

# Beardall Fields Primary & Nursery School

## December 8th Newsletter

### Diary Dates

Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas dinner
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December – 2 p.m.	Reception Nativity – no tickets required
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December 2pm & 6 pm	Yr 1 & 2 Christmas Performance
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December – afternoon	Yr 1 & 2 Christmas Party
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December - afternoon	Nursery & Reception Christmas Party Yrs 4 & 5 Christmas Party
Thursday 21 December – afternoon	Yrs 3 & 6 Christmas Party
Friday 22 December	Last day at school
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	School re-opens

### Christmas Fair

Thanks to everyone who supported this event last Saturday. We raised an amazing £1900.

### Pantomime

All our children have had the experience of a pantomime, either in school or at the theatre. All children had a great time and as ever, the behaviour throughout has been fantastic and commented upon. Well done everybody

### Performances

Well done to our Nursery who performed Christmas songs and dances to their parents and carers. I'm sorry to have missed this but I know it was really well attended and the children were incredibly cute!

### KS1 Performance

Tickets are selling well. Any remaining tickets will be on sale on Tuesday.

### Parking

Parking outside the gates on Emperors Way continues to be a problem. Can I please ask that when parking around the school area that you are respectful to the residents and do not block their access to driveways etc. Please remember that Kenbrook Road offers more parking and is much easier to exit.

### Attendance

As a school we continue to strive for all pupils to attend school regularly. Our school target is 97%.

At our last governors' meeting we reviewed our attendance policy and have now included specific actions we will take when attendance is causing concern. (Persistent Absence is 90% and below) Please note that we have included the Fixed Penalty Notices in accordance with Nottinghamshire County Councils Attendance Toolkit (for compulsory school aged children) which can be issued when all support has been offered and the number of unauthorised absences continues to be an issue. As a school we want to work with families to improve attendance and support where there are issues getting children in to school. Please see the policy on the website.

### Attendance

#### This week's attendance %

RG	RH	1D	1H	2V	2W	3OW	3PB	4	5	6	Whole school
98.5	96.5	97.7	97.1	89.9	91.4	99	97.9	97.8	99.2	97.9	96.8



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