

# NEWSLETTER



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**BOUGHTON MONCHELSEA PRIMARY SCHOOL**

## Pupils of the Week 02/12/16

- Class 6 Taylan S - for working very hard on his handwriting.
- Class 5 Dannylee L - for excellent contributions in literacy.
- Class 4 Martin P - for working really hard and improved concentration.
- Class 3 William P - for working hard on his story writing.
- Class 2 Gabriella G - for super problem solving.
- Class 1 Euan B - for fantastic work on odd and even numbers.
- Class R Franceska - for brilliant maths work this week.



## Midday Meals Supervisor

We are still looking for a Midday Meals Supervisor to work Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 11.45am – 1.15pm, term time only. If you are interested, please pick up an application form from the school office.

## Boughton Pride

This week the Pride trophy went to Class 6. Well done!



## Morning Routine

We are really pleased that most children are arriving at school promptly each morning, and are walking into school by themselves very sensibly. Can we remind parents/carers that all children should be in school by **8.50am**. The side gate is locked at 8.55am to give parents time to leave the playground but all children should be in class by then. Please can you help your child have a calm start to the school day by ensuring that they arrive at school punctually.

Can we also request that parents **do not** drive into the staff car park or block the entrance to the school when dropping children off.

Thank you for your co-operation.

## Digital Parenting

Your child will be bringing home a copy of Digital Parenting magazine today. We hope that you find the information and advice about online safety helpful.

## Scrooge

Today we welcomed the Flying Pizza Company for a performance to the whole school of "Scrooge", a production based on "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens. It was thoroughly enjoyable and left us all feeling in the Christmas spirit!

## Infant Production and Year 3 & Year 4 Production

We hope that you have been able to book your ticket through our online booking system for these two events next week. Please contact the school office if you have had any difficulty.

Following these performances, there will be a retiring collection in aid of Slideaway, a charity which supports children following bereavement.

## Christingle

You are warmly invited to join us for our Christingle Service which will be held at 2pm on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December. You will be able to collect your children from their teachers after the service. Again, we will be taking a collection in aid of Slideaway.



## Carols on the Green

Boughton Monchelsea Parish Council are once again hosting 'Carols on the Green' on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm. The Salvation Army Band will be joining them along with the newly formed Boughton Monchelsea Community Choir. Refreshments will be provided. Children do not need to wear uniform but please ensure they are wrapped up warm!

## Christmas Lunch

Our school Christmas lunch will be on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December this year. If your child would like to have the Christmas lunch **it must be ordered by Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December at the latest**. Your child does not have to book school dinners for the whole week to participate in the festivities. **Please contact the school office to book your child's place (even if your child has school dinners regularly).**



## Hilltop Trip

A reminder for Year 6 parents, who have not yet paid their second instalment for the trip. This is now due for payment as soon as possible. Thank you.

## Lost Property



We have accumulated lots of lost property. Please feel free to come into the school office to check for any of your child's items. Any items unclaimed at the end of term will be disposed of. Thank you

## Dates for the Diary

- 5th December - Infants 'Christmas Counts' dress rehearsal at 9.30am
- 5th December - Class 3 and 4 'Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood' dress rehearsal at 1.30pm
- 6th December - Infants 'Christmas Counts' Performance at 1.30pm
- 7th December - Infants 'Christmas Counts' Performance at 9.30am
- 7th December - Class 3 and 4 'Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood' Performances at 2pm and 6pm
- 12th December - Christingle Service at St Peter's Church at 2pm
- 12th December - Carols on the Green from 7.30pm
- 13th December - Class 3 and 4 Christmas Party from 1pm to 3.15pm
- 14th December - Flu Immunisations for Years 1, 2 and 3
- 14th December - School Christmas Lunch
- 14th December - Infants Christmas Party from 1pm to 3.10pm
- 15th December - Class 5 and 6 Christmas Party from 1pm to 3.15pm
- 16th December - End of Term 2
- 3rd January - Start of Term 3



## Beauty and the Beast

Earlier this week Class 6 went to Cornwallis Academy to watch their production of "Beauty and the Beast". It was a great performance and it was especially nice to see the familiar faces of some former Boughton pupils in the cast!

Some of Class 6 wanted to write letters to the cast as a thank you. Here is one from Anna, Ellie and Livvy:

*To the cast and crew of Beauty and the Beast,*

*Thank you so much for inviting Class 6 from Boughton Monchelsea Primary school to Cornwallis Academy to watch your production of Beauty and Beast. It was fantastic, every actor was amazing and we loved the costumes. The scenery was great as well as the staging and the spectacular lights. We loved the sound effects too!*

*It was a great show to watch and you could see how much practice and effort everyone had put in. The play made us laugh and we had all the songs stuck in our heads while we were singing along. We did not want to leave our seats because we were all enjoying it so much. We wanted it to go on longer!*

*Thank you again and much love from Class 6,  
Boughton Monchelsea Primary school*



## Christmas Cards

Orders of Christmas cards designed by your children will be delivered to school next week and sent home with your child the day they arrive.



## Thank you

We would like to thank Tanton's Tree Surgeons for kindly clearing the playground of leaves today.

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