PUDDLETOWN VC CE FIRST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER





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Christmas is such a special time in school. The children are so full of joy and excitement and we all work hard to ensure their Christmas school experience is a magical one. We started with a Pantomime with Treehouse theatre's production of 'Treasure Island'. The performance involved Live acting and singing and included lots of audience involvement which the children loved. It was a great, fun afternoon.

Next was Carols around the village with Father Christmas in his beautifully decorated tractor and trailer to lead our singing around the village. We had such a good turn out despite the poor forecast and it was wonderful to sing to and with our community. Hot dogs and hot chocolates rounded off this lovely evening and a big thank you goes to all the FOPs team for organising. Last week saw our whole school production of 'The inn-spectors'. It was an absolutely brilliant production with the year 4s taking on acting roles, singing solos and the whole school joining in with their class dances and amazing singing. It really was a special evening and we thank all the staff for their hard work, especially Miss Crankshaw who led the whole event.

Our Christmas book bingo organised by Mrs Murphy was really well supported and 2 lucky children won a beautiful Christmas book in the prize draw. Thank you to everyone who took part.

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This week we have had our whole school Christmas lunch followed by class parties and party snacks and we are finishing today with a very special Christmas service with Rev Sarah in the Church.

I am sure you will all be ready to take your tired children home after a long and busy term and enjoy the holiday. Much fun and learning has happened this term and we will look forward to even more of that in the New year.

The staff and I would like to wish you and your families a very very Happy Christmas

REMINDERS

Children return on TUESDAY 7th of January



Our Weldmar Elephant is getting in the Christmas mood but needs a name and a design. Look out for the template and entry form in the book bags.

Mrs Anna Seal Head of school