

Leadgate Junior School – Friday Newsletter

Caring, Sharing, Learning Together

**December 18th
2015**

**End of Autumn
Term
Summary**



School Clubs

School clubs will start again Tuesday 12th January. Letters have gone out so children know which clubs they are doing in January. Clubs DO NOT follow on from this term.

School Dinners

Although most dinner payments are made weekly sometimes the children forget to hand their money in on a Monday am. To make parents aware if dinner money hasn't been handed in Mrs Ternent will text parents on a Monday to advise if she has received the payment. Hopefully this will stop payments being kept in bags for days and weeks. Cheques are to be made payable to Durham CC.

Thank you to staff, children and parents who have worked with me over the last 8 ½ years. I have loved being here and it has felt like I have had 100 kids in addition to my own 2. You are lucky to have great staff who care deeply for your children and children who are kind and considerate.

Please say hello when I see you out and about.

Mrs Elliott

Salvation Army Toy Appeal

Thank you to everyone who donated presents for the appeal. We had a large amount donated and all the presents are distributed locally in the Derwentside area so it really is a case of helping thy neighbour in the true spirit of Christmas.

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Thank you and Merry Christmas

May I take this last opportunity to thank everyone for their continued support across this term and wish you all a very Happy and Safe Christmas Holiday.

Over this term the school has continued to develop all areas of its work and the children have enjoyed activities and lessons, trips, visitors and plays. Thank you to all those that have given time to support us in our efforts.

New Telephone System

The new telephone system will be up and running from 5th Jan.

The new number is
01207 610361.

This number is for both upper and lower school.
School reopens Tuesday 5th January.

Whole School Attendance

Class 1 95.7% Class 2 98.4%
Class 3 97.8% Class 4 95.7%

School Christmas Fayre

Our Christmas Fayre raised £686. The carol service raised over £100

Thank you to all parents, children and staff who worked so hard to make the events a huge success as this means we can subsidise visits and have disco's and party food free of charge.

PARENTS – Useful Contacts

Leadgate Upper School – 01207 610361

Leadgate Lower School – 01207 610361

County Hall – 03000 260 000

Consett Medical Centre - 583400

Leadgate Chemist - 502774

Leadgate Doctors -583555

School Nurse – 03000 261 121

How to Track Santa on Christmas Eve

<http://www.noradsanta.org/>

This website tracks Santa's sleigh and shows where he has been and when he will arrive. So sprinkle your reindeer dust and see where Rudolph stops!

A blue ribbon banner with a 3D effect, featuring a central rectangular section and two pointed ends that resemble ribbon tails. The text is centered within the central section.

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