



Newsletter

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Class	Class Attendance
Panthers	87.6%
Penguins	98.1%
Dolphins	97.2%
Koalas	96.9%
Zebras	96.9%
Elephants	97.9%
Giraffes	95.9%
Toucans	93.8%
Puffins	95.6%
Tigers	91.1%
Pandas	96%

Whole School Attendance (w/e 1/12/17) 95.4%
Target = 96% or above

CHRISTMAS FAIR

Our Christmas Fair was a great success! Many thanks to all our staff for their hard work and also to all our parents for your donations and support. We raised a grand total of £1,203 which will be spent on new musical instruments to be used in School.



The 50/50 prize money was £78.50, this was won by a parent of one of our children in Lower Foundation and the Polar Bear Cake Raffle was won by Cedelle Dunning in Class 3B. What a nice surprise just in time for Christmas!

ROBINWOOD RESIDENTIAL 6TH-8TH DECEMBER 2017

Some of our Year 5 and 6 children set off this morning to the Activity Centre at Barhaugh Hall, Alston in Cumbria. School will text parents to inform them that the children have arrived at Robinwood safely. On Friday 8th December they aim to be back at school for approximately 5.30 pm (traffic permitting). You will receive a text message stating the approximate time of arrival back at school.



Dates for our Christmas Parties:-

- Mon 18th December – Year 1 & 2
- Tues 19th December – Year 3 & 4
- Wed 20th December – Year 5 & 6

Thursday 21st December – Foundation Stage



Christmas Jumper Day Friday 15th December

On Friday 15th December we will be having a Christmas Jumper day in school. This will be a non uniform day and there is no charge for wearing a Christmas Jumper.

CHRISTMAS DINNER THURSDAY 7TH DECEMBER

We are having our Christmas dinner in school this Thursday. Please remember to go on to www.feedinghungryminds.co.uk to pay for this meal if your child is in KS2 and not entitled to free school meals.

Poppy Appeal

Thank you very much for helping with the Poppy Appeal we collected an amazing £221.06.



SCHOLASTICS BOOK FAIR

Our Scholastic Book Fair was a great success. We sold an amazing £540 worth of books and school received 100% commission, we took this value in books from the book fair and they will be put in our new library. Thank you for your on-going support.

KETTLETHORPE RESIDENTS CHRISTMAS DINNER

Seventy elderly Kettlethorpe residents were in school yesterday for their annual Christmas Dinner! Mary and her kitchen team cooked a delicious Christmas dinner and some of our children sang songs from their Christmas concerts. They had a fabulous time!



Our Christmas concerts are taking place next week. A letter was sent out yesterday with a return slip for your tickets, please return this to your child's class teacher as soon as possible.

- 9.30 am Monday 11th December
- 2.00 pm Monday 11th December
- 2.00 pm Wednesday 13th December
- 6.00 pm Wednesday 13th December
- 10.00 am Friday 15th December
- 2.00 pm Friday 15th December

- KS1 Concert (Years 1-2)
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- KS2 Concert (Years 3-6)
- KS2 Concert (Years 3-6) (No pre-school children)
- Foundation Stage Concert (Reception and Nursery)
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Designated Safeguarding Leads - Mrs K Ashton (Headteacher), Mr D Benson (Deputy Headteacher), Mrs R Knowles (SENCO & Early Years Foundation Leader), Safeguarding Governor - Mr T Carter (Chair of Governors - tcarter@hendal.wakefield.sch.uk) If you have any concerns regarding the welfare of children you can contact Social Care Direct on 0345 850 3503