

ST. LAURENCE'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday 9th December 2016



Many thanks to everyone who supported our Winter Market, it was a great success and raised over £1,000!
Also, thanks for all your wonderful entries to the Bauble Competition, what a fantastic effort

Judging was extremely difficult but the winners were:

Funniest/Most Original	Bella Price	Reception
Most Inventive	Shaniece Badlan	Year 2
Most Colourful	Crystal Clinton	Nursery
Most Sparkly	Lola Griffiths	Year 1
Most Yummy	Cole Faulkner	Year 5
Most Cute	Taia Owen	Year 5
Most Precise	Millie Metzger	Year 6
Most Jingly	Amy Lambeth	Year 4

Highly Commended Entries were:

Olivia Rigney	Year 3
Isobel Chan	Year 5
Blake Faulkner	Year 3
Max de Souza	Reception
Beau McCourt	Year 2
Amelia Handly	Year 3
Joshua Smart-Lynch	Year 1
Sid Stone	Year 1



Value for this term Trust

Trust is the very essence of faith; trust in the God who is trustworthy.

Psalm 91:2

I will say of the LORD, 'He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.'

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'You don't have to trust me.....as long as you can persuade me to trust you'

Humphrey Bogart

Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 16th December

A £1 donation, in aid of Text Santa.



Poppy Appeal

Thank you for all your support, we raised **£177.34**



On Thursday Year 5 and Year 6 entertained the elderly residents of Ludlow by singing traditional carols and modern jazzy Christmas songs at Ludlow Sixth Form College. Everyone had a brilliant time and it was great to bring such seasonal joy to them.

Panto

The whole school will be attending The Courtyard on Thursday to see Aladdin. We will be arriving back at school at 4.30 pm.

Children will be dismissed from their classrooms as they would on a normal school day.

This will enable them to collect bags and belongings, as well as being safer than releasing the children to parents in Old Street.

All children will need a packed lunch, which will be eaten in the classroom before they catch the bus. Children who are entitled to free school meals who are in Y3, Y4, Y5 or Y6 should have already ordered a packed lunch from the kitchen, this **cannot** be ordered on the Thursday morning.

Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to a free packed lunch provided by the school but are able to bring in their own packed lunch if they prefer, again these should already have been pre-booked and cannot be ordered on Thursday morning

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

December

Sabyan Hands
Isabella Price
Liana curry
Alexander Rowley
Lacey-Jane Beckwith
Emily Fox
Oscar Reid
Samuel Hollins
Dnaiel Badlan
Corey Clinton
Blake Faulkner
Joshua Smart-Lynch

Nursery News

In nursery this week we have been getting well and truly into the Christmas spirit, starting and ending the week with our creative Christmas sessions. We have enjoyed getting creative with parents, grandparents and aunts, making tree decorations, decorating biscuits, making table centre pieces and getting completely covered in glitter!! Thank you to everyone who came and made it special time for the children



The children have loved playing in our Santa's grotto, helping Santa to make some toys ready to deliver on Christmas Eve (Well he did ask us personally, how could we refuse ?!!)



Reminder: Nursery Pantomime – Thursday 15th December.

A coach has been booked for 8.00 a.m. to leave the **Smithfield Carpark at 8.15 a.m. prompt.** Could we ask you to bring your child to the Smithfield car park, having been toileted and wait with them, in readiness to get on the bus. We need to **leave promptly** in order to be at the Courtyard for a 9.30 a.m. start

Reception

'Pop up Nativity'

Well done Reception class on an amazing Pop up Nativity!!!!!! You spoke clearly, sang up and performed with confidence. You truly brought the magic and sparkle to Christmas and made us all very proud.



KS1 performance

Well done to all KS1 children for putting on a fantastic performance of 'Strictly the Nativity'. A huge thank you to parents and friends for all your support and encouragement. We are all very proud of you and keep dancing!!!



Minecraft

We have had a fantastic time this term ! As it became more popular Minecraft club will be offered to KS1, Classes 3 & 4 for the first half of next term and then Classes 5 & 6 for the second half of nest term.

Next term Ludlow Secondary School are proposing to start an after school Code Club, with some interesting resources. This will be after school for an hour on a Tuesday.

If you are interested please let Mrs Wall know. Thank You ! Mrs Wall

Christmas Experience

Today, Friday 9th December, Year 2 had a fantastic opportunity to visit the Elim Church and celebrate the Christmas Experience. This was a collection of workshop activities including visualising the long journey from Nazareth to Bethlehem and exploring many of the preparation ideas within Advent. Huge thanks and appreciation must be made to Tim Coles and the amazing team of volunteers at the Church.



Stocking fillers

If you are stuck for stocking fillers this Christmas, then these books would make ideal gifts. Please see Mrs Gilford if you would like any more information

