

NEWSLETTER 13 – 7th December 2012

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

Puppet Show – KS1 were treated to a lively performance from the Harris School's worship group. The puppet show explored the Christian values of hope and faith.

Umberslade Farm Visit – On Wednesday the Reception children visited Umberslade Farm where they took part in their very own nativity with real farmyard animals bringing the Christmas story to life. They were able to see and interact with the animals and had a visit from a very special gentleman dressed in red! Thank you to all our volunteers for coming with us.

Christingle Service – This week children in Years 1 to 6 celebrated Advent with our Christingle service led by Rev Ruth Walker and Rev Sue Henwood. All the children sang beautifully and have brought home their Christingle.

Christmas Tree Festival – We held our annual class Christmas Tree competition this week; each class made decorations for their tree and the children voted for their favourite - go along to the Christmas Tree Festival at St Laurence Church to find out which tree won (Sat 8th and & Sun 9th Dec). The runner up tree will be in Lloyds Bank in Bidford.

Parking – Thank you to the many parents who are parking sensibly, however there are still a few who continue to park on school grounds particularly in the areas marked by 'No Parking' cones. **Please** park in the fire station car park for your child's safety.

Dates for your Diary –

- KS1 Nativity - Wednesday 12th & Thursday 13th December at 2pm – please return any spare tickets to school so that we can reallocate to our waiting list.
- Reception Nativity – Tuesday 18th December at 9.30am
- Christmas Lunch – Wednesday 19th December

Clubs Update

- Girls Football, Young Leaders and Netball have now finished for this term.
- The last Tennis, Cooking, Gymnastics, French and Performance clubs for this term are next week.
- Forest School which is held after school will now be called "The Forresters".

Book of the Week – Mrs Bond's class have been reading 'The Story of Christmas' by Anita Ganeri. Children perform the Nativity playing parts of the biblical characters surrounded by lambs, donkeys, and other animal favourites.

Mr A Simms

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Christmas Fayre

!!!TONIGHT!!!

6-9pm

Come along to school from 6pm onwards to see the festivities of the Christmas Fayre. We have Santa to visit, Music, Christmas Shopping, Food, and much much more so bring your spending money and we very much look forward to seeing you there.....

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