



St Michael at Bowes CE Junior School Newsletter

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YEAR 3 SONGSACK PERFORMANCE

Year 3 performed to parents/carers on Wednesday. They demonstrated their amazing singing skills. It was lovely to see so many parents/carers.

Newsletter Date:
Friday 29th
November 2019

Autumn Term
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EXPLORE LEARNING YOUNG MATHEMATICIANS AWARD

Fifteen of our year 6 Mathematicians battled it out for the Young Mathematicians Award hosted by Explore learning. Children had the unique opportunity to work as part of a team to tackle never seen before mathematical problems. Our mathematicians have certainly made us proud through their resilience and ability to cooperate as part of a team under pressured circumstances. Fingers crossed they make it through to the next round to win a free trip to Kidzania for a whole class.



Dates for your diary:

- **Year 5 swimming**— (every Friday)
- **ESOL classes**— Tuesdays 1.00 p.m.
- **Year 4 Recorder performance**—Wednesday 4th December **2.30 p.m.**
- **Year 6 'MyBank' project**—Thursday 5th December
- **5L class assembly**— Friday 6th December 8.40 a.m.
- **Christmas pantos at Millfield Theatre**— Years 3 & 4 Tues. 10th Dec. Years 5 & 6 Wed. 11th Dec.
- **SMAB OPEN** – Thursday 12th December. —Tottenham school closed, used as a Polling station
- **5E class assembly**— Friday 13th December 8.40 a.m.
- **Children's Christmas parties**—Wednesday 18th December PM
- **End of term**— Thursday 19th December. 1.00 p.m.
- **Back to school**— Tuesday 7th January 2020 8.30 am



WRITING WORKSHOP

Last week two Year 5 pupils and two Year 6 pupils took a trip to Eversley Primary School for a day of writing with local poet, Neal Zetter. They worked with pupils from many other schools, creating both spoken word poems and a number of written masterpieces too! A great day which really stretched our children's minds to get them thinking more creatively. Thank you Mrs Sparwell for accompanying the pupils.

CHRISTMAS POST



There will be a post box outside the main office where children can post their Christmas cards from Tuesday 3rd December onwards. They will then be delivered by our postal workers.



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TOTTENHALL SCHOOL IS CLOSED ON 12th DECEMBER FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION. SMAB SCHOOL WILL REMAIN OPEN .

CHRISTMAS EVENTS



- Mother Goose Pantomime at Millfield Theatre,
Years 3 and 4
Tuesday 10th December
- Mother Goose Pantomime at Millfield Theatre,
Years 5 and 6
Wednesday 11th December
- Christmas Jumper Day—**Friday 13th December**
- Christmas Day and Children's Christmas Lunch –
Tuesday 17th December
- Christmas raffle – **Wednesday 18th December AM**
- Staff Panto for children – **Wednesday 18th December AM**
- Christmas parties – **Wednesday 18th December PM**

Year 4 Nativity story at St Cuthbert's Church – Thursday 19th December 10.30 a.m. All parents/carers, governors and friends welcome.



CHRISTMAS RAFFLE TICKETS

Christmas is fast approaching and plans are already afoot. FOTSA will be organising a children's Christmas raffle, the draw will take place on Wednesday 18th December. Children will be receiving an envelope with raffle tickets for them to purchase if they so wish. Additional tickets are also available to purchase from school. If you have any suitable gifts or services e.g. hair cut, art or dance classes, you would like to donate they would be greatly appreciated. The more prizes the more fun for everyone. All donations to be given to the school office. Thanking you in advance.

CLASS	LATES	ATTENDANCE
3S	13	98%
3T	5	97.3%
3M	5	100%
4I	4	98.57%
4C	10	97.5%
4H	12	96.3%
5A	6	93.7%
5E	8	98.97%
5L	6	97.78%
6B	3	90.83%
6O	5	98.64%
6W	0	97.27%

PUNCTUALITY AND ATTENDANCE TABLE

Which class will win the trophies next week?

6W won the punctuality trophy with an amazing 0 lates and **3M** the attendance trophy with an amazing 100%. Well done to both classes.

GYMNASTIC FESTIVAL

“We attended the Borough Gymnastics Festival again this year, entering the Year 3 & 4 Beginners, Year 5 & 6 Intermediates and the Open/Advanced Individual competitions. All of the children did remarkably well and looked fantastic in their leotards.

We had tough competitors, but everyone stood up to the mark and performed their routines and vaults with massive smiles on their faces. As you can see, all the children had a great time and their behaviour and etiquette must be applauded, as they represented the school proudly. Thank you to Mrs Sparwell for her support and encouragement.” by Miss Bell.

