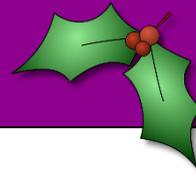


Leamington Community Primary School Newsletter December 2014 – Issue 4



Merry Christmas

As we come to the end of another busy December everyone at Leamington Primary would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas. Over the last month school has been extremely busy with lots of wonderful activities and events organised and enjoyed. We started the month with our magical Christingle Service. We all packed into the hall to think about how using the light of God, we bring life to our world. The children sang beautifully and we raised over £150 for the Children's Society. **(Check out our Facebook page for a short video)**



Following on from the Christingle our Reception and Nursery children produced a wonderful play about the Blue Star. The children had put a lot of work in to the show and it was fantastic! Year 1/2 produced a play about the Little Angel who had lost her wings which was thoughtful and full of festive fun and the KS2's Carol Concert left everyone smiling and full of Christmas Cheer.



Family Fun Event

Our Family Fun Event was a huge success! Each Year group organised a festive activity for the children and adults to take part in. The activities ranged from decorating biscuits to creating Christmas cards and reindeer food! We would like to thank all of the staff for organising such a brilliant evening.



Beauty and the Beast

What a show! With the help of Miss Waters and her team the children of Leamington brought the West End to Liverpool last night! The children were simply amazing as the show was outstanding. We would like to thank the team behind the scenes who have spent many hours practicing and organising for this wonderful show!





International School Award

Leamington Community Primary has been Awarded International School Status

We are delighted to inform you that Leamington Community Primary School has been awarded the British Council International School Award, which recognises schools which have excelled in the area of international learning.

What is the British Council International School Award?

The Award is an internationally recognised accreditation, awarded to schools which forge links with partners overseas and add an international dimension to the curriculum. Through working on joint projects and adding international elements to lessons, pupils (and teachers) are given a fresh perspective on the world and their place in it.



Taking part in the Award:

- *links schools with others around the world*
- *teaches pupils about other countries and cultures*
- *prepares pupils for living and working in the global economy*
- *enhances teaching standards through sharing best practice and teaching methods*
- *leads to a new outwardly facing perspective and ethos for the school as a whole*

Dates for the Diary

Date	Event
Monday 5 th January	School re-opens for the Spring Term (8:55am)
Monday 5 th January	Stay and Play for the Nursery Children
Wednesday 14 th January	@7Puzzle working in school - Maths Puzzles/Challenges
Thursday 15 th January	@7Puzzle working in school - Maths Puzzles/Challenges
Friday 16 th January	@7Puzzle working in school - Maths Puzzles/Challenges

School Website/Twitter and Facebook

To ensure we provide you with up to date information we have lots of different ways for you to get involved. Search for us on Twitter @LeamingtonPri and Facebook, Leamington Community Primary School. Make sure you keep visiting our school website which is updated weekly! www.leamingtonprimary.com

Finally

We would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year. We have a lot organised for 2015 and we look forward to working with you to help our school community flourish.

Remember: Knowledge + Hard work + attitude = Success

Miss Simcoe (Head teacher)

Mr Vine (Deputy Head teacher)

