

Newsletter Christmas 2023

One Family, Shining Brightly



HAPPY CHRISTMAS!

From us all at Parc Lewis Primary we would like to thank our amazing children for the way they have worked so hard this term and also you the parents/guardians for your continued support and assistance in ensuring that we all work together to give the best to our children.



This year we were very excited to come together as a school and celebrate the talents of all our pupils, during their amazing Christmas concerts. Thank you to all the staff for all your hard work in helping our talented children to perform the concerts, and also to you the parents/guardians for providing their costumes, and to everyone who bought a ticket to watch the performances.

Nursery & Reception (Mrs Thomas, Mrs Long & Mrs Jones – Reception):

Songs around the Christmas tree

Year 1 & 2 and Year 2 (Mrs Jones (yr 1) Mr Earwaker & Miss Jones' class):

The Top of the tree

Years 3 & 4 (Mrs Gogherty & Mrs Morgan class):

Christmas Tunes Time Travel

**Years 4 & 5, Yr 5 & 6 & Yr 6
(Mrs Rourke, Mrs Henshaw & Mrs John):**

Bah Humbug

Diary Dates

DATES FOR THE DIARY 2024

Spring Term

Monday 08.01.2024 – Friday 22.03.2024

Half Term

Monday 12.02.2024 – Friday 16.02.2024

Easter Break

Monday 25.03.2024 – Friday 05.04.2024

Summer Term

Monday 08.04.2024 – Friday 21.07.2024

Half Term

Monday 27.05.2024 – Friday 31.05.2024

May Bank Holiday

06.05.2024

School Inset day -09.02.2024

Monday 22.07.2024 has been designated as a Local Authority INSET day.



Christmas Dates

Monday 18.12.2023

Foundation Phase Christmas Party
(Party clothes)

TUESDAY 19.12.2023 – Christmas
Dinner
(Christmas Jumper day)

WEDNESDAY 20.12.23 –
Foundation Phase – Louby Lou
Christmas Show
Juniors – Good2be green treat

THURSDAY 21.12.2023 –
Juniors
Sherman Theatre -Peter Pan trip
(School uniform)

FRIDAY 22.12.23 – Last Day
(wear your own clothes)



- In order to report your child/ren absent from School, please use the facility on our phone line by pressing Option 1 immediately to leave the information required. As you can appreciate the phone is very busy, and as we have more than one incoming line it might seem we are not answering your calls. Voicemails left are checked frequently throughout the school day.
- Where possible please avoid taking your child out during school hours to attend medical appointment, however we understand that there are emergencies which require appointments on the day, and certain appointments are pre-booked which cannot be re-arranged. School requires a copy of appointments, in order to authorise your child/ren attendance.
- Attendance is an area which we will continue to monitor. It is vital for children to be in school and on time so they have the greatest opportunity to learn and be with their friends.

Doors/Gates are open between 8.45am and 8.55am, in order to ensure that classes begin promptly.

Fixed Penalty Notices have been reintroduced and the AWS service will continue to visit homes where children are absent and school has not received an explanation.

Thank you for your continued cooperation in these important areas.



School Clubs

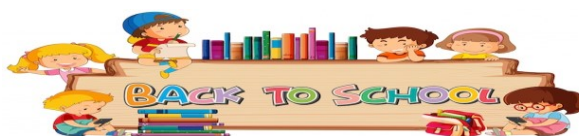
It was lovely to see school clubs starting back this term!

Mrs. Henshaw was busy on a Tuesday after school taking the Book Brigade Club.
Also on a Tuesday Mrs. Rourke held "Tag" rugby after school club

Wellbeing Wednesday was run by Mrs. Morgan.
Also on a Wednesday & Thursday Lauren & Ioan came in at lunchtime to organize lunchtime games for our Junior children.

Mrs Rourke also ran the football after school club on a Thursday.

Please keep your eyes peeled next term, as clubs change on a termly basis and we can only accommodate a certain number of children in each one.



STAFF CHANGES – JANUARY 2024

Mrs Morgan – Year 3 & 4 class teacher will be absent from school when we return – we look forward to welcoming our new teacher Mrs James who will cover the class until Mrs Morgan returns.

Rec & Year 1 class will be taught by Miss Cowell every Thursday and Friday at the beginning of the term. We also look forward to welcoming Miss Cowell to Parclewis Primary School.

**We are looking forward to seeing you all
in the New Year,
on Monday 8th January 2024**