Langley Fitzurse Church of England Primary School







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"Amaze, Excite, Inspire"

Dear Parents,

As the year draws to a close and we head home for even more chocolate and mince pies, I hope you'll allow me a few moments of your time in this last newsletter before Christmas.

Christmas is always a special time in primary schools and I have had the privilege of being in two schools this year so having double the fun! Our Christmas lunch last week was lovely and thanks go to Debbie in the kitchen for preparing such a magnificent spread. The Key Stage 1 Nativity on Monday was brilliant, and the children did so well remembering all the songs and telling the story of the first Christmas in such a wriggly way. We are so proud of all of them!

This Christmas season would not have been nearly as successful without the help of the PTA. From the fantastic Christmas Fayre to the amazing party lunch today, from the brilliant hampers to the refreshments served at the Nativity performance Amy Tayler and the team seem to have been popping up all over the place making the children's experience even more special. A huge thank you to all who have helped out in any way this term!

Thank you all who joined us yesterday for the Christmas Service. I think it was a very good reminder of the reason for the Christmas holiday and the children did really well in all their contributions.

Whilst not part of the Christmas fun, we had our visit from the OFSTED inspector earlier this month – please see my separate letter enclosing the summary report, which we are very pleased with as it acknowledges all the hard work that everyone has put it this year.

As we look forward to next year, we are really excited that our football team has reached the County Small Schools final on 15th and we look forward to them doing well there.

I look forward to seeing you all on 7th January for another busy term. We'll be starting the term with a celebration assembly at 2.45pm in Cherry Hall and it would be lovely if some of you would join us there.

On behalf of the school staff, pupils and governors, I would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Mr Richard Hearn Headteacher