



# Caring for Everyone, Learning Together, Achievement for All

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## Friday Newsletter

Well done to all our children who have been awarded the Golden Jumper this week!



KS1 – Oliver Parsons

Nursery – Joseph Allen

LKS2 – Haris Riaz

Reception – Harriet Edwards

UKS2 – Lily-Ann Whittaker

Praise certificates – Ivy Mason, Finn Clegg, Joshua Reid, William Bujok

### Winter Fair

Please remember it is our Winter Fair tomorrow. On the playground from 11am to 1pm.

Children will be bringing a Golden Ticket home tonight. If they return this to the fair tomorrow with their name on, they will be put into the draw for a Lego Advent Calendar.

### The Big RED SHED

We are still counting our sponsor money (and possibly waiting for some money to be handed in) but the total at the money stands at over £1200!!

A big thank you to everyone who has sponsored the children and encouraged the children to read.

### KS2 Dance performance

KS2 have been working with Lucy Everett from Dance Atikk this term with the theme of Greek dance. They would like to invite you to watch their performance on the school playground on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 2.45pm.

### Lakeland 100 challenge

In the week of 13<sup>th</sup> December, we will be supporting the Lakeland 100. We will be taking part virtually to complete 105 miles. KS1 and EYFS will form a team and KS2 will be a team. Each day we will be working together to walk or run 2miles so that collectively we will achieve 105 miles by the end of the week.

### Parent Governor

We currently have a vacancy for a parent governor. Please contact the office if you are interested in running for this role.



## **Children in Need**

The final total for Children in Need was £145!

Thank you to the school council, children and parents for the support.

## **Stay and Play**

Another successful Stay and Play session this week. The numbers are growing but it would be good to see more people and children visiting us. If you know someone who would be interested in coming to the sessions please pass on the details.

## **Reminders:**

Swimming for KS1 on Tuesday afternoon.

EYFS and KS1 PE days are Monday and Thursday.

KS2 PE days are Wednesday and Friday.

Follow us on Twitter @BeethamSchool to find out what we are up to.

## **Dates:**

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> November – Winter Fair on the school playground 11am to 1pm.

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> December – Carol singing at Beetham Garden Centre.

EYFS and KS1 Nativity - Monday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2.15pm in Church

EYFS and KS1 Nativity - Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2.15pm in Church.

KS2 dance performance – Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December on playground 2.45pm.

Christmas Lunch and jumper day – Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December.

Christmas Party Day – Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December.

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December – Carol service in church finishing at 3.15pm start time to be confirmed. Last day of term.

## **Year group specific information:**

EYFS

Next week we will be practising for our Nativity – Shine Star, Shine!  
Please send all costumes back to school in a clearly named carrier bag for Monday.

Phonics – consolidation of previous sounds taught – segmenting and blending

Maths – Reception – circles and triangles continued

RE – the Nativity story

EAD – Christmas craft

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KS1

Phonics – Year 1 oa, ow and oe graphemes, Year 2 l phoneme spelt as il or al  
English – continuing to explore the poetry text Wish You Were Here and I Wasn't

Maths – continue with telling the time.

Next week we will be practising our Nativity play – Shine Star, Shine!

In RE we are focusing on the Bible story 'The Prodigal Son.'

In Computing this week, we will be filming our stop-motion animation. In order to do this **please can the children bring in figurines that represent Goldilocks and the three bears.**

In SCARF this week we are focusing on recognising and explaining how a person's behaviour can affect other people.

We will also be making Christmas crafts in Art.

KS2

We will be making Christmas crafts in Art and beginning to learn Christmas Carols in Music. In Science we will continue to explore how materials can change and which of these changes are reversible and irreversible.

Year 3 and 4

Year 5 and 6

In English, we will be looking at the text Coming Home by Michael Morpurgo.

In Maths, we will be continuing to work on our mental multiplication and division.

In Maths, we will begin our new topic on Shape, with a focus on quadrilaterals, polygons and circles. We also continue to use our calculation strategies to solve problems. In English, we will continue our work on 'The Rum Tum Tugger' as well as Varjak Paw.

**Have a lovely weekend everyone!**