



Dear Parents,

Poppy Appeal

We raised £23.77 from our poppy appeal. The organisers have asked me to thank you for your generosity.

Christmas Show

December 18th 2012

1. I have so far had one very kind volunteer who has offered to help us sort out costumes; we could really do with a few more, please!
2. The cast will be announced next week and many children will be bringing home lines to learn. Please do help them as much as possible to learn their lines quickly as we don't have a lot of time before the show will be upon us. For older children with main parts, after school rehearsals may be scheduled. Details to follow.

Using the school drive

I have noticed that some of you have decided to drive your car down the hall driveway to pick children up after clubs. Due to the dark nights this is not a good idea as it puts children (and adults) at increased risk of being run over, especially as hardly any of our children wear reflective clothing and the light around the outside of the hall is so poor. We have also had to pay to have the concrete slabs re-levelled or replaced as they are not made for parking on or driving on; the herring-bone slabs are the turning point. As the school already funds the cost of all clubs, this added expense is one that could easily be avoided. Thank you.

Cinema Event

Come along to Redmile Cinema on TONIGHT to see 'We Bought a Zoo' (PG) at St Peter's Church.

Doors open 7pm for a 7.30pm start

Adults £4.50 Children £3.50

Non alcoholic refreshments for sale or BYO

Call Peggy on 844180 to book your tickets

Next Week:

Saturday 1st December: Cross County at Prestwold Hall, Barrow-on-soar for Y3-6. If interested please have a word with Simon Poole, Chris Turnbull or me for further details. It's a great occasion and it would be good to see more representatives from our school at the event.

Welcome

This week we have welcomed Aden Kennedy and his family to our school; Aden joins Y6 in Class 3. I hope you soon feel part of this very special school and community and look forward to learning all about your travels around the world in the armed forces.

Christmas Pantomime Trip

Please see letter in book bags today about our annual visit to the pantomime, which this year will be "Beauty and the Beast".

Friendship Badge Winners

We had a good response to the number of entries and Ms Hudson (our link governor for anti-bullying) had a difficult job judging the competition. However, winners are Esme Leivers, Tom Ford and Oliver Smith; runners up are Isobel Evans, Lola and Ned. Well done to all, your messages were loud and clear!

First Time Admissions

Please note, the deadline for school applications for those children due to start school Autumn 2013 is 15th January 2013. Either apply online at www.leics.gov.uk/admissions or contact School Admissions on 0116 305 6684 or the school office for an application form. Please inform any parents that you know of with children due to start school next September.

Vale of Belvoir Lions Club

We have been asked to inform you of the Vale Lions Club Santa visit to the villages, collecting for local charities. Their December timetable is as follows:

Sat 8th	Langar & Barnston
Sun 9th	Harby & Stathern
Mon 10th	Redmile, Barketstone & Plugar
Tues 11th	Aslockton
Wed 12th	Whatton & Orston
Sat 15th	Bingham Moot Estate
Sun 16th	Bingham Bird & Tree Estates
Mon 17th	Bingham New Estates
Tues 18th	Bottesford West
Wed 19th	Bottesford Central
Fri 21st	Bottesford East, Easthorpe & Muston

Junior Road Safety Officers

Stuck for a present for Christmas? How about a fluorescent jacket to help us 'be bright and be seen' in the dark winter months?



From the Junior Road Safety Officers

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J.V.Hopkins
Head teacher