



Clarborough
Primary School

Building Success Together

Weekly Newsletter

W/e 1st December 2017

School Choir

On Sunday the school choir sang at the Victorian Christmas at Clarborough Church. The children did brilliantly well and we would like to say a huge thank you to those that attended, and also to their parents and carers for bringing them along.



Christmas Raffle

As you know, our Christmas Fayre is fast approaching and is being held on Friday 8th December from 3:30 – 5pm. We will have a range of crafts for sale made by the children as well as a variety of other stalls and refreshments.

We will also be selling raffle tickets which will be drawn at the fayre. Tickets are available from the school office and cost £1 each. They will also be for sale during the fayre.

Here is a current list of the prizes we have:

Afternoon tea for two

Prize from Sunrise Plants Nursery

Paco Rabanne perfume set

30-minute massage OR 30-minute facial at the Beauty Room @ Retford Chiropractic and Wellness Centre

Body Care gift set

Babycham gift set

Boots gift set

Family ticket to LEGOLAND, Windsor

Meal for two at the Boat Inn, Hayton

Champneys nail and hand cream

Two hampers donated by SPAR

Auto-Glyn Deluxe Car Cleaning Kit

1 free family swim from BPL

Henry Hoover

Children's toy/craft hamper

As well as a variety of smaller prizes.



We will also be having a silent auction for a **Nintendo Switch** along with the football game **FIFA 18**. Say how much you will be willing to pay and the highest bidder wins. Full payment must be given to school before the prize can be given. The receipt is with the games console and you will find the sealed bid box in the school office/reception area. The slips you need to fill in will be with it.

Nativity – A Midwife CRISIS!

This year there will once again be three performances of our Christmas Nativity, all of these will be performed in the School Hall.

The performances will be on:

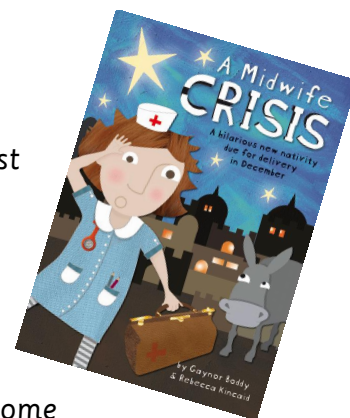
Monday 18th December at 2.00 pm

Tuesday 19th December at 2.00 pm

Wednesday 20th December at 9.30 am

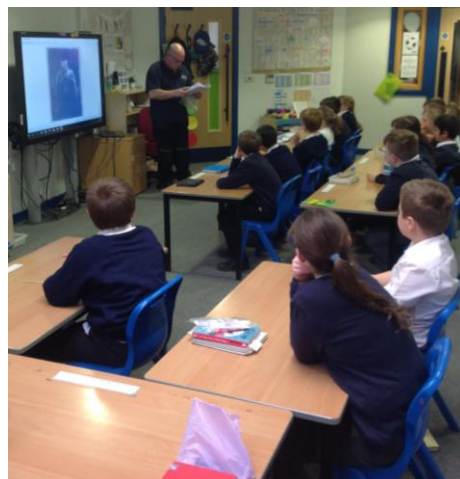
Limited tickets are now available from the office and will be issued on a first come first served basis for £2 each, (this includes a complimentary programme). All takings will be used to support the production, and any profits will be entered into school funds to supplement extra-curricular activities and rewards for the children.

Each production will last approximately 30 minutes. If you are attending one of the afternoon performances, you may take your child/ren straight home afterwards if you wish.



Class 4 – History

Last week our site manager, Pete Cox, talked to Class 4 about the veterans from Clarborough that fought in World War 2. He described aspects of what they had been through and talked about his trip to Belgium to visit the burial site. Pete also showed the children some crosses with poppies on so that the children could recreate them. Once they have done this, Pete will take them to the memorial site in Belgium during his next visit.



Attendance

Week ending 24th November:

Class 1	90.43%
Class 2	96.96%
Class 3	88.10%
Class 4	90.00%
Class 5	96.36%
Class 6	92.78%



Well done to Class 2!

Star of the Week

This weeks 'Stars' are:

Class 1	Ruby P
Class 2	Rose P
Class 3	Olivia O
Class 4	Faith K
Class 5	Lucy Q-B
Class 6	Naomi E



Children in Need

Our final total for Children in Need donations was £155. A huge thank you to all those who donated.

Out of school achievements

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William P from Class 5 was selected to represent Newark Rugby Club under 10s in the Leicester Tigers' Prima Cup competition. His team won through to the second stage of the competition by winning all 4 matches in the qualifying round.

The second stage was held at the Leicester Tigers ground, Welford Road, on match day after the Tigers played their Premiership match against Worcester Warriors. The Newark team won their first game 2-1 and drew their second 3-3. William was very excited to have been able to play on the pitch of the rugby team he supports! Well done to all the boys in the team.



Staff absence

As some of you may be aware, we are currently 3 members of teaching staff down due to illness. We thank you for your patience whilst we manage this situation the best way that we can. We are currently covering the classes with experienced supply staff and moving some of our existing, qualified teaching assistants around to support. Unfortunately these horrible viruses that the children get, are also passed to adults. If you have any queries about this, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

School dates for your diaries:

I will write 'NEW' next to new events each week

December

- 5th Year 4/5/6 trip to Cinema
- 6th Choir performing at Clarborough's Lighting of the Tree
- 8th School Christmas Fayre
- 14th Foundation Nativity (9.15 am Reception parents, 10.45 am Nursery parents)
- 15th Foundation Christmas Party
- 18th No after school clubs this week
- 18th Christmas Post begins (When children can bring in their cards to post in the box)
- 18th Key Stage 1 & 2 Nativity – PM 2.00 pm
- 19th Key Stage 1 & 2 Nativity – PM 2.00 pm
- 20th Key Stage 1 & 2 Nativity – AM 9.30 am
- 21st Christmas Dinner
Key Stage 1 & 2 Christmas Parties
- 22nd Christmas Jumper Day (no charge) **NEW**
- 22nd Last day of term

Local Community

- 6th Clarborough Christmas Tree Light Switch on 5 - 7.30pm Village Hall
- 16th Father Christmas' Village Tour – from 4pm
- 16th Father Christmas at Clarborough SPAR 2 – 4pm
- 17th Father Christmas at Clarborough SPAR 2 – 4pm
- 17th Clarborough Church Choir Carol Singing from 2pm
- 23rd Father Christmas at Clarborough SPAR 2 – 4pm

All donations received from visits to Father Christmas and his tour of the village will be donated by the SPAR to Clarborough Primary School.

We would like to say a huge thank you in advance for the incredibly generous gesture from King Family Stores.

Santas Sleigh – Retford Lions

Starting Friday 1st of December Santa will be travelling around Retford, Clarborough, Tuxford and East Markham throughout the month. This year Santa and Rudolph have got a Tracker to enable children and parents to see exactly where Santa is so they can plan bath time etc around when he will arrive on their street. To track Santa just go on the website

<http://www.lionstracksanta.com>

