



Livingstone Newsletter

15th December 2017

Star of the Week:

Nursery: All of Nursery are Stars this week

Reception: Skyler

Year 1: Olivia

Year 2: Dulcie

Class 3: William

Class 4: Mani

Class 5: Jasmine

Attendance:

Reception: 91.6% Year 1: 88.1% Year 2: 95.7% Class 3: 98.9% Class 4: 98.6% Class 5: 98%

School Average: 95.15%

Clubs:

No clubs on next week. We will do new Club letters in the New Year.

Reception Admissions:

If you know anyone looking for a school place for September 2018, please encourage them to get in contact with the school. For children in our Nursery, please remember to do your school application. A place in Nursery does not guarantee a place in Reception.

Staff farewells:

I'd like to use this opportunity to add my thanks and best wishes to two members of staff who will not be returning in January.

Miss Sophie Jones has been covering Ms Sellers' Maternity Leave in Class 1 / Reception since February. Ms Sellers is returning in January and looking forward to it. My thanks to Miss Jones for all the hard work and commitment she has shown to the school in the short time she has been here. She is going to be taking up a post at Tintwistle C of E Primary School in Derbyshire. We wish her all the very best for the future.

Miss Rachael Davies, who provides SEN support in Year 1, will be starting her Maternity Leave in January. She is planning to be off until September 2018. Her role will be covered by Mrs Debra Pallister. We wish her and her family all the best and look forward to meeting her new arrival soon.

Christmas Fair

We raised an amazing £1621! We are planning to use some of it for enhancing the stage lighting for productions.

Unclaimed Raffle Ticket winners are:

Yellow 524

Green 217 (serial number 413149)

Green 61 (serial number 163243)

Yellow 659

White 525

Yellow 740

Pink 282

Please contact the school office to claim your prize!

Nativity Performances:

We hope you enjoyed both the Year 1&2 performance and The EYFS performance this week. The children were absolutely fabulous in all shows with fantastic singing, acting, dancing and wriggling!! My thanks to the children and to the staff for their hard work.



MCSP Christmas Concert:

Well done to Class 3 who performed at the MCSP Christmas Concert. My thanks to the parents too for their patience and understanding when we discovered at the interval that it was snowing very heavily. A special well done to William, Lochlann and Amelia W (and their parents!) who showed great resilience and made it to the finale of the show as the only primary school representatives on stage! My thanks to the staff who also had very difficult journeys home.

Christmas Parties:

Please could you send a contribution of £1 in for your child's Christmas party and we will sort out the party food and prizes for the games. Thank you.

Panto at the George Lawton on Monday 18th December:

We are planning to take all our Year 1 – 6 children to see the pantomime 'Aladdin' at the George Lawton Hall on the morning of Monday 18th December. We won't be charging the children for this. **Please let us know if your child does NOT want to go** as this will mean we have more adult seats available to sell and we will also have to work out which staff remain at school. We still have 2 seats for adults which cost £3.50 (including a pot of ice-cream).

Carol Service:

We will be holding our annual Carol service with readings from the story of the First Christmas on Tuesday 19th December at 9.10am. The choir will perform a few Christmas songs at the end. All parents, carers and grandparents welcome to join us.

Parking

Please ensure that you do not double park on the dirt track by school, as we have had a complaint from a neighbour that access to their property was prevented.

There won't be a Newsletter next week so can I remind you that children return to school on Thursday 4th January 2018.

In the meantime, a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all!

Dates for your diary:

Monday 18 th December:	EYFS party am; Panto for Years 1 -6 am KS1 party pm
Tuesday 19 th December:	Carol Service 9.10am; KS2 party pm
Wednesday 20 th December:	End of Term 3.15pm
Thurs 21 st Dec – Wed 3 rd Jan:	Christmas Holiday
Wednesday 3 rd January:	INSET Day for Staff, Children not in school.
Thursday 4 th January:	Children return to school
Monday 8 th January:	Class 4 1 st Swimming session
Monday 22 nd January:	Vicar of Mossley in with Y1, Y2 and Class 3
Tuesday 30 th January:	Class 4 and 5 to Museum of Science and Industry
Thursday 1 st February:	Class 5 Assembly 9.10am
Friday 2 nd February:	Reception to Greater Manchester Fire Museum, Rochdale
Tuesday 6 th February:	Yr 5/6 Basketball @ Astley
Wednesday 7 th February:	Parents' Evening 3.30 – 5.30pm
Thursday 8 th February:	Class 4 Assembly 9.10am; Parents' Evening 6-8pm
Monday 12 th February:	Parents' Internet Safety session 2.30pm
Tuesday 13 th February:	MCSP Basketball Competition
Thursday 15 th February:	Class 3 Assembly 9.10am; Valentine's Disco 6-7.30pm
Friday 16 th February:	Livingstone's Got Talent pm; End of term

