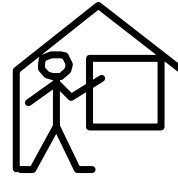


December 11th 2009



Dear parents and carers,



As you can see from the photographs everyone enjoyed visiting Father Christmas at our Fayre last Friday. Thank you those of you who came along and supported us, the total raised so far is £425 but raffle tickets continue to be on sale from Reception until next Tuesday. The raffle will be drawn after our whole school Christmas Lunch.

The pupils have been busy continuing with their Christmas activities including decorating their class areas.



Many classes have also made their own Christmas cakes which has resulted in a delightful aroma of baking flowing through the school.



Many classes will be going to visit the display in the City Centre before the end of term which is always a favourite activity at this time of year.

Christmas Concert

Thank you to those of you who came along and supported us on Tuesday at our Christmas Concert. It was a delightful afternoon where everyone enjoyed our performance. Thank you to those of you who gave money to our collection we raised £135 which will be put towards the redesign of the primary courtyard area.

Thank You to Jenny

On behalf of all the pupils and staff at The Redway a big Thank you goes to Jenny Farmer and her family. Following the sad passing of her Mother - Mrs Hill donations were requested for our school. This week a cheque was received for £549.50 which is much appreciated. Following

discussions with Jenny, once the primary courtyard is planned this will be put towards the cost of buying one specific piece of equipment for that area.

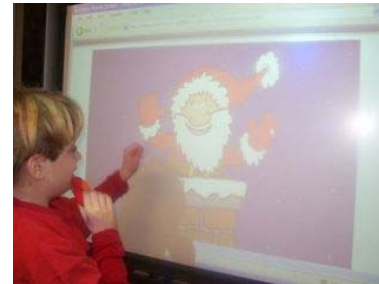
New Uniform

We have a new item of school uniform - a read hooded sweatshirt, complete with the school logo. Should you be interested in purchasing one for your son / daughter then please contact Jen at Reception.

Class of the Week are Willows



In Willows we have been getting ready for Christmas. We have been making cards and calendars and have decorated our classroom. We liked making and tasting peppermint creams. We enjoy music and singing and liked all the Christmas concert rehearsals. We all had lots of fun at the concert. We are now looking forward to the puppet shows and our Christmas parties next week.



End of Term Activities

Next week there are more exciting end of term activities planned:

- On Tuesday it is our full school Christmas Lunch
- The puppet shows on Wednesday morning
- Thursday afternoon from 1:30 - 3pm are our Christmas parties
- Our end of term full school Christmas Assembly is at 10am on Friday December 18th, to which you are all welcome to attend.

Please remember that school closes at 1:30pm for the Christmas Holidays next Friday.

The Spring Term starts on Tuesday January 5th for all pupils.

Enjoy the weekend everyone

Ruth