



Week 13 at Riverside!



Message from Mrs Lahive

Are you feeling Christmassy yet? Things are starting to get very exciting in school with our children practising very hard to make you feel full of festive cheer as well as doing all their end of term assessments - true superstars! This week Kobi-our drummer boy- visited our friends at Leighton Court with some biscuits and our Educate Award as we couldn't have done it without them. The ladies were delighted to see him and clapped along to the carol. Beautiful!

Hopefully, we will be able to go ahead with our planned performances, but we will keep you updated of any changes. Please bear with us -there is nothing we want more than to share our Christmas celebrations with you, but we have to make sure we all as safe as possible to do so. There is currently one confirmed case of Covid in our children and one case in our staff (in different year groups). We are having a lot of children in Early Years with chicken pox at the moment so please look out for those spots and if your child has any please don't bring them to school as we want to keep our lovely Miss D and all our other expectant mummies safe. We know it is really hard ,especially at this time of year, as nobody wants to miss out on anything in school but I promise if you let us know we will send home some get well goodies especially for you!

A big well done for our amazing Acorn class for their gorgeous nativity today. You definitely had the 'R' factor! A special thank you to Brodii for making my dreams come true and giving me his angel halo to wear.

Exciting news for the new year... Mr . Parsons arranged a meeting with the Assistant Director of Education to discuss future plans for our school. We have been assured that Riverside number one priority for the Local Authority's building programme. He will be visiting our school on the 6th January to discuss the plans. Watch this space....



Attendance News



Top of the Attendance Leader board this week:

Conkers N. Well done!



This week's Five Stars:

Acorns : Penny

Otters : Simrat

Conkers : George

Bluebells Rahen and

Brambles: Adam

Willows: Reggie

Wrens : Levi

Adders : Nancy

Larks : Jake P-S

Ravens : Erin

Kingfishers : Leah

The race for the first Mr. Potato Head party is on!

Acorns 0 pieces

Otters 5 pieces

Conkers N 6 pieces

Conkers C 10 pieces

Bluebells E 3 pieces

Bluebells G 6 pieces

Brambles 2 pieces

Willows 4 pieces

Wrens 1 piece

Adders 6 pieces

Larks 5 pieces

Ravens 6 pieces

Kingfishers 6 pieces

RECOGNITION BOARD WINNERS

Conkers C and Conkers N both with 100%!

Ancora Imparo: 'I am still learning'

What's happening next we week..

Monday 13th : Dress rehearsals. Choir visit to outside Belvidere Nursing Home

Power Pack Christmas Trip

Tues 14th : The Big Little Nativity F2/Y1/Y2

Santa Skype

Wed 15th :The Big Little Nativity F2/Y1/Y2 Choir singing at Seacombe Five Bars

Whole school Christmas dinner and KS2 Outdoor Carol Concert in playground 2pm

Thurs 16th : Whole school Christmas party afternoon. (Festive clothes optional)

Friday 17th : Last day (Festive clothes optional)



The lovely Isla was the first pupil to hang her name on our Attendance Tree.