



Monksdown News

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Dear Parents and Carers,

This is the last Newsletter of 2017.

As we draw to the end of what has been a very busy and successful term I wish to pay tribute to all staff and parents for their invaluable support in developing and nurturing your fabulous children. We are all so proud of them and their achievements. During next week we will continue to celebrate the season in various ways.

Christmas Jumper Day - Thank you to all the children who wore a jumper and donated 50p towards Save the Children.

Christmas Party Day - We will be enjoying our Christmas Party Day on Tuesday 19th December and children can wear their Christmas jumpers again. If you pay for a school dinner please send £1.80 into school in an envelope with your child's name and 'Party Day' written clearly on it.

Reception Singing around the Christmas Tree - was a truly wondrous occasion, thank you to all family and friends who attended.

Food Donations - Thank you so much for all your contributions towards the Local Food Bank, they have all been distributed and your donations will be given to families in crisis.

After School Clubs - All after school clubs have finished. New clubs will be announced in January.

Choir - The choir sang admirably at Rosemore Gardens and the Community Event at Ellergreen and were like 'little angels'. Well done children.

May I remind you that we finish for the Christmas holidays on **Thursday, 21st December at 2pm** and return on Monday, 8th January 2018 at 8.55am

Wishing you all a safe and happy holiday season and a peaceful New Year.

Best Wishes

Mrs Gough



Family Fun Event

A huge thank you to Miss Wright for arranging, and all staff who took part in, the Family Fun Event. The food was delicious and the activities were amazing. Thank you to everyone who came.

Dates for your Diary

Monday 18/12	Nursery singing around the Christmas tree Nam at 10am Npm at 2pm
Tuesday 19/12	Christmas Party Day - children can wear a Christmas Jumper
Thursday 21/12	Finish for Christmas holiday at 2pm
Monday 8/1/18	Return to school at 8.55am
Wednesday 24/1/18	KS2 to watch Robin Hood
Friday 26/1/18	Superheroes themed music concert performed by the children just for the children
Friday 2/2/18	NSPCC Number Day

Attendance

4-8/12/17

Class	%
RVH	98.7
2B	98.4
4W	98.4
3C	97.9
3H	96.3
1HC	96.3
2BY	95.9
RG	95.7
1H	95.3
4J	94.7
6GA	94.4
1C	94.3
RMG	93.3
5M	93.2
6MA	91.8
5A	90.3

Total

95.3%



Stars of the Week

Nam	Mason Song
Npm	Peter Abunene
RVH	Tobi Odunsi
RMG	Leighton Higgins
1C	Annabelle O'Brien
1H	Lucy Bierman
1HC	Daniel Blanchard
2B	Julia Gondek
2BY	Harriet Davies
3H	Keiron Smith
3C	Lucas Fatnassi
4J	Ethan Dickinson
5A	Rosie Veidman
5S	Iyad Tarabiea
6GA	Sarah Louise Turner
6MA	Jessica Smith