Holtsmere End Junior School Newsletter

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Academic Year 2022/23

December

Wednesday 21st
Holtsmere's Got Talent

End of Term
1:30 Close

January 2023

Thurs 5th & Fri 6th
INSET DAYS
School Closed

Monday 9th
Start Spring Term

Thursday 19th
Y6 Young Voices

Tuesday 24th
Y6 Harry Potter trip

February 2023

13th - 17th
Half Term

March 2023

Friday 17th
Red Nose Day

Friday 31st

Message from Mrs McGuigan

What a busy few weeks we have had in school as the excitement builds to the end of term and the Christmas holidays. The last few weeks of any term is always busy but this year seems to have been particularly so – with Christmas dinner, Christmas performances, the pantomime and the annual Carol Service all adding to the excitement.

The pantomime 'Dick Whittington' was enjoyed by all of the children and we will certainly be booking the same company next year!

The Year 3 and 4 performances were fantastic this year and it has been wonderful to hear so many positive comments from parents and grandparents.

The Carol Service at St Mary's Church was the usual highlight of the school calendar. All of the children sang beautifully in the church and I was particularly proud of the Year 6 children as they had worked so hard on practising their readings.

Finally, as we approach the end of the Autumn term and of 2022, I would like to say a huge thank you to each and every one of you, for all of your support this year. The children have all worked incredibly hard and I know they are looking forward to a rest at home and some family time.

On behalf of all of the staff at Holtsmere, I would like to wish you all a lovely break, a Merry Christmas, and a very Happy New Year!

Holtsmere's Got Talent

1st Place - Emma C. Y6 for singing

2nd Place - Lara, Sophia, Miriam & Isabelle Y4 for gymnastics

3rd Place - Zion Y6 for dancing

Lunchtime Fun in the Snow

Year 3 & 4 Christmas Plays

Christmas Dinner

We really enjoyed our Christmas dinner. We had crackers that we pulled that included jokes and paper hats. It was delicious and tasty. For pudding we could have a star cookie, ice cream or a special rice crispie cake.

By: Amelia & Finley Y5

The pantomime was funny. Dick Whittington lost his cat, he couldn't find him. They were singing very loudly. The cat was found at the end and everyone was very happy.

By: Amelia and George Y3

Bridges Workshop

The teacher that was teaching us was called Martin and he taught us how to build trusses. We were working in groups and built one giant truss at the end.

We also made triangles and connected them together to make the truss bridge and tied rubber bands on it to make it stronger.

HSA Hampers made from your donations

Year 4 reading with Year 6

Class	2/12/22					9/12/22				
	6R's	Writer of the week	Reader of the week	Mathe-matician of the week	Hand-writing	6 R's	Writer of the week	Reader of the week	Mathe-matician of the week	Hand-writing
Mrs Prendi	Farissq	Olivia Rae	Lina	Jacob	Shreya	Antonia	Gracie Lee	Alfie	Zunaira	Evan
Miss Carroll	Taanvi	Serena	Lewis	Esther	Archie	Ahyaan	Archie	Alex	Lara	Ben
Miss Abrey	Enzo	Grace	John	Bill	Gabriela	Na-thaniel	Reggie	Nana	Savannah	Starise
Miss Graham	Sofia	Lara	Junaynah	Rhett	Mia	Josh	Maria	Darcy	Izaak	Oghosa
Mrs Toms/ Mrs Florido	Aanya & Tiarah	Abby	Adifaah	Christo-pher	Joshua	Adam	Alfie	Will	Vanesa	Mason
Miss McCarroll	Stella	Paris	Fia	Danilo	Obie	Abi	Christo-pher	Tilly	Polly	Antonia
Mrs Deacon	Rosie	Alisha	Karina	Gabriel	Jack	James	Aleyna	Izzy	Lyla	Alfie
Mrs Tredwell	Uthman	Fabiana	Zion	Zion	Olivia	Mira	Daisy	Fabiana	Oliver	Samuel

Class	16/12/22				
	6R's	Writer of the week	Reader of the week	Mathe-matician of the week	Hand-writing
Mrs Prendi	Lexi	Mya	Jacob	Daisy	Micaela
Miss Carroll	Violeta	Setayesh	Esther	Elena	Ahyaan
Miss Abrey	Grace	Pareeta	Theresa	Lolu	Cody
Miss Graham	Harrison	Aryan	Rhett	Miriam	Julia
Mrs Toms/ Mrs Florido	Ella	Abubakar	Christo-pher	Vienna	Mason
Miss McCarroll	Lily	Sean	Isa	Tutu	Maisie
Mrs Deacon	Alicja	Rosie	Ollie	Josh	Corey
Mrs Tredwell	Charlotte	Dina	Olivia	Uthman	Melissa

All the staff would like to say thank you for all the wonderful gifts received
Merry Christmas