# HEYTESBURY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018



Dear Parents,



Here we are at the end of another term – children and staff are certainly ready for the break.

I am sure you would agree that the Christingle service on Tuesday evening was wonderful – the children spoke clearly, the singing was beautiful and the nativity scene was very touching. Thank you to Mrs Bourne, Mrs Fulop, Miss Legg, children and staff for such a fantastic performance.



The Christmas parties, lunch and visit to Santa's Grotto at 'The Angel' were enjoyed by everyone – there were some very excited children (and staff!)



The DFE has published data for primary schools. Heytebury is the best performing school in the area for progress from the end of KS1 to the end of KS2 – well done.

We do hope you are able to join us for a very informal 'carols round the Christmas Tree' on Friday at 2.00pm. School will close for the holidays at 2.30pm.

We wish you a very 'Merry Christmas' and a 'Happy New Year'. See you all on Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019.

Mrs Godfrey and Team

**Merry Christmas** 

'Today in the town of David a Saviour has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord.'

<u>Luke 2:11</u>

# THIS WEEKS ACHIEVEMENTS DIAMOND

#### **SAPPHIRE**

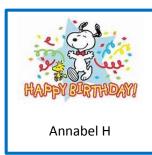
## **EMERALD**

#### <u>RUBY</u>

#### Archie

DIAMOND = SOLVING PROBLEMS SAPPHIRE = KEEPING FOCUS MONSTER DISTRACTION EMERALD = RESILIENCE/PERSEVERANCE RUBY = SUPPORTING OTHERS

#### Maths Passports



## **HSPA News**

The disco on 18<sup>th</sup> January has been cancelled.

#### <u>SCHOOL DIARY — TERM 2</u>

#### December

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- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Badgers class cake sale after school
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup>
  - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> End of Term 2

Carols round the Christmas tree

January 2019

• 7<sup>th</sup> – TD Day – no students in school

Well done to the twelve children who sang for the Christmas service at St John's Hospital on Friday. They singing was beautiful and the children behaved superbly both during the service and at the tea afterwards.

Mrs Bourne is incredibly proud of all of them!!



# Learning Corner

# **Badgers:**

Badgers finished writing their books about World War one. They have also been busy this week with getting ready for Christmas. They all deserve a well earned rest over the holidays!

### Foxes:

This week in Foxes we have been really excited counting down to Christmas.

The children have made little books to retell the story of the Nativity and have enjoyed many different Christmas crafts and activities.

A huge congratulations to year 3, Sam and Charlie who did an amazing job doing all the readings at our Christingle service. They should be super proud of themselves.

A Merry Christmas from everyone in Foxes Class.

## Otters:

We hope you enjoyed our Christingle. Otters children looked angelic in the tableau and the year 1 children were excellent narrators. We also made Christmas cakes and cards this week. Please look in book bags. At the end of the week we created our Christmas wreaths.