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Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2017



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	<u>Achievers</u>	<u>Good to be Green</u>
Class R-	Scarlett L	Georgie
Class 1-	Archie	Chloe B
Class 2 -	Cody	Harvey M
Class 3 -	Jack	Hannah
Class 4 -	Robbie	Jordan
Class 5 -	Ella	Harry
Class 6 -	Megan	Eden

Class Attendance: **Class 97.2% Whole school 95.2%**

Team of the week: **GREEN**

**Well done everyone**

*Writer of the Week  
Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December*

<i>Class R</i>	<i>Macinlay</i>
<i>Class 1</i>	<i>Amelia</i>
<i>Class 2</i>	<i>Sam</i>
<i>Class 3</i>	<i>Emma</i>
<i>Class 4</i>	<i>Ruth</i>
<i>Class 5</i>	<i>Mackenzie P</i>
<i>Class 6</i>	<i>Bradley</i>



**SCHOOL NEWS**

On Wednesday this week Classes 5 and 6 had a treat as they visited King James Academy to watch the annual BATH Christmas Show. The children really enjoyed the performance. The rest of the classes in school are visiting Bishop Auckland College on 15<sup>th</sup> December to see a pantomime.



**CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES TICKETS**

Spare tickets will be allocated on Monday to those people that have requested additional tickets. If you are unable to attend could you please return any spare tickets that you do not require so that they can also be reallocated. Please make sure you **BRING YOUR TICKETS** to the performances as they will be **needed** to obtain entry. Your ticket enters you into a raffle which will be drawn at the end of each performance. Doors open 1.15pm for afternoon and 5.30pm for evening performances.

**RAFFLE PRIZES**

We still have a few unclaimed raffle prizes. Please check the list on the main door at the front of school. You might be a winner! Thank you.

*December Christmas Dates  
for your Diary*

**Christmas Performances**

**Tues 12<sup>th</sup> Dec – Classes R, 1 & 2**

**Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Dec – Classes 3, 4, 5 & 6**

**Afternoon Performances 1.30pm**

**Evening Performances 6pm**

**These are ticket ONLY performances.**

**Fri 15<sup>th</sup> Dec(am) Classes R – 4  
Bishop Auckland College Panto**

**Mon 18<sup>th</sup> Reception and Infants  
Christmas Party (pm)**

**Tues 19<sup>th</sup> Class 3 & 4  
Christmas Party (pm)**

**Wed 20<sup>th</sup> Class 5 & 6  
Christmas Party (pm)**

**Christmas Jumper Day/ Christmas  
Dinner/Treat 21<sup>st</sup> Dec**

**School Carol Service at St Helen  
Auckland  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 1pm**

# Copeland Road Primary School Newsletter

## Christmas Post Box

The Christmas post box for children to post their Christmas cards in school is now open until 21<sup>st</sup> December. Please ensure you put the child's full name and class number on each card. We do have a number of children who have the same first name in the same class! Also remind your child to put their own name on the card as we often have cards without any names on. **THANK YOU**



## Sainsbury's School Games Gold Award

Congratulations to everyone in school for the excellent contribution they made to sport in the academic year 2016-2017. We have been recognised by Sainsbury's School Games and received our **second** gold award, due to our commitment in PE, after school clubs and sport leaders to name a few. The award was presented with the award at an assembly led by James Oldfield who has recently represented Great Britain in Canada.

## CHRISTMAS TOY DONATIONS

The school is acting as a drop off point for the TFM toy appeal. Last day to drop off a donation of a new toy for a child who may not otherwise get a Christmas gift is Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December. Thank you.

## Holiday Dates

**SEPT 2017 TO JULY 18**

Last day of term Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> December  
Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Dec to Fri 5<sup>th</sup> Jan - Christmas  
Mon 12<sup>th</sup> Feb to 16<sup>th</sup> Feb - half term  
Fri 30<sup>th</sup> March to Fri 13<sup>th</sup> April - Easter  
Mon 7<sup>th</sup> May - Bank Holiday  
Mon May 28<sup>th</sup> to Fri 1<sup>st</sup> June - half term  
Mon June 4<sup>th</sup> - school closed  
Fri 20<sup>th</sup> July - last day of term **2018**

## Treat, Non Uniform and Christmas Dinner Day Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December A Festive Fun Day!

On treat day this year, 21<sup>st</sup> December, we are going to make it a special Christmassy day by encouraging the children to dress in a festive way, they can wear Christmas colours, Christmas Jumpers etc.

We are asking for £1 donation for this non-uniform day which will be donated to the national Save the Children Appeal.  
**Thank you.**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December will also be the Christmas Lunch day in school.**

## Carol Service Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

The School Carol Service will be held in St Helen Church on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December at 1pm. The children will all walk down to the church together and can be collected from there, at approximately 1.45pm, at the end of the service. Children who are not collected will go back to school with staff and can be collected from school. Parents are welcome to attend the service.

## FIRST DAY BACK NEXT TERM WILL BE Monday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 2018

Pictures of children at events in the newsletter can be found on the school website which is at [www.copelandroad.durham.sch.uk](http://www.copelandroad.durham.sch.uk)

Photographs and information are in Community - Gallery - Educational Events/Visits or alternatively search for Copeland Road Primary School to find the school website.

There are also class photographs and additional curriculum information in their own class area on the website.