

URSULA TAYLOR VC LOWER SCHOOL

5th December 2008 Newsletter

Christmas Fair

We look forward to seeing you all at the Christmas Fair tomorrow morning from 10.30-12.30pm.

Christmas Productions

Christmas productions take place next week. Please make sure that you bring your programmes with you as we cannot admit anyone without one and we do not want to embarrass anyone by refusing them entry. We are limited by fire regulations and allocate programmes according to the number of seats allowed by the regulations.

A retiring collection in aid of Keech Cottage Children's Hospice will take place at the end of the performance. We are very conscious that, in these difficult financial times, it is places like Keech Cottage Hospice who suffer because they rely on charitable donations.

On Thursday evening children should arrive between 5.30 and 5.45pm.

Advent Worship

In our Collective Worship we are talking about the meaning of Advent. There is a very useful website www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/customs/Advent.html for children which gives lots of information, but also has all sorts of fun activities including an interactive advent calendar!

Magic Show in aid of the Ugandan Appeal (message from Mrs McAllister)

I would like to thank all the parents and children who came and supported the magic show in the village hall. I think you will agree that it was a big hit with the children and moreover we raised £231.10. Thank you so much!

Poppy Appeal

I am pleased to report that a total of £32.66 was collected in our school for the poppy appeal.

Key Stage 1 Multi-Skills Club

The Multi-Skills Club for KS1 will begin again on Thursday 15th January for the next group. This will run until 5th March, except for 12th February which will be the Valentine Disco.

Trumpets, Violins and Jingle Bells

Trumpet players will be playing their trumpets in next Friday's Achievement Assembly. All children who play the violin in Years 3 and 4 will be playing Jingle Bells also in our Friday Achievement Assembly on Friday 12th December. They will need to have their music and violins on that day. They will also need their violins and music again on the last day of term.

Guided Reading Key Stage 1 – this will not take place on Monday due to rehearsals