



LSJ Newsletter

1 December 2017

Our Values

Glory to God in the highest and on Earth peace to all men.

Luke 2:14

A special mention to the following pupils for Learner, Role Model and Writer of the week:

Nur: Aviraj Singh, Phoebe Bird, Amelia Grayson
 Rec: Thoshith Chandrasekar, Aahana Malik
 Maddison Minchion

Y1: Daisy Kelly, Summer-Lilly Smith
 Anaya Sathe

Y2: Elijah Paderna, Alfie Weatherby
 Kayden Davies

Y3: Logan Powe, Max Butler, Liam Hickman

Y4: Lily-May Kelly, Ryan Chadwick
 Sharon Brady-Ashton

Y5: Sanyta Beleckaja, Madison Hannan
 Emma Farrington & Ben Schofield

Y6: Justin Wu, Alan Horvath
 Calum Chriscoli-Hislop

Well done to Y4 for winning the attendance trophy last week with 99.5 %.



Christmas comes to Latchford.

On Thursday evening, the Latchford elves stayed late and decorated our hall for Christmas. In a special assembly, the whole school came together, joined by governors, to switch on the lights and welcome advent. Children gasped as the many lights were turned on and the room filled with light. The children gave us a sneak preview of the songs they will be singing in their Christmas productions and they were superb.

After School Clubs for next week are as follows:

Mon 4th Dec	Multi Sports Y1 & 2
Mon 4th Dec	Craft Club KS2
Tue 5th Dec	Little Musketeers
Tue 5th Dec	JAM (Jesus and Me) Club
Wed 6th Dec	Rec & KS1 Choir
Wed 6th Dec	Cookery Club
Wed 6th Dec	Football Club KS2
Thur 7th Dec	KS2 Choir
Fri 9th Dec	Multi Sports KS2

Forthcoming Events:

Wed 6th Dec	Coverdale Puppets
Fri 8th Dec	Reindeer Run Nur—Y2
Tue 12th Dec	KS1 Performance 2pm & 6pm
Tue 12th Dec	Choir Belong Village
Tue 12th Dec	STB Y5 & 6 Taster Session 3.45 4.45pm
Wed 13th Dec	Choir Gainsborough House
Thur 14th Dec	EYFS Performance @ 10.30am
Thur 14th Dec	Christmas Lunch
Fri 15th Dec	EYFS Performance @ 9.30am
Mon 18th Dec	Christmas Experience
Tue 19th Dec	KS Carol Concert 2pm @ St James
Tue 19th Dec	Choir at STB Concert @ 6.30pm
Wed 20th Dec	KS2 Carol Concert 2pm @ St James'
Wed 20th Dec	Nur & Rec Stockley Farm Trip
Thur 21st Dec	Party Day
Fri 22nd Dec	School closes @ 1.30pm
Wed 3rd Jan	School re-opens @ 8.50am
Fri 5th Jan	Pantomime am

A Busy Term for Ethos Group...

Our Ethos Group are a group of children who really care about the Christian character of our school. They help with worship, lead services in church and help us to build our spirituality as a community. They have had a busy term and made lots of changes. Libby shared some of the exciting things they've done:

The Ethos group led our first Eucharist service in church in September to welcome everyone back from their holidays.

We worked with an artist called Nicki and designed a set of banners, one for each one of our values. They will be hung up in the hall so everyone can see which value we are thinking about.

At the beginning and end of our worships in the hall, we stand at the side to welcome everyone in and make a nice calm mood. We also choose a prayer to read out at the end of worship – one of the Ethos Group children reads it out. I liked it when it was my turn, I like to lead prayers at the front.

Our next job as Ethos Group is to help with the first Advent assembly, when we switch on all of our lights and show all of our decorations and our massive tree. I like it when the lights go on and the darkness is gone and the light is bright.

Libby Schofield, Year 3 Ethos Group member.



A special mention for out of school achievement to:

Lily Rose	Gymnastics
Isabelle Kelly	Dance Show
Maddison Minchion	Dance
Grace Postlethwaite	Horse Riding



Please note that Athletics Club has now finished until February as the weather is cold and it is dark early. Thank you.

The Christingle Service will take place at St James' church on Sunday 10th December at 5pm. Mr Flute will be there and would love to see as many of our children there as possible to share in this memorable service. Candle collection boxes for donations to the work of The Children's Society are available from the office. Please take them with you to the service. Thank you.



Thursday 21st December there will be no morning nursery. Please bring your child to school for 1pm to enjoy party afternoon.

We are holding a Christmas Jumper day on Friday 15th December in aid of Save the Children. Please come along in a festive jumper in return for a donation. Thank your continued support.



On Friday 8th December we will be holding our Enterprise Fair in the school hall from 2.30pm. Please come along and support your child.

EYFS and KS1 will be holding their Reindeer Run on Friday 8th December. Please support this event by sponsoring your child in aid of St Rocco's. Forms will need to be returned to school by Wednesday 6th December. Thank you for your support.



All performance tickets will be sent home early next week. Extra tickets will be available from Friday 8th December for EYFS and KS1. KS2 these will be available from Thursday 14th December. On a first come first serve basis if you do not require all tickets please could you return to the school office prior to these dates.