

Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> December

#### Dear Parents and Carers,

What a magical time we had at the pantomime this week; our Christian Value of Fellowship was at the forefront of our trip. It was a delight to have nearly all of our school together, enjoying each other's company and sharing this joyous experience. The show was brilliant! The children joined in with their boos and cheers - oh yes they did! What a fabulous British tradition the pantomime is!

Skylark also enjoyed their trip to Shrewsbury Castle, where they took part in a variety of activities based on the brilliant children's book character, 'Traction Man' created by Mini Grey. The children were shown different uniforms through history and investigated the best material for a modern uniform for Traction Man (linking to their history and science work in school).

Our two trips this week have been attended by several parent volunteers – we are so grateful for your support. If you would like to come along to a trip or drop into school to work with the children, please do let us know. Also, please do come along to our parent coffee mornings. These are very informal and are an opportunity for you to have a chat with other parents.

Our class assemblies start next week – Owl on 5th and Kingfisher on the 6th (both at 2:30pm). These assemblies are an opportunity for the children to celebrate their learning this year. They love having their grown-ups in school so we look forward to seeing you there!

#### Christmas Events

We have a lot of exciting events happening for the remainder of the term – keep your eye on Dojo Events to make sure you don't miss anything! Eyes down for Bingo next week - 5th December, 5:30-6pm start. Just drop in for a couple of games!

### **Donations of Christmas Clothing**

Have you any Christmas clothing (jumpers, T-shirts, leggings etc) your children no longer need?

Helen Reynolds We would be grateful for your donations to be sold at our Christmas Fair - come and pick bargain!

Headteacher



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## CELEBRATION

**Happy Birthday to:** Harry, Ava and Noah who had a birthday this week!

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

• Owl Class Assembly: 5th December

• Christmas Bingo: 5th December

Kingfisher Class Assembly: 6th December Skylark Class Assembly: 12<sup>th</sup> December

• Robin Class Assembly: 13th December

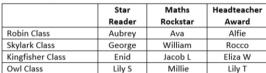
• Christingle: 14th December • Christmas Fair: 15th December • EYFS/KS1 Nativity: 19th December • Christmas Parties: 20th December **KS2 Carol Service:** 21st December • Christmas Jumper Day: 22nd December

• Break up: 22<sup>nd</sup> December



# **AWARD WINNERS**

Congratulations to this week's Award winners, who are:







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### This week, we hear from our lovely Mrs Haynes.

I have been popping in and out of Lower Heath School for about 19 years! My two youngest daughters both came here and they are now 23 and 16. So, as well as being "moms Taxi" and running my three girls around to their school clubs and work, I've volunteered, helped out, been a cash

a permanent member of staff. I've worked with most year groups and currently have the wonderful years 3 and 4. I'm not getting any younger and

collector, did my teaching assistant training here and now I'm

some days I feel it! But... the children of Lower Heath certainly keep me on my toes and long may it continue. Working in a small school has lots of advantages, one of them being the brilliant team of adults that I work alongside

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Thanks for putting up with me for so long lack

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Next week in our worship, we will begin thinking about Advent and the meaning of this very special time.

