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News Update 20th December 2024

Dear parents and carers,

On behalf of all our staff and children, may I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a happy and healthy New Year.

Here is our final news update of 2024. Thank you again for all your support, kind gifts and messages. We will see you all in Jan 2025.

Midday Cover - Bank Staff - We are recruiting Midday Staff who would like to be part of our Bank Staff. We keep a number of staff on bank who can cover staff absence. If you are interested in adding your name to our supply bank for midday staff please let the office know admin@jericho.cumbria.sch.uk

A huge thanks to Hensingham ARLFC and Stobbarts for a selection box for each and every child. Club chairman John Pilkington presented them to our head and assistant head pupils.

Ex-pupils - Where are they now! - We would love to be able to share and celebrate successes from past Jericho Pupils as part of our Achievement work next term. If you are a past pupil with a success story to tell, please drop us an email - goingtheextramile@jericho.cumbria.sch.uk

Holiday Activities: Please see attached the Holiday activity and food programme available for families in Copeland over the Christmas break. Contact details to register are available on the leaflet.

Internet and social media safety- Can all parents continue to be vigilant regarding children's use of appropriate platforms and social media. Please ensure that your children's devices are checked regularly in order to keep them safe and that parental controls are set. Visit <u>https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/social-media/</u> for further detailed information regarding supporting safe use of the internet for primary aged children. Here you can also access further support in setting parental controls and advice on checking devices.

School Meals:

We kindly remind parents to settle any outstanding balances for dinner and BASC before school resumes in January. Please note that all dinners have been charged up to today.

Celebrations: We love to celebrate everyone's successes at Jericho, both in school and out of school. If you would like to share news or pictures of your child's achievements out of school then please let us know. You can email us via the following email address. We will then share the news on our Facebook page and in our News Updates - goingtheextramile@jericho.cumbria.sch.uk

Some wonderful Celebrations:

Sophie in Year 4 - Well done for being awarded her blue tag in Taekwondo. She will now work towards achieving her blue belt.

Kody in Year 3 - Well done on achieving your silver swimming badge.

Sienna in Year 6 - A massive congratulation for competing in the county gymnastics championship - winning first place! A wonderful achievement Sienna.

Mr Gary Gregg - our Chair of Governors - a massive shout-out for Mr Gregg who has won a prestigious Highly Commended Award for coaching football. He has been shortlisted for coach of the year on the female pathway by Cumberland FA.

Keith Hayes Award: Congratulations to Sophia in Year 5 who was selected as our shining star award in the Autumn Term for demonstrating all our school values. She has consistently demonstrated nurture and respect towards her peers and is always a 2% in her learning. She is not afraid to take risks, loves being involved in school life and goes the extra mile in all that she does. A fabulous congratulations to Sophia.

Golden Work:

Katie in year 3 for superb comprehension in guided reading

Luna in year 3 for planning her Babushka story.

Isaac in year 4 for superb mathematics work.

Spring Term Dates

School reopens for the Spring Term on Tuesday 7th January. Breakfast Club will be open on this day.

15th and 16th January 2025 - Parents Meeting in school.