



## Newsletter 15<sup>th</sup> December

Dear all,

Robin and Falcon class performed a joyful Carol Service at the Church on Thursday evening. They sang beautifully, shared poems, performed a lovely dance and we heard a rendition of Jingle Bells on the bells! A huge thank you to Miss Sanders for putting the service together.

Our school carol service took place this morning. Acorn and Oak shared a song from their nativity, and Robin and Falcon a song from their carol service. The school brass band also played throughout the service. They sounded fantastic and it's great to see so many children continuing with their tuition after their opportunity to learn to play an instrument in Year 3. Thank you very much to the band committee for their fundraising efforts at both these events, monies raised will go towards the cost of the lessons for this year's Year 3 children!

On Tuesday we all enjoyed a brilliant performance of The Wizard of Oz at the Watermill Theatre! It was one of the best performances we have seen there, and the children were enthralled. Their behaviour was excellent throughout.

Thank you to all the staff who have worked so hard this term to provide the very best care and educational opportunities for your children. I know they all appreciated the cards and gifts given today- thank you!

Have a wonderful Christmas!

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Mrs Beulah Letchford, Headteacher



### Celebration Assembly

Congratulations to the following children who had a piece of their work selected to be displayed on our **Reach for the Stars** board this term: Lettie, Eleanor T, Xavier, Alivia, Eoin, Ella R, Eddie, Enid.

Congratulations to the following children who have been selected as our **School Values Champions** this term:

Inquisitiveness: Gus

Aspiration: Rocco

Supportiveness: Elsie O

Creativity: Daisy

Resilience: Lola

Independence: Elliot

Reflection: Leona

Respect: Ella G

**Congratulations to this month's Art competition winners!** Dylan F for KS1 and Eleanor D for KS2! We are really enjoying seeing the children's pieces of art.

### **Tractor Run**

Please find attached a leaflet for the Christmas Tractor Run this weekend!

### **Young Voices**

Robin and Falcon class will be attending this on the 15<sup>th</sup> January. Please ensure time is spent practicing the songs and dance moves over the Christmas holidays! We have two rehearsal dates booked in as well- see the calendar below.

### **Dinner money accounts - Robin & Falcon**

If your child is in Robin or Falcon Class (excluding free school meal children) please make sure their school dinner account is settled in full and no debt is left. As always, we ask that school dinner accounts maintain a credit balance and are not in arrears. The easiest way to pay/top up is on Scopay. Alternatively cash to the office. Please contact Miss Pummell for any assistance. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

### **Dates for the Diary**

Each newsletter we will publish the dates of events happening during the term. Please be aware these may change and therefore it is important to check them each week. We will highlight changes in red when they first appear. Not every event is relevant to every parent. Look out for further information or letters with more detailed information for the events relevant to you.

Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January	INSET Day
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January	First Day of Spring Term
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	3.15-4.15pm Young Voices rehearsals (hall)
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> January	3.15-4.15pm Young Voices rehearsals (hall)
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	Young Voices - Robin & Falcon Class
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Art Competition entries in: 'Winter'
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	End of Term
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	First Day of Term
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	Art Competition entries in: 'Love'
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Art Competition entries in: 'Animals'
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	End of Term

Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	INSET Day
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	First Day of Summer Term
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	Art Competition entries in: 'Spring Time'
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Art competition entries in: 'Nature'
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	End of Term
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	First Day of Term
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Art Competition entries in: 'Water'
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	End of Term