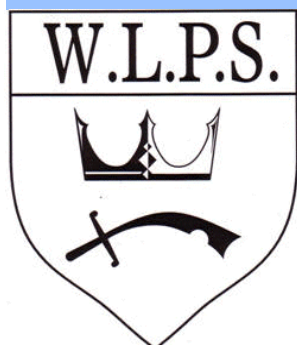


Autumn Term  
8th December  
2017



## Dear Parents and Carers,

### It's Christmas!!

As you are no doubt aware Christmas is soon approaching and we now have our fabulous tree up in the reception area. A very big thank you to Mr Lawrence and Stibbards who have donated the Christmas tree to us and who have also donated raffle prizes for this year's Christmas Bazaar!

### PTA NEWS! Christmas bazaar Monday 11th December

Our annual Christmas Bazaar will be held next Monday at various locations throughout the school! You will have already received letters from the PTA asking for various donations and help and we hope to see you all there! And if you didn't know already we will be having very special guests from the North Pole visiting so make sure you go and see them!!

### Football Round up!

The girls played another match at home to Kingston on the 30th November and unfortunately lost this game 5-1. However, on the up side, Sophie scored her debut goal for the team.

The boys also recently played a game against Montgomerie on the 7th Dec and drew 1-1. Well done to both our teams!

### St Andrews day celebrations 30th November

If you heard the distant sound of bagpipes last Thursday then it was not your imagination! As part of our St Andrews Celebrations the children were lucky to have a genuine bagpiper come into the school and talk to them about the Scottish Tradition as well as entertaining them with an amazing performance. The children took part in various activities including looking for the Loch Ness Monster, Nessie, Learning the Highland fling and playing some Highland games as well as trying some Scottish food, including shortbread and meat and tatties.

### KS1 Christmas Production 'Children of the World'

I would like to say a huge WELL DONE to all of the children in Key Stage 1 for their wonderful Nativity performances this week of 'Children of the World'. The singing and acting was first rate and we were all thoroughly entertained. Thank you also for your very generous donations.

### Messages and reminders

- Please note that Our Family Fit Club Class has been cancelled for this evening
- Our Christmas dinner is next Wednesday, which will also be our Christmas Jumper Day!
- Reception's Nativity performance is on Friday 15th December at 2pm
- KS2 have their annual Carol Concert on at St Georges Church on Tuesday 19th Dec at 1.30pm. We hope to see you all there.
- Our last day is Wednesday 20th Dec.
- Back to school on Wednesday 3rd January 2018.

#### Attendance League

Well done to Turner class for winning the attendance cup for this week.

Weekly results		
Class	Result	League points
Turner	99.67%	15
Picasso	96.00%	11
Matisse	95.48%	0
Monet	95.16%	7
Hockney	90.67%	4
Goldsworthy	95.67%	12
Dali	92.00%	6
Whole school % since the start of the year	<b>96.70%</b>	<b>Lead Class Turner</b>

#### Diary dates

11th Dec	<i>Christmas Bazaar after School</i>
12th Dec	<i>Woodham Tots messy morning for parents 10-11.30 Yr. 5 Roman Presentation 2pm</i>
13th Dec	<i>Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day Photographer in from Evening Echo to take photos of the KS1 Christmas performances</i>
15th Dec	<i>Reception Nativity to parents 1.30pm Yr. 3 &amp; 4 to perform scenes from Macbeth</i>
18th Dec	<i>Reception Glitter afternoon</i>
19th Dec	<i>KS2 Carol Concert</i>
20th Dec	<i>Last day of school</i>
2nd Jan	<i>Non—pupil day</i>
3rd Jan	<i>Back to School</i>