



FLANDERWELL PRIMARY CHRISTMAS NEWS

Week ending: Friday 22nd December 2017



SPECIAL MENTIONS - DECEMBER 2017

Many, many thanks to all families for your generosity over the Christmas period. Christmas collection - £290.98 was raised for SAFE@LAST, our chosen Christmas charity. Tracy Haycox, Director of Children's and Young People's Service within the charity, came to collect your kind donations on Tuesday and was extremely grateful for the collection. We hope to engage further with the charity in the New Year by setting up e-safety sessions. For more information about the organisation visit:

<http://safeatlast.org.uk/who-we-are>



Concerts - we are very proud of all our pupils for their super performances this year. Every key stage entertained delightfully, demonstrating high levels of confidence and enjoyment.

Thank you so much to all parents who provided costumes and/or props - this was greatly appreciated.



Parties - many thanks to families who sent in contributions of buns and biscuits for our parties. Classes were very lucky to receive such a selection.



Christmas sweetie raffle - Mia in Y6 was the lucky winner of the prize. The raffle raised an amazing £308.10 which will go towards the purchase of future playground equipment.



Choir at Mark Grove - our Christmas Choir (Amelie B, Eve B, Paige H, Mia E, Skye W, Cora J, Tiarna W, Sienna P, Phoebe P, Emma Y, Caitlin B) entertained parents and local residents wonderfully with a selection Christmas songs - old and new, last week. Many thanks to Mrs L Cooper(FS) and Mrs R Cooper(Y6) for organising the practices over the Christmas period and for leading the event on the day.

We will be visiting the centre again in the Spring term to share poems and stories written by pupils.



Reading Partners - thanks to the regular group of adults who have supported some of our pupils with reading activities during the last term - your time and patience is

highly valued. We are always on the look-out for additional reading buddies - please let us know if you would like to join our growing crew!

FRIENDS OF FLANDERWELL

All pupils had a super treat when M and M Productions visited school with their touring pantomime on 11th December. The Friends funded the panto (Aladdin) from the fundraising events you support. It was great to see the children enjoying themselves and joining in with the singing. What a great start to the festive season!

Sincere thanks to Mr and Mrs Johnson for their continued support this term and especially during a busy Christmas period.

They give up an enormous amount of their time to help in school and support every fund-raising venture we embark upon. We are truly lucky to have their support. Friends of Flanderwell are always on the look-out for new members. If you would like to know more, please contact Sarah Williams -

<https://www.facebook.com/FriendsOfFlanderwellPrimarySchool/>

The following pupils have achieved reading awards within the last two weeks.

BRONZE AWARDS

YEAR 1 - Zack Afsar*Harrison * Ha*
YEAR 2 - Elijah W* Carly H*Blake P*Caleb J*Macie B*Rose G*
YEAR 3 - Scott Rosling*Ajay Mason*Tilly C*
YEAR 4 - Jonah G* Martha L* Jayden B*
YEAR 5 - Harry L*Libby D*Molly W*
YEAR 6 - Izzy C*Mia T*Cole L-B*Aaron T*

SILVER AWARDS

YEAR 3 - Matilda H*Xavier I*
YEAR 5 - Lewis H*Alisha C*Talia S* Jay*
YEAR 6 - Ben T* Thomas B* Callum R*Nathalie R*Rebecca B*

GREAT WORK EVERYONE! ☺

DIARY DATES 2018

January

8th - school opens at 8.45 a.m.
15th - Year 2 - Space Day (in school).
25th - Gymnastics festival.
29th - P.L.T litter pick with WSSC.
Y5/6 Sports hall athletics festival

February

1st - P.L.T visit to the Town Hall.
20th - Y6 visit to the Victorian classroom.

BEST WISHES FOR CHRISTMAS AND THE NEW YEAR FROM ALL AT FLANDERWELL PRIMARY

