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'We Listen, We Learn, We Shine'



December Newsletter

Current attendance is 94.88%
This is just slightly less than reported on the last newsletter
Lets keep up the good work and try to get to 96% in the New Year

CHRISTMAS DINNER - WEDNESDAY 14 DECEMBER

FREE OF CHARGE FOR ALL PUPILS

PLEASE DO NOT BRING A PACKED LUNCH AS WE WILL ALL EAT CHRISTMAS DINNER TOGETHER
IN THE HALL.

THE SCHOOL OFFICE WILL BE CLSOED FROM 12.30PM TO 1PM SO THAT THIS CAN HAPPEN



STAFFING CHANGES FOR 2017

I am very sad to say goodbye to Overdale School as I am moving on to pastures new – you may see me at the swimming pool!
Thank you for a lovely nine years and you haven't seen the last of me as I will be popping in to teach now and again.

Mrs Boddy

We wish Mrs Boddy a happy future and look forward to seeing her back in school in all classes helping us in 2017.

Mrs Talbot will teach Year 3 on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursday and Fridays. Mrs Stabler will teach them on Tuesdays

I would like to say a great big thank you to the amazing children, families and staff at Overdale CP School for making my time here so memorable. After 10 years, working in different year groups, I am ready for a new challenge and although I am excited about starting at Gladstone Road I am incredibly sad to be leaving. I will however, be taking many fantastic memories with me and I wish everyone a lovely Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mrs Bull

We wish Mrs Bull success in her new role at Gladstone Road School.

We welcome Mrs Kershaw who will be teaching Year 4

**Thank you so much for your support at the Christmas Fayre
We raised a fantastic £583**

The lucky raffle Winners were:-

First Prize - £50 Cash - Leigh Whitley

Second Prize - Pantomime tickets - Lauren Dodd

Third Prize - Wine—John

Fourth Prize - Toiletries - Helen Smailes

Fifth Prize - Toiletries - Clare Gillespies mum

Sixth Prize - Chocolate - Lee Davies

The winner of 'Guess the Name of the Teddy' was Oliver Stabler

The winner of 'Rudolph' was Sarah Colbourne

The winner of 'Guess the Weight of the Cake' was Summer Machon-Ireland

All proceeds were used to pay for the Pantomime tickets for the whole school to watch Aladdin at the Scarborough Spa

Dates for your Diary

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| Monday 12 December | - Carol service, Westway - Please join us
KS1 10am, LKS2 11am, UKS2 1pm |
| Tuesday 13 December | - Whole School (not Nursery) to pantomime at the Spa |
| Wednesday 14 December | - Christmas dinner for everybody (compliments of Mrs Logan)
- Choir singing at Jazz House, Middle Deepdale 10am |
| Friday 16 December 10.00am | - Foundation Stage concert for parents
- Christmas jumper charity day - Bring a pound |
| Friday 16 December | - School closes for Christmas holidays at 2pm |
| Wednesday 4 January 2017 | - Children back to school 8.45am |
| Friday 6 January | - Year 5 Swimming at Scarborough Pool |

FREE READING RESOURCE

In collaboration with North Yorkshire libraries, I am excited to let you know that an interactive reading resource called Ziptales is now available.

Ziptales' is proven to help pupils to enjoy reading for pleasure with over 500+ exciting interactive stories, games, puzzles and much more

To use simply login with a public library card at www.ziptales.co.uk/northyorkshire

KS1 are in the YORKSHIRE COAST RADIO CHRISTMAS STORY due to be aired around 8am on Friday 16 December.

The Headteacher's Homework Winners are:-

	KS1	
Winner <i>Maisie Newton</i> Y2		Runner up <i>Daisy Smith</i> Y1
	Lower KS2	
Winner <i>Alfie Millward</i> Y4		Runner up <i>Amy Cawkwell</i> Y3
	Upper KS2	
Winner <i>Sarah Smailes</i> Y5		Runner up <i>Isaac Minguez-Sweeney</i> Y5

School Closes on Friday 16 December at 2pm

We hope you have a lovely safe Christmas break and we look forward to seeing you on
Wednesday 4 January 2017

Vicki Logan (Mrs)
Headteacher

Carrie Stabler (Mrs)
Deputy Headteacher

Catherine Hegarty (Miss)
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