



# Lowerplace Primary School

## NEWSLETTER - Issue 14      21/12/2016

### End of Term One

Hi everyone! We can hardly believe that our first term has passed already. Mrs Lawton and I are so grateful for the warm welcome that continues and we are really enjoying getting to know our fabulous Lowerplace Families as we work together. Thanks to the Governors and School Leaders at Hamer and Springside who have agreed with the Local Authority to support the interim leadership structure for a further term. Mrs Lawton and I are looking forward to continuing to work with you all in the Lowerplace Community. Have a brilliant Christmas if you celebrate it and a brilliant holiday time if you don't. **School reopens at 8.45am Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January.**

### Punctuality

In the new term, can we all remember that school starts for the children at 8.45am. This means that they should be in the classroom with their coats off and settling to work at 8.45am. Thank you.

### Christmas Craft Morning

**WOW!** What a wonderful turnout! It was so lovely to see so many parents in our classrooms enjoying festive crafts with your children. The teachers all wanted me to say thank you and how nice it was to see you all proudly working together. We were all buzzing! THANK YOU. ☺

### Seasonal performances

Well done to the Nativity children in KS1 and the Christmas Show children in KS2. The shows were brilliant and enjoyed by so many supportive and proud parents. The Carol Concert in EYFS was just delightful and again, really well attended by our wonderful parents. THANK YOU AGAIN! ☺

### Clarinet, cornet and ukulele recitals.

Well done to the children throughout school who took part in the musical presentations, showing off their skills with these instruments. The recitals were a real showcase of talent. Well done!

### Good to Be Green

The children who were Green in the behaviour system for the whole term enjoyed a celebration event with Commando Dan and the inflatable bouncy castle as a special treat. Well done to all those children who were good to be green all term.

### Prize Draw Results

Thank you to all parents who filled out the forms to examine funding around families that can be accessed for those who qualify. It's something we will have to do from time to time. The winners of the prize draw associated with this are:

**IPAD WINNER: Family of Muddah in Reception H**

**KINDLE WINNER: Family of Zain in 1L**

Both families have been contacted via text today to come and collect their prizes from the Kingsway Office at 3.15pm.

### Christmas Fair

Thank you so much to Mrs. Kabir and her wonderful team of parent helpers for organising such a wonderful Christmas Fair. Thank you to all families who came to enjoy it. **We raised a whopping £1800 - thank you everyone!!**

### Attendance

PLEASE SUPPORT US BY ENSURING THAT YOUR CHILD IS ON TIME AND IN SCHOOL EVERY DAY!!

Class	Week ending Wed 21 <sup>st</sup> December	Term %
RHL	95.0%	95.2%
RB	97.8%	95.6%
1L	95.5%	96.2%
1H	88.6%	95.7%
2R	98.6%	97.4%
2E	95.3%	96.9%
3C	97.2%	97.0%
3P	93.1%	94.7%
3B	92.5%	96.2%
4B	96.0%	96.0%
4O	94.6%	95.5%
4L	97.0%	98.1%
5L	90.9%	95.6%
5D	95.4%	96.2%
5H	96.4%	95.2%
6C	97.5%	96.5%
6O	93.1%	93.3%

Well done to Miss Ralphson's class this week, for achieving 98.6% attendance! Great work, 2R!

Also huge congratulations to Mr Lomax's class for the highest attendance for the **whole term** of 98.1%. Well done 4L!