



THE TIPTREE HEATH TELEGRAPH

8th December 2017
Autumn Term Issue 11



If you have any Safeguarding concerns please speak to Tracey Oram, Designated Safeguarding lead. Information will be treated in the strictest confidence.

DATES FOR THIS TERM

- 12th December - Year R and KS1 Christmas Production - Angel Express
- 18th December - Christmas Shopping Day
- 18th December - KS2 Carol Service Rehearsal at St. Luke's Church
- 19th December - Christmas Lunch at the Tiptree Nibble Station
- 19th December - KS2 Carol Concert at St. Luke's Church
- 20th December - Last day of term
- 2nd January - Non Pupil Day
- 3rd January - All children return to school

This Week's Super Star Awards

- Erin - Little Scarlet Class
- Rafael - Raspberry Class
- Harry - Damson Class
- Eila - Apricot Class
- Keira - Cherry Class
- Alfie - Blueberry Class
- Callum - Mulberry Class

This Week's Reading Champions

- Leo - Little Scarlet Class
- Connie - Raspberry Class
- Lucas - Damson Class
- Harry - Apricot Class
- Thomas - Cherry Class
- Luke - Blueberry Class
- Joshua - Mulberry Class

OUTSTANDING PAYMENTS

As we are approaching the end of the Autumn Term, please could you ensure that all payments for school meals or Strawberry Club are paid up-to-date. This will enable us to complete our banking before the last day of term.

Thank you.

Happy Birthday to:

- Alfie - 6th December
- Lucas - 7th December
- Tabby - 10th December
- Bethany - 11th December



This Week's Headteacher Super Star Awards

- Max - Little Scarlet Class
- Connie - Raspberry Class
- Jamie - Damson Class
- Riley - Apricot Class
- Freda - Cherry Class
- Indra - Blueberry Class
- Jack - Mulberry Class

URGENT - VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED PLEASE

During the morning of Monday, 18th December all the KS2 children will be walking to and from St. Luke's Church to practice their Carol Service. We are looking for volunteers to walk with the children to and from St. Luke's and possibly have a coffee or do some shopping whilst the children are at the Church. We are also hoping that parents with children in Year R or KS1 will help set up and serve the refreshments after the Carol Service in the Church Extension from 7.00pm to 8.00pm. If you are available for either occasion, please contact the school office as soon as possible. Thank you.



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BRONZE AWARD WINNERS!

Congratulations to our Bronze Award winners for reading 50 times at home. They all received their Bronze Award bands and certificates in our Celebration Assembly this morning. Well done to:

Finlay and Fletcher in Little Scarlet Class

Rafael, Lily, Isla, Lily-Rose and Daisy in Raspberry Class

Jake, Jayden, Tristan, Harry and Lucy in Damson Class

Harry, Lauren and Kristiyan in Apricot Class

Sacha, Tom and George in Cherry Class

Keira in Blueberry Class



GUIDED READING YEARS 5 & 6

This half term all the children in Years 5 & 6 have been reading different texts in their guided reading groups. The groups have been really successful and it has been good to see the children making progress in developing their comprehension skills. Thank you to all parents who have been supporting their children's learning at home. Next term we will be organising a meeting for Year 5 & 6 parents so that you can support your child's reading homework.

Have a good weekend,
Tracey Oram.

TOP 10 MATHLETES

Congratulations to this week's top 10 Mathletes:

Luke, Leo, Phoebe-Ellen, Sam, Elizabeth, Jan, Thomas, Shannon, Kristiyan and Tristan.



Congratulations to Apricot Class who are the Top Class of the Week and were presented with the Mathlete Trophy.

ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL CHRISTMAS FAIR

Thank you to everyone who supported our Christmas Fair last Friday by donating items and coming along to join in the fun. Thanks to your generosity we made an amazing profit of £1,200!

A particularly big 'thank you' must go to Gordon Henderson for selling the raffle tickets, Mr & Mrs Kemp for running the Café including 'posh' coffee, Craig Driver who had a special job and all the staff who helped with the preparations and running stalls at the Fair. Without your help, it would not have been such a fun occasion for everyone to enjoy!