Baxter	For being an all-round superstar
Morado Class	Ashlynn Carey	For being a pleasure to have at lunchtime

CHANGES TO SCHOOL DINNER MENU

Monday 19 th December	Vegetarian sausage roll & gravy, potato croquettes, seasonal vegetables followed by chocolate mousse & fruit
Tuesday 20 th December	Quorn dippers, chips, peas and sweetcorn followed by flapjack & milkshake
Wednesday 4 th January	Quorn dippers, chips, peas and sweetcorn followed by jelly

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday 19 th December	Nursery Christmas Party (Please remember to bring in your party food) Red & Green Class Christmas Party Year 3 & 4 Carol Service at St Peters & St Pauls Church Orange, Blue & Yellow Christmas Party
Tuesday 20 th December	School closes for the Christmas Holidays at 3:30pm
Wednesday 4 th January	School re opens

PARENTS ENTERPRISE WORKSHOP

Parents and carers are being offered the opportunity to take part in a free 10-week enterprise workshop programme. Participants will learn new skills in craft-making, and gain knowledge based around developing their own enterprise ideas. This is a fun and friendly way to meet new people within the community and work as part of a collaboration by sharing ideas and best practices. The workshop will be every Wednesday from 11th January until 22nd March at 1pm – 3pm and will be held in the multi-use room. There will also be a free crèche available for younger children. Places are limited on the course. Therefore they will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. If you are interested, please speak with the school office to secure a space.



ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to ROSA Class in achieving 97.41% attendance for this week 12th December – 16th December.

Every child with 97% or better attendance at the end of the year will have a free reward trip.

Good attendance is 97% or better, which is 5½ days off or less over the whole year – which is less than 2 days each term!

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE – Sunday 18th December 2016 at 4:00pm

St Peter & St Paul's Church, young and old alike will enjoy this festive service with traditional carols, oranges, candles and puppets.

ALMOST MIDNIGHT MASS – Saturday 24th December at 10:30pm

Celebrate the true meaning of Christmas at St Peter & St Paul's Church

CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE – Sunday 25th December at 10:00am

A fun service at St Peter & St Paul's for all the family bring your favourite present or wear a Christmas Jumper

FREE CINEMA SCREENING AT ST PETER AND ST PAUL'S CHURCH - Come along and join in the free fun!

Sun 1 st Jan – 3:00pm	Sat 14 th Jan – 2:00pm
The Martian A great way to relax after New Year's Eve celebrations	The Jungle Book This new adaptation is perhaps even better than the original

Mr Seeley
Head Teacher