



# PARNWELL NEWS



## Message from the Head teacher:

I was very privileged to attend the Carol Service at the Cathedral this week. Organised by Thomas Deacon Academy with 9 local schools taking part, Mrs Slade did an excellent job of leading the Year 4 Parnwell choir and all the children sang beautifully.



It was also wonderful to watch the Reception classes perform their nativity play this week. All the children did an amazing job remembering their lines and all the songs. Thank you to Mrs Horton and Miss Mortell for all the hard work they put into the rehearsals. I would also like to say thank you to all parents/carers who donated food to the Harvest Festival. The food was donated to the Peterborough foodbank, who have thanked us for our support, which enables them to continue providing food to people in crisis.

As we approach the Christmas Holidays, all the staff at Lime Academy would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## Christmas Card Recycling Challenge:

We are excited to be taking part in a Christmas Card Recycling Challenge this year. Please return your Christmas cards to the school office after Christmas and the school could be in with the chance of winning an amazon voucher up to the value of £150.

## End of term – 20 Dec at 13:30

Please note the afterschool club will not be open.

## Attendance Congratulations

Classes with 96% and above

None – let's try harder next week

## Celebrating Punctuality

Lowest number of late marks

KS1 – RKM and 2ML

KS2 – 5KT and 5LD

## Christmas Celebration:

All parents and carers of children in Key Stage 1 and 2 are invited to our school Christmas celebration on Monday 17 December in the school hall at 09:30 for Year 1 and 2 and 14:00 for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6. The celebration will feature short performances from each class.

## Christmas Dinner:

Don't forget we will be serving Christmas Dinner on Monday 17 December. It would be lovely to see lots of children joining in. This will be free for those children in Reception, Year 1 and 2. For children in Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 the cost is £2.20 unless your child is entitled to free school meals.

## Ice Skating-Year 6:

In recognition of all their hard work, Year 6 will be treated to an ice skating session at Van Hage Garden Centre on Wednesday 19 December at 11:00. Please remember to bring your warm jackets and gloves.

## Bikeability:

We have one place left on the Level 1, learn how to ride a bike course. It will take place over 1 day in March. Please contact the school office to register for the place.

## Upcoming events:

<b>17 Dec</b>	Christmas Dinner Christmas Celebration Performances
<b>19 Dec</b>	Year 6 Ice Skating at Van Hage
<b>14 Jan</b>	Richard the Storyteller
<b>15 Jan</b>	School Nurse Clinic

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## Cadbury World School Trip: a story told by the children

In November, Year 3 and 4 went to Cadbury World as part of their topic. Please see some of the wonderful writing a number of the children have put together to describe their fantastic day out.

Having spent the term learning about Chocolate, year 3 and 4 were going on a trip to Cadbury World to learn more about the topic. We left at 9.30am and it took 2 hours to get there. "We're nearly at Cadbury World", whispered Poppy.

There it was – the chocolate factory was right in front of me. First I saw a Christmas tree made out of chocolate – it was gigantic! Zoom!....we rushed to the room where the next excellent show was. I was amazed when we went into the lime green, roasting Aztec Jungle because of the details there.

Clackety clack! The cars moved as slowly as a tortoise. Brum brum! As we were in the little cars we watched the chocolate beans having fun together. Inside the colossal, white marquee there were lots of tables where we ate our lunch. Beside the 4D movie there was a picture where you could put your heads through and Mrs Slade took photos of us.

My highlight of the day was tasting the melted chocolate with jellybabies and chocolate fudge. The wobbly seats made me laugh and made me as happy as the smileyest person in the world. The best thing was learning about how chocolate was made. When I look back on that day it made me feel as happy as a jumping frog!

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