# Leadgate Primary School - Friday Newsletter

# Caring, Sharing, Learning Together

## Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> December 2018

## This day in history

1946 Christmas classic "It's a Wonderful Life" film premieres in New York, directed by Frank Capra, starring James Stewart.

1990 The world's first website and server go live at CERN

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## Whole School Attendance

Year 1 = 98.9%

Year 2 = 95.1%

Year 3 = 100%

Year 4 = 93.0%

Year 5 = 97.8%

Year 6 = 93.5%



School closes on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> of December and reopens on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> of January 2019



#### **Christmas Message**

### Dear Parent / Carer,

Can I take this opportunity to thank you all for your ongoing support across 2018 and this first term of 2018 - 2019. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff and foremost the children across the whole school who have helped to maintain such a busy first term. It has brought a variety of experiences and opportunities to all the children and enriched their education alongside the normal day to day in class lessons. Finally, on behalf of the whole school and Governors we wish you all a very Happy and Safe Christmas and best wishes for the New Year.

# Santa Tracker

**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!



## **Congratulations**

Well Done Year 1 for the best attendance in Lower School and Year 3 for the best attendance in Upper School.

Our New School target is 97%.

## **Christmas Jumper Day**

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our Cash for Kids Christmas Jumper day – we raised a total of £84. The children looked wonderful in their Christmas Jumpers and the money raised will stay in the North East to help disadvantaged children.



#### **Upper School Christmas Performances**

We would like to say a big well done to Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 who did so well during their Christmas performances this week. We hope you enjoyed them. Thank you to the staff who worked really hard practising with them and organising costumes and dress rehearsals.

We are very grateful for all your support during our Christmas events across both sites. Upper School raffle raised £191.70 for school.



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#### **Mathletics Hall of Fame**

1<sup>st</sup> James M (Y3)

2<sup>nd</sup> Lucas A (Y2)

3<sup>rd</sup> Sam J (Y3)

4<sup>th</sup> Greger T (Y1)

5<sup>th</sup> Lincoln R (Y3)

Keep up the good work!



### **Daily Mile Runner of the Month**

Year 3 Logan H
Year 4 Emma
Year 5 Lucy D
Year 6 Harry R



## **Duolingo Hall of Fame**

Year 3 James M Year 4 Lucy A Year 5 Evie E

## **Spaces Available**

If you are aware of any family or friends looking to move school due to a change in circumstances, for example house move we currently have spaces available in Nursery for our January intake, Year 1,2,3,4 and Year 6. For further information please contact the school office or County Hall admissions.

OFSTED March 2018: 'Pupils who have special educational needs and/or disabilities make good progress.'

'Parents and carers and staff have confidence in the leadership of the school....school leaders listen to their concerns and act on them swiftly and fairly. '

'The quality of teaching, learning and assessment is good overall and sometimes outstanding.... High expectations from staff ensure consistently good and sometimes exemplary teaching.'

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### **Leadgate Annual Workmen's Club**



## New Playgroup for Leadgate



