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St Giles' C of E
Primary School

Weekly Bulletin

Friday 21st December '18WWW.STGILES.HERTS.SCH.UK

A message from the Head

We are at the end of another fantastic term at St Giles'. To begin with, before you go home today, please have a look in the foyer. There are lots of items of lost property that need to find a home.

On the subject of uniform, I have noticed that some of the uniform has slipped a bit. Please remember that children are not permitted to wear trainers or boots to school. Please provide black school shoes – they are strong, sturdy and smart. Can parents also please do their best to clothe their children in the correct school colours. Grey skirts and trousers, bottle green jumpers and white polo shirts please.

This week, we saw the KS2 children perform their Christmas carol concert in the church. It was lovely to hear the children sing so well. Hopefully you all managed to grab a glass of mulled wine and a mince pie at the end. We were also able to tell families there that we have raised over £2000 for Centre Point via the church sleepover, an astonishing amount, and I am informed that money is still coming in! Very well done to all of the children involved and thank you to everyone who has made a donation.

Today, Miss Bell and Miss Shelbourn put together our last church service of the year. Thank you both for organising this, and apologies that I couldn't be there. We also had the World Famous 'around the Christmas tree' extravaganza, where lots of children shared their talents. Well done to all of you for having the confidence to stand up and

give it a go - we are very proud of you! If you would like to see some of their talents, go to the Wall of Fame page on our website, where we are showcasing some of the things our children do outside of school. If you want to add something, please get in touch.

That leaves me to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We'll see you all back here on Tuesday the 8th of Jan!

Upcoming Events

(for a more detailed list visit the school website; <http://stgiles.herts.sch.uk/news-dates/diary-dates/>)

Fri 21st Dec – School ends @ 1:30pm

Fri 21st Dec from 1:30 to 3.30pm – Friends DISCO!!

Mon 7th Jan – School Closed for INSET day

Tue 8th Jan – First day back!

Feb 18th to 22nd – Half Term

Wed 13th Mar – Parent/ teacher consultations

Fri 15th Mar - School Closed for INSET day

Apr 3rd to 5th – Cecil Class to Moat Mount

Apr 8th to 18th – Half Term

Tue 23rd April - School Closed for INSET day

Wed 24th Apr – Blanche & St Alban classes to Alban Arena to watch Dear Zoo

Attendance

Our attendance is much improved from last year, which is great news. There has been a sickness bug going around school. Please remind children of the importance of washing hands before eating and after visiting the loo.

Blanche – 84%

St Alban – 96%

Frowyke – 97%

Cecil – 93%

Our current weekly attendance is: 92.37%

Our overall total for the year is: 95.9%

Effort Certificates

Malia Henriques-McDonald

Kian Hodsdon

Kerell Henriques

Logan Baker

Alex Malinowski

Olivia Williamson

Olivia Taylor