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This week's Gold Book entries were: Ayesha Shegewal, Neil Sage, Kamell Saied, Hunter Flewitt, Jimmy Gourley, Masie O'Conaill, Ella-May Johnston, Calvin Clough, Elliott Mills, Helenka Skorska, Alba Passway, Ronnie Johnston, Emilia Harper, Axel Goddard and Frankie Saied - well done!!



Attendance
Well done to Year 6 who were the highest year group, achieving 100% Attendance (week beginning 25th November 2024)!



Congratulations to Freddie Cross who was presented with the Kindness Cup. He was recognised for being so kind to everyone during the Roman Cup. Great sportsmanship Freddie!



Things are really starting to feel festive in school now! We were delighted to get a beautiful Christmas tree donated to us by Wilkins again this year – it really is a lovely tree! The children in KS1 and KS2 thoroughly enjoyed their trip to the Mercury Theatre this week and as always were a credit to the school and their families – thank you everyone.

Message from the Headteacher

It is a hive of activity here today preparing for the Christmas Fete – by the time you read this message, the PTA hope to have raised plenty of money to help provide your children with the additional extras that make their time in school more enjoyable. I hope you all have a lovely weekend and look forward to seeing you all on Monday – Judith Dale 😊



Carol Service at St Lukes Church

Class 3 and Class 4 will be holding their Carol Concert at St Luke's Church at 17.00 on Thursday 12th December. Could children please arrive at 16.45, in school uniform. Year 6 children will be narrating the Christmas story and we will enjoy a mixture of solo, class and group performances of a number of festive carols.

We look forward to seeing you there!





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Class 1 and 2 Nativity Performance will be on Wednesday 11th December at 13.30.

Please note – we need to limit numbers to 2 audience members per child. We look forward to seeing you all!

Roman Cup Squash – Year 6



BRONZE: Louie Barclay Lauren Ophelia



SILVER: Grace Maggie Ronnie Callum

The year 6 Squash teams played in the Roman Cup Finals this week. Both teams played some fantastic Squash showing great sportsmanship and winning the majority of their matches. One team won the Bronze group and the other team won the Silver group. Well done to everyone who took part.



Piano exam news!

Huge CONGRATULATIONS to Ophelia who achieved a distinction in her recent piano exam. Well done, Ophelia!

House Point current leaders ...



Important Dates

- 11.12.24 Class 3 Cake Sale
- 11.12.24 Class 1 & 2 Christmas Prod, 1.30pm
- 12.12.24 KS2 Christmas Carol Concert 5pm @ St Lukes Church
- 18.12.24 Christmas Dinner Day
- 18.12.24 Christmas Jumper Day
- 18.12.24 Film Night – 3.30pm – 5.30pm
- 20.12.24 End of Term
- 06.01.25 Children return to school
- 20.01.25 Young Voices, London O2
- 19.03.24 Year 5 Bikeability
- 02.04.24 Class 4 Tower of London



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CHRISTMAS
JUMPER DAY

Children are invited to wear a Christmas Jumper to school on Wednesday 18th December – if you don't have a jumper – a hat will do!!!



Christmas Dinner is being served on Wednesday 18th December. Ordering and payment has been made available on SCOPay. The cost of this year's meal is £3.00.

Children in Classes 1 & 2 do not pay as this is covered by their Universal Free School Meals however a meal must be ordered please.

There will not be any other lunch options on the day.

Please let the school office know by Friday 13th December.



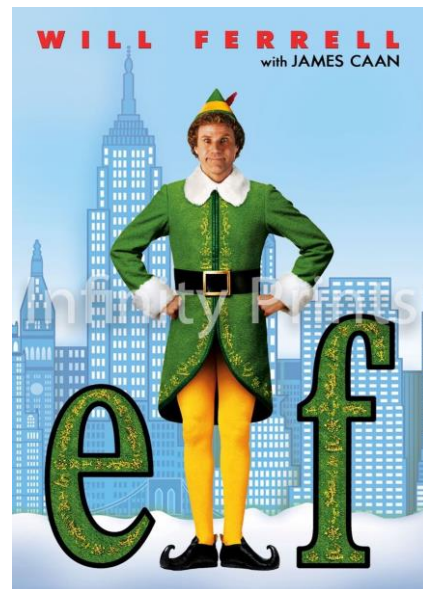
As part of their class fundraising Class 3 are holding a **Cake Sale** On Wednesday 11th December All cakes 50p!!!

As from Monday, 2nd December, our contract with ParentMail finished. All parent communications (texts & emails), on line payments and parent evening bookings will now be made via Tucasi / SCOPay. Please update us with any changes to mobile numbers or email addresses so that we can keep our records up to date.

We are aware there have been some teething issues, with messages not being delivered – please accept our apologies – we are working hard to get everything sorted.

Thank you.

Christmas Film Night



£2.50 per child includes popcorn and drink
Wednesday 18th December
3.30pm – 5.30pm

Book a space at the school office or speak to any staff from Class 4 for more info!