West Cornforth Primary School



Cornforth Chronicle

Issue 13-Autumn Term Pupil Attendance
Pupil attendance for the
week ending 29th November 2013 is 94.5%
compared to Government guidelines of 95%.

If your child is going to
be absent from school
please inform the office
on 01740 654315 before Visit us at: www.westcornforth.durham.sch.uk or http://goo.gl/KAYVs

********* **Pupils of the Week**

Xavier Nursery-

Reception- Gracy Jane

Class 1-Charlotte

Class 2-Declan

Class 3– Leah

Class 4-Zoe

Class 5-**Tadashi**

Class 6-**Phillip**

on 01740 654315 before 9.30am. Thank you!

School Holidays 13/14

Christmas 2013– Thurs 19th Dec-Mon 6th January 2014 (2 weeks ,1 day)

Spring Half Term 2014-Fri 14th Feb-Mon 24th Feb 2014 (1 week).

Easter 2014—Fri 4th April –Tues 22nd April 2014 (2 weeks, 1 day).

May Day-Mon 5th May 2014 (1 day).

Summer Half Term– Fri 23rd May-Mon 2nd June 2014 (5 days).

Summer 2014– Fri 18th July– Wed 3rd September (6 weeks and 2 days).

Autumn Half Term 2014 - Fri 24th Oct- Mon 3rd Nov 2014 (1 week).

. ************ **SCHOOL NEWS**

We are very busy in school next week. We have two performances of our Christmas production 'Children of the World'. Tickets are £1 and have been selling well. We have a small number left so if you still require your ticket please speak to the school office

Class 6 are visiting Preston Park to experience a Victorian Christmas on Tuesday (remember that the children will be slightly late home).

The Foundation Stage Unit is having their Christmas party on Wednesday from 1pm (please remember that their will be no morning nursery sessions on this day).

Our Christmas dinner is served next Thursday, the menu is printed on the back of the newsletter. If your child is normally a packed lunch but would like to change to dinners on this day please inform the office staff.

Finally we will hold our Christmas Fayre next Friday. The children will be making lots of goodies for our stalls and we will also have our raffle, tombola, refreshments and hopefully a visit from

Santa. All donations welcome. We hope you can join us! NEW SCHOOL BUILD UPDATE; Building work has now started. We understand that the traffic congestion and parking around the school is an issue but we would please ask for your patience and understanding during the works. If you are in a position to walk to school please consider this option first, thank you.

Thank you to everyone who came along to our Book Fayre. We hope you grabbed a bargain!

We would like to wish Ian and Vera a very happy retirement. A selection of children visited the post office this week with Mrs Mclean and Mrs Parnaby to hand them a retirement card on behalf of everyone at the school!!

Friday 6th December 2013

Upcoming School Events Mon 9th Dec- Dress Rehearsal of school production from 9.30am.

*KS1 & 2 School Performance from 1.30pm.

Tues 10th Dec- Class 6 visit to Preston Park for Victorian Christmas Workshop from 10-

Wed 11th Dec-FSU Christmas Party from 1pm. *KS1 & 2 Evening Performance from 6pm.

Thurs 12th Dec-Christmas Dinner Day.

Fri 13th Dec- School Christmas Fayre from 1.30pm.

Mon 16th Dec-FSU Performance from 10am. *Class 1 & 2 Christmas Party from 1pm.

Tues 17th Dec– Year 5 & 6 Christmas Party from 1pm.

Wed 18th Dec – Church Carol Service from 10.30am. *Class 3 & 4 Christmas Party from 1pm.

Thur 19th Dec-BREAK UP for the Christmas Holidays returning on Monday 6th January 2014.

Tickets for the Community Centre Pantomime Robinson Crusoe on sale now at the school office. Fri 20th Dec from 6.30pm. Adult £5, Child £2.50.

**************** AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES -

Monday-

Tuesday-Wednesday-

Thursday-

ALL AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS CANCELLED **UNTIL SPRING TERM 2014**

Happy Birthday to..... **OLIVER** Who had his birthday this week!

Acorn Grange Nursing Home are having their Christmas Fayre on Saturday 7th December from 1pm. ALL WELCOME!

Class 3 Swimming

Lessons

Class 3 will be starting their swimming lessons next term. Please ensure your child has a kit comprising of full costume/trunks (no bikinis or baggy shorts), towel and hat.