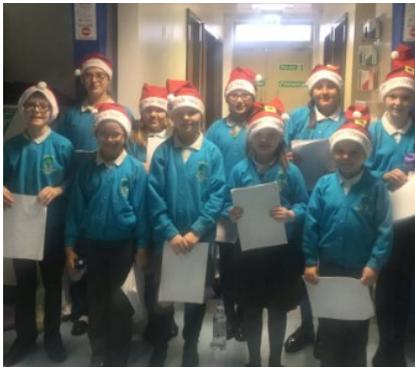




Singing at Boston House

Some members of our choir visited the renal unit at Boston house on Tuesday morning taking lots of festive cheer with them. They sang a collection of Christmas songs and carols and handed out biscuits to the patients. The children, staff and patients all enjoyed themselves. The children had a visit from the consultant, Dr Janet Hegarty who took the opportunity to encourage the children in pursuing careers in the field of medicine. I'm sure there were at least a couple of potential medics in the group.



Lego Challenge

Teams from Year 5 and Year 6 represented the school on Thursday in the national First Lego League competition at Daresbury Laboratories.



The children worked hard prior to and during the competition being challenged to think like scientists and engineers. As part of the INTO ORBIT season, the teams had to solve a real-world problem in the Project. They built, tested and programmed an autonomous robot using LEGO®MINDSTORMS® technology to solve a set of missions in the Robot Game. The children had to embrace the Core Values, learning that friendly competition and mutual gain are not separate goals, and

that helping one another is the foundation of teamwork. We are extremely proud of the way that both teams represented our school in such a positive way.



14th December...14th December...14th December.. Christmas Fair...Christmas Fair....

We had a great response to own clothes day for the tombola and bottle bola. If there are any parents, carers or friends of the school who would like to make a contribution to our fund raising Christmas Fair by either donating a bit of their time or their ideas, please let the office or one of our 'Friends' group know. They would be so happy to have some help from Christmas elves.



Christmas Gifts



We are constantly amazed by the generosity of our families at Christmas but this year all staff respectfully request that you spend hard earned money on your own families and not on us. It is a great privilege to spend so much time with your children. Seeing them making progress and growing up is reward enough for us.

Dates for your Diary

- 12th December:** School Book Fair
- 13th December:** KS1 Christmas Production (pm)
- 14th December:** KS2 Christmas Production (am)
- 14th December:** Christmas Fair
- 17th December:** Christmas Dinner /Christmas Jumpers
- 18th December:** Reception Christmas Production
- 19th December:** Parties for Reception, Y1 and Y2
- 20th December:** Parties for Y3-Y6
- 20th December:** Nursery Sing-a-long
- 21st December:** School Closes for Christmas

Time To Talk

Think of 5 things you can't put into water

ATTENDANCE

Regular attendance at school is crucial if children are to achieve the best outcomes possible. Please ensure your child attends school every day.

Best attending classes week ending: 30/11/18

EYFS & KS1: Swift Class—98.2%

KS2: Owl Class—98.8%