



## USL Primary News

Term 2 School Newsletter 13: 10<sup>th</sup> December 2018

### SPORTS NEWS

#### Sportshall Athletics Report Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December

On Tuesday last week, 25 children Upton St Leonards at the Large Schools Sportshall Athletics Level 2 Competition held at Bentham Country Club. The atmosphere inside the dome was buzzing. Early on in the races, our team had brilliant victories including the boys' obstacle race where we won our time trial. In the non-running events, we experienced success through Troy in the chest push (8.25m) and through Jolie in the speed bounce with an astonishing 51 jumps in 20 seconds! The final event of the day was the 4 x 1 lap relay, with everyone else watching. The girls' team of Phoebe, Gabriella, Gemma and Halle won their race by a huge margin before the boys' team of Lewis V, Lewis C, Jumari and Ben did exactly the same, with some fantastic baton changing on the way to victory. The team finished 5<sup>th</sup> on the day. A big well done to all those involved.



#### Boys' Football Report League Match 6 at home against Kingsway Primary School Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> December



On Thursday, we played Kingsway at home in our 6<sup>th</sup> league game. We started slowly, with Kingsway going 1 – 0 up. We fought back to make it 1 – 1 at half time with an excellent shot into

### This week

Just a reminder of the events this week and next:-

#### Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December

**Reception/Y1/Y2 Nativity Play** – 2pm and 6pm (without Reception at the 6pm performance).



#### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December

**Reception/Y1/Y2 Nativity Play** – 2pm

#### Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December

The **Junior Carol Service** for children in Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 will be held in school on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December, starting at **2.00pm**.

#### Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

The **Infants Carol Service** for children in Reception and Years 1 and 2 will be held at the Parish Church on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December, starting at **9.00am**.

#### Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December

The KS2 choir will be singing at Gloucester Cathedral. Practice 6.20pm, doors open to the public at 7pm. Tickets cost £4 each and can be ordered online at <https://3choirs.org/whats-on/ecclesiastical-christmas-concert-2018>.

#### Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December

**Last Day** – Christmas Party Day. Further details coming soon!

**School Christmas Lunch** – the children can enjoy a traditional Christmas lunch on Friday as part of our Party Day celebrations. Please order and pay as usual. The menu is below.

**School finishes** for the Christmas Holidays at 3.15/3.20pm.

### Christmas Music Evening

Well done to all the musicians and singers who performed at the Christmas Music Evening. Our talented pupils showcased their skills on the piano, violin, guitar and in the choir. It was lovely to see such a great turn out from parents and relatives, who came to show their support in the audience. Thank you also to the PTA for providing the refreshments.

### Year 2 Fun Activity Morning at Plock Court

Year 2 had a wonderful time at the Multiskills Christmas Festival at Plock Court on Friday. The activities were led by students from Gloucester Academy and included net, ball, balance and agility skills. The children were extremely well behaved and represented the school with pride. Thank you to all those who made a Christmas hat and well done to Edward P, Summer T and Joseph C for winning a prize for their entry.

### Y3T Class Worship

Y3T enjoyed presenting their assembly about compassion, to a packed hall, on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December. The children spoke confidently and enthusiastically and we are very proud of them. Thank you to all of the visitors who came to support the children.

### Y4 Christmas Market Stall

The winner of the Y4 Guess the name of the soldier stall was Annabel T and the soldier's name is Clive.

the corner by Reece. In the 2<sup>nd</sup> half we had much more urgency and soon scored further goals through Reece (2), Lewis V and Leo. This made the final score 5 – 1 to us. With 5 wins and a draw so far, we are top of the league and a win next week against Hardwicke would secure the title. Well done to Lewis V (c), Lewis C, Tom, Alfie, Jay, Todd, Leo and Ben.

#### OPEN THE BOOK

Thank you to our Open the Book Team, who told the story 'God's Good Idea' in Friday's worship.

#### NOTICES & REMINDERS

**Menu this week**  
Week 2 of the menu

#### PTA Christmas Stock Clearance

There will be a PTA Christmas stock clearance sale this Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December after school. All items 50p each.

#### Wanted!!

Year 5 are in need of old Barbie, action man dolls etc. to use for their Time Travellers topic next term. If you have any unwanted ones at home they would be very grateful for them. Thank you.

#### Violin Success



Congratulations to Poppy in Y6L on achieving her Grade 1 in violin with Merit. Well done!

#### Christmas Lunch Menu

Our Christmas lunch is next Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> December.

*Roast Turkey served with Pigs in Blankets, Yorkshire Pudding*

*Roast Potatoes, Vegetables, Stuffing and Gravy*

*or*

*Quorn Sausage served with Yorkshire Pudding*

*Roast Potatoes, Vegetables, Stuffing and Gravy*

*Followed by*

*Christmas Ice-Cream*

The process of ordering and payment will not change.



#### Attendance



Last week's class with the highest attendance is Y6L and they will be entered into the termly draw for prizes! Well done!