

H P S Highfield Primary School

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End of Term Shows

A huge congratulation and well done to all the staff and children who took part in the Nursery, Reception and Year 1 and Year 2 shows. I was very impressed and from feedback received I know parents were feeling very proud, if not a little teary eyed on some occasions.

<u>Choir</u>

Our school choir has been extra busy this month. As well as practising for the 02 in January they have also played key roles in the Pavilions' Carol Service and the school Carol Service at St Johns Church. Next week they will be singing at Parkfield Nursing Home and entertaining the residents with a range of Christmas songs. I would like to extend my thanks to Mrs Oakley & Mrs Duffy for running our choir.

St Johns Church Hillingdon

Reverend Alan Bradford of St Johns Church invites Highfield Primary School children and Parents to Christingle & Carols.



Uniform Reminders

Please can we remind all parents to provide their children with long sleeve tops and trousers i.e. sweatshirt tops/bottoms or tracksuits to wear during cold weather for Outdoor PE. If children are wearing boots to school we would ask parents to provide shoes for the children to wear during the day in line with our uniform policy and as they may also be more comfortable for the children.

Staffing News

Congratulations must go to Miss Burns who, earlier in the term, received a Long Service Award for working in Hillingdon for 25 years.

With sadness we must wish a fond farewell to Mrs Johnson, class teacher Jazzy Bears. Mrs Johnson, or Miss Slade as she was then, joined the school in 2006 as a newly qualified teacher. Mrs Johnson now leaves us as she is moving out of the area and plans to enjoy being a fulltime mum. We have appointed Miss Tirmizi, who the children have met and is a very experienced teacher to be the class teacher for Jazzy Bears on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs Bedford continuing on a Thursday and Friday.

I would like to thank all the staff, children and parents for their hard work, support and commitment to Highfield Primary School and would like to wish everyone a restful and peaceful Christmas. School starts Wednesday 4th January.

Ms Lisa Corrigan Headteacher