Sandgate Primary School

Everyone deserves the taste of success

Issue 13

Friday 10th December 2021

After the amazing turnout to the adult tombola on Wednesday (which raised over £400), today was the children's turn. The school hall was filled with Christmas crafts, games, music and fun activities for them to enjoy.

Anyone who has ever been involved in organising these events will know how much preparation and planning is required, therefore there must be a special mention for Mrs Jones and her team of elves for enabling both these occasions to go ahead. Despite the restrictions we currently have in place, we are fortunate that events have still been able to continue albeit with some adjustments.

We have just four class performances left; the children have very much enjoyed having a live audience this year. Next week, all classes will have had either their live show or rehearsal recorded, these will be uploaded to Google Classroom from Monday.

The last week of term is just as busy as this one has been, culminating in the school Christmas dinner on Thursday 16th December (which is the last day for pupils). Children are invited to wear their Christmas jumpers and accessories that day for additional festive cheer.

To work up an appetite for the meal, Mrs Van Der Wal has organised our own Santa Fun-Run. Entries are now closed with an amazing 180 people participating. All the money raised goes toward resources for the forest school and sensory room.

Thank you to you all for your support in making these events so successful.

Best Wishes

Dates for your diary

Monday 13th December Chrístmas Fun Run - 3.30pm - 4.00pm

Thursday 16th December Chrístmas Lunch - Wear your festíve jumper

Thursday 16th December Last day of Term 2 for children

> Fríday 17th December Staff Development Day

SPECIAL MENTION:

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It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas!

It has been lovely to see Christmas activities happening recently and we have been very lucky to be able to help out at a couple. Last week, three governors were very privileged to join the staff as additional helpers for the KS2 trip to the panto at the Marlow Theatre, and to see first hand the work that goes into running a trip like this. It was wonderful to see the children so happy and excited, singing and dancing along. They behaved impeccably and we are very proud of them. This week it was the Christmas Tombola, and we were pleased to be able to help out on the day even if it was a bit windy and cold. We would like to extend an enormous thank you to Mrs Jones and the staff team for arranging and running it, to everyone who donated prizes, and to everyone who came along and took part on the day.

Monday 13th Dec	Tuesday 14th Dec	Wednesday 15th Dec	Thursday 16th Dec	Friday 17th Dec
Lunchtime Multi Sports Club— Years 1 & 2	Karate (Small Hall) 3.30-4.30 (Please contact Sensei Tre- vor on 07966686377)			



Year 1 enjoyed a day out at the RAF Manston Transport Museum



<u>Gold Book</u>

Congratulations to the following children who were rewarded in the Gold Book this week:

Aurelia B Mekhi J	Bumblebees Bumblebees	T	Freddie D Amelia S	Bears Bears
Alannah B Freddie M	Butterflies Butterflies		Skyler D Thomas F	Seahorses Seahorses
Cleo W Bodhi G	Rabbits Rabbits	Ť	Dylan C Poppy S	Turtles Turtles
Pietro C Leo G	Owls Owls	н	Noah M Sophie W	Geckos Geckos
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Foby M Arham S	Panthers Panthers	н	Maya B Grayson W	Gorillas Gorillas
Benny M Ryan B	Lions Lions		Amelia D Joseph P	Eagles Eagles
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The children and staff had a wonderful time at the Christmas Fayre. Thank you for all your donations which made the fayre possible.







