

Longman's Hill Community Primary School Newsletter



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Sporting News

20 children from year 5/6 have recently taken part in an indoor athletics event. All children displayed a very positive attitude and everyone was involved. It was a busy event with all children competing in both track and field events. Some were new events for the children such as the vertical jump and the children enjoyed these new challenges. There was a great feeling of sportsmanship and the children finished third, gaining the bronze place out of eight schools, which is a great achievement.

Thank you to all involved in the organisation and to the parents who helped to walk and support the children.

A huge well done also goes to all of the children who represented the school in a cross country event at Tadcaster Grammar School this week. Every child put in maximum effort and really enjoyed the event, despite the wintery nip in the air! Two of our runners have qualified for the regional finals taking place at Dalby Forest. We wish them well.

Charitable Collection

One of our Y4 children is busy collecting items for the Jerry Green Dog Rescue Centre, located in Gilberdyke. She is collecting new dog toys, tinned dog meat, dog treats and old but clean towels, blankets / bedding. If any of you wish to donate an item, please send it into school with your child by Friday 15th December. Thank you.

Choir News

Our recently formed choir have been extremely busy performing in public recently. They sang at the Selby Christmas light switch on event at the weekend and at Tesco's on Monday where they raised just over £50 for charity. They will also be performing this Saturday (9th) at the Brayton light switch on so come along and offer some support. They will be singing at Sainsbury's on Monday 18th Dec (2pm).

Poppy Appeal

Thanks to your generosity, our school raised a total of £372.34 for the poppy appeal this year. Many thanks.

Congratulations

Our congratulations and best wishes go to Mrs Thoelen who is expecting a baby in March. I will inform parents nearer the time how her class will be covered whilst she is on maternity leave.

Start of the school day

I wish to remind parents and carers that the school doors open at 8.50am and all children should be in school by 9am at the latest, when the first lesson starts. We have an increasing number of children arriving late and having to enter school via the front door. Children arriving after 9am get a late mark; this affects their overall school attendance figure and impacts on their learning as they miss vital information at the start of the first lesson. Please can I request that parents make the extra effort to ensure children arrive on time to come into school, with their classmates? Many thanks for your cooperation.

Dates for your diary

Upcoming events

Saturday 9/12/17 - Brayton Christmas light switch on 4pm- Choir to sing- meet 3.45 by Xmas tree
13/12/17 - Year 3 and Year 4 Christmas party
14/12/17- Year 5 and Year 6 Christmas party
15/12/17 - EYFS and Y1 and Y2 Christmas party
18/12/17 - KS2 Xmas performance 6pm
19/12/17- EYFS/ KS1 Xmas performance 6pm
20/12/17 - Carol concert at St Wilf's 2pm
21/12/17- KS2 Xmas performance 10am
21/12/17- EYFS/KS1 Xmas performance 2pm
21/12/17 - KS2 Xmas performance 6pm
22/12/17- School Christmas lunch. Last day of term.
Tue 9/01/18- Children return to school after holidays

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