



Dear Parents

Christmas Fair

A BIG thank you to everyone who supported the Christmas Fair last Friday evening. It was an amazing evening and I am delighted to report that over £2,000 was raised on the night. Without the support of our pupils, parents, extended families and staff, this would not be possible. A HUGE thank you to the Friends of Westfield for all their hard work in putting this event together - the Friends have also asked me to thank all the parents who supported the Fair (especially those who turned up at the very last minute to help)! Also, a big well done, to our school choir and musicians who provided such lovely entertainment.

Our Weekly PSHE Message

During advent we are thinking of the four themes of the advent calendar (hope, love, joy and peace) and how we show these at Christmastime.

Congratulations

Our Stars

A huge 'congratulations' to our special stars this week. To achieve this award, children have tried very hard to excel in an area of their learning or behaviour. Our stars this week are:

Reception	Nelly Deaton	Constance Targett	Amber Klatka
Year 1	Ellison Trawford	Ava Lipscomb	Chloe Williams
Year 2	Darcie Giles	Scarlett Gabbutt	Louie Chamberlain
Year 3	Elliott Eveleigh	Harry Wood	Lucas Huang
Year 4	Mia O'Loughlin	Lillie Hoggart	Rory Connell
Year 5	Jason Burns	Jonathan Brown	Lucas Spearink
Year 6	Oscar Huang	Barney Hay	William Hammond
			Lea Johns

We are delighted to present a school crossing patrol award this week to **Quinn Henderson**. This award is for children who exhibit great road sense and lovely manners at the school crossing.

We are delighted to present **Sports Star Awards** to **Reece Woods** to **Leah Graham**, **Fearne Connell**, **Amelia Comben**, **Mia Tuplin-Lloyd**, **Callum Selby**, **James Risebrow** and **Emma Gough**.

Attendance

Congratulations to the following classes who were winners for the week commencing 2nd December.

Gold Trophy	Mrs Johnson's Class and Mrs Goodwin's Class (98.67%)
Silver Trophy	Mr Clark's Class (98.06%)
Attendance Ted	Mrs Coles' Class (99.67%)
	Miss Smith's Class and Mrs Church's Class (98%)

Amazing Achievements

Well done to the following:

Chanelle Kye-Nyarko has achieved the Music for Schools Foundation Bronze Award - Mini Clarinet

Leah Graham has achieved Grade 1 Music Theory with Distinction - Piano

School Information

Dodgeball Tournament

On Tuesday, five year 5 and 6 children travelled to Spalding High School to take part in an inter-school dodgeball tournament. After a run through of the rules and some practice matches, where the children worked on their dodging, throwing and catching skills, they were ready to play. After a tough few rounds, the children grew massively in confidence and, with exceptional teamwork, they won their final match, coming 9th overall. Congratulations to the Westfield team for trying something new and really getting stuck in and working hard. This was recognised with Westfield being awarded the prize for the most determined team.

School Lunches

A courtesy reminder that meals for week beginning 6th January must be ordered by midnight next **Tuesday (17th December)**. The kitchen will not be able to accommodate for any unordered meals.

Reception Nativity

Our **Reception Nativity** will take place next Wednesday and Thursday at 9:15am. This is always a very popular event and the reason why we are having the assembly on two mornings. We would ask that you please only come to **one of these events** to allow everyone to have access to seats and to ensure fire safety regulations are met - thank you.

Christmas Parties

Children are looking forward to their Christmas parties on the following afternoons next week:

Monday 16th December	Nursery and Reception
Tuesday 17th December	Years 3 & 4
Wednesday 18th December	Years 1 & 2
Thursday 19th December	Years 5 & 6

Christmas Sparkle Day - Friday 20th

Next Friday we will be having our own 'Christmas Sparkle Day' where children can attend school in school uniform but wear a Christmas jumper with this or some other kind of Christmas sparkle for a donation of £1. This will mark a lovely end to the school year for all of the children. From the proceeds, we will also make a donation to Don't Lose Hope. Our School Council thought this would be a lovely idea to support the local community.

Year 6 - Non Uniform Day

A reminder that Year 6 children will have their **non-uniform day on Thursday 19th December**, which is the day of their Christmas Party.

Thank you from School Council

A huge thank you from our School Council. Two children accompanied Miss Atkinson and Mrs Pinchin to Bourne Food Bank on Tuesday to deliver four boxes of 'smellies' following the recent plea in the weekly bulletin. Staff at the Food Bank were delighted with the generosity of our families, which is always amazing - thank you so much.

Year 5 - Stargazing Event (Save the Date)

We previously informed you about the Year 5 Stargazing event on **Friday 10th January** (clear skies permitting!) There has been a small change to the timings for this event - it will now begin at 4:30pm and end at 6:30pm.

Reception Places - September 2020

Applications for Reception places for children starting school in September 2020 must be submitted by 12 noon on 15th January 2020 via the following link - <https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-admissions/primary-infant-and-junior-school-places/132835.article>. Please don't miss this very important deadline.

Donation of Toys

If you are having a toy cupboard clear out before Christmas, we would welcome a donation of floor puzzles and any 'small world' toys - thank you.

Bourne Westfield School Lottery

Congratulations to **Shelley Harrold** who was winner of the school lottery last week. The winnings increase as more people join - if you want to join for just £1 per ticket per week and have a chance of winning the weekly draw, then please go to www.yourschoollottery.co.uk, search for Bourne Westfield and follow the on screen instructions.

Calendar Dates - Week Commencing 16th December

Monday 16th	Christmas Services in school Years 1 & 2 followed by Years 3 to 6 - this event is just for children
Monday 16th	Nursery/Reception Christmas Party
Tuesday 17th	Year 3/4 Christmas Party
Wednesday 18th	Reception Nativity (9:15am)
Wednesday 18th	Year 1/2 Christmas Party
Thursday 19th	Reception Nativity (9:15am)
Thursday 19th	Year 5/6 Christmas Party
Friday 20th	School closes at the normal dismissal time for the Christmas holidays - the new term begins on Monday 6 th January 2020



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