

CHARITY NEWS

Christmas Charity Collections



The collections at the end of our Christmas Concerts were in aid of Bethany's appeal for Claire House. Thanks to your generous donations we raised £242.79 which will be used to support families who need this specialised care.

A HUGE THANK YOU to everyone who has supported all our charities this term. We have raised an amazing £1163.69 for the charities we have collected for; Young Minds, Children in Need, Macmillan, and Claire House. Thank you also for the Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes and the Harvest gifts for Response, Forum Housing and the Charles Thompson Mission. Everyone has been so kind and generous.

SCHOOL MEALS

The children really enjoyed their Christmas Lunch on 12th December as did all the staff!



A big thank you to Jane, Dave and Lexi, and to all the Midday Assistants for all their hard work this term and for making lunchtimes special for all the children.



Class Attendance this term

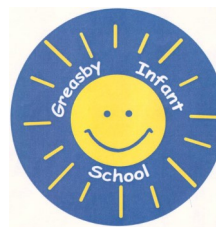
2JB 97.8%
F2EH 96.8%

2KF 97.1%
F2LS96.7%

1CP 96.9%
1SC 96.2%

The National Average for attendance is 96%, all our classes are above this. Well done, everyone.

The start of the Spring Term is Monday 7th January for the staff with the children returning to school on Tuesday 8th January 2019.



December 2018

GREASBY INFANT SCHOOL

Dear Parents

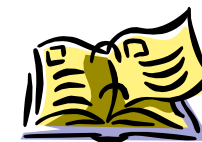
It has been a very busy time over the last few weeks and everyone is ready for a well deserved break. It has been lovely to see so many of you at our Christmas celebrations. Thank you for all your support this term and I would like to wish everyone

*A Wonderful Christmas
and a Happy New Year.*

Mrs J. Hall



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



JANUARY

7th	Staff Development Day—staff only
8th	Pupils return to school
10th	Year 1 to visit Greasby Methodist Church

FEBRUARY

15th	Non-uniform Day
18th-22nd	Half Term Holiday
25th	Return to school

MARCH

7th	World Book Day
Wb 11th	Parent-Teacher meetings by appointment
15th	Red Nose Day

APRIL

1st-12th	Spring Break
19th	Good Friday—school closed
22nd	Easter Monday—school closed

The Christmas Performances

It was lovely to see so many of you at the recent Christmas concerts. The children and staff all worked very hard and I am sure you were as proud of their achievements as I was. All the performances were fantastic and everyone enjoyed these Christmas celebrations



Year 2's performance Big Bad Betty. All the children were wonderful and really enjoyed performing for you.



Year 1 told the story of The Real Saint Nick. The children travelled around the world finding out about how children in different countries celebrate Christmas.



The performance was amazing and everyone enjoyed all the songs and dances, especially the children singing in different languages.



Foundation classes told the story of the A Miracle in Town.



The children were amazing especially when you realise that they have only been in school since September.

Thank you for your support with organising the costumes, the children looked wonderful and it was a lovely way to celebrate Christmas.

Recent School Activities



The Christmas Story

The Year 2 children thoroughly enjoyed their visit to Greasby Methodist Church to take part in the Meet the Characters from the Christmas story morning. A huge thank you to everyone at the Methodist Church for providing such a wonderful start to our Christmas activities.

Pantomime

On 10th December, Year 2 had a fantastic time when they went to Greasby Junior School to watch the pantomime. Many thanks to Mr Martin, his staff and pupils for such an enjoyable afternoon.

Christmas Carol Service

The children enjoyed celebrating Christmas at St John's Church on Friday 14th December. We hope that you all enjoyed sharing this celebration with us and we would like to thank Rev. Ken Owen for supporting the school.



The Pop Project Everyone had a great afternoon enjoying singing along to the Christmas songs with the Pop Project on Monday 17th December.



Christmas Party Day The children had lots of fun on 19th December and were very excited when our very special visitor came to give them their Christmas gifts. Thank you to FOGIS for making sure Father Christmas knew that all our children had been very good this year and deserved their presents. Also a big thank you to FOGIS for all their hard work this term organising discos, raffles and the Christmas party. FOGIS makes a huge difference to the range of activities taking place in school and we all appreciate their support.

