



NEWSLETTER NO.12 AUTUMN TERM – 07 DEC 2018

WEEK AHEAD

WEEK 13 – NO CLUBS – CHRISTMAS POSTBOX is open for collections		
Mon 10 th December	KS1 Nativity Dress Rehearsal Y6 to Live Crib @ Mayfield	11.30 14.00
Tue 11 th December	Flu Vaccination (Rec-Y5) KS1 Nativity Performance 'A Present for the Baby' <i>(Children to return for 17.00; Refreshments for parents served in Foundation Stage)</i>	09.00 17.30 (1 st Performance)
Wed 12 th December	Carol Singing at Wadhurst Manor KS1 Nativity Performance 'A Present for the Baby' <i>(Children to return for 17.00; Refreshments for parents served in Foundation Stage)</i>	14.00 17.30 (Final Performance)
Thu 13 th December <i>NURSERY last day</i>	A day of celebrations for Charity – Christmas Jumper Day (Save the Children) Zebedees Christmas Lunch Foundation Stage Christmas Parties KS1 & KS2 Talent Show in aid of Children in Need	12.30 14.00
Fri 14 th December <i>NO Nursery</i> <i>- Final Day of Term -</i>	Carol Service and Tableaux <i>Led by Y6</i> with contributions from Whole School – <i>All Welcome in Sacred Heart Church</i> <i>School Closes:</i>	11.00 Foundation Stage & KS1 12.00 KS2 12.15
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS		
Mon 7 th December	Children return for Spring Term 2019	08.45

MISSION IN ACTION AWARDS: 'LOVE IS ALL YOU NEED'

RECEPTION	Whole Class	For two fantastic Nativities!
YEAR 1	Ina-Mae	For great contributions during the lessons on Advent
	Harrison	For great Maths work on number sequences
	Olivia	For great sounding out for Reading and Writing
YEAR 2	Emma	For excellent Maths work with Numicon
	Fabian	For showing kindness to all his peers
YEAR 3	Oscar	For his kindness and generosity
	Beatrice	For being an all-round super star!
	Charlie	For the most wonderful manners and positive attitude!
YEAR 4	Sofia	For always using her Growth Mindset to improve her skills, especially in Reading.
	Digby	For his excellent research skills in History.
	George	For always doing the right thing and being so caring towards his friends and Y4 classmates.
YEAR 5	Max	For fantastic efforts with his homework and working independently
YEAR 6	Whole Class	For their beautiful Class Advent Calendar and for 'amazing' progress with very tricky long division
SUPPORT STAFF FRIENDSHIP AWARD	Monty (Y6)	For impeccable manners and helpfulness at lunchtimes
SPORTS PERSONALITY OF THE WEEK	Florence (Y5)	For excellent improvement in swimming
	Izzy (Y5)	
	Milo (Y4)	For excellent effort in PE

SENIOR SCHOOL PLACES:

Congratulations to Y6 girls who attended for assessment at Mayfield recently. We are delighted that all 6 have been offered places and Ava has been offered a Drama Scholarship.

CONGRATULATIONS:

- **Harry Y2** achieved his Red Belt in 9th Kyu in Wado Ryu Karate
- **Michael Y3** achieved the 400m distance of the ASA Rainbow Swimming Award Scheme
- **Sofia Y4** successfully completed the ABRSM Piano Prep Test
- **Mariella Y3** achieved the 400m distance of the ASA Rainbow Swimming Award Scheme

Key policies are available via the school website or on request from the school.

Another busy and exciting week at Sacred Heart School where learning is fun!



A wonderful Christmassy time was had by all at the annual Sacred Heart PTA Christmas Fair. Beautiful carolling from the Choir opened the festivities with tombolas, crafts, face painting, games, shopping, waffles, mulled wine and barbeque to name but a few. There was of course the most magical visit to see Santa in his grotto too! Together with proceeds from the Christmas Cards sales, we have all raised £3000 for the school! A big thank you from the PTA for all your support.



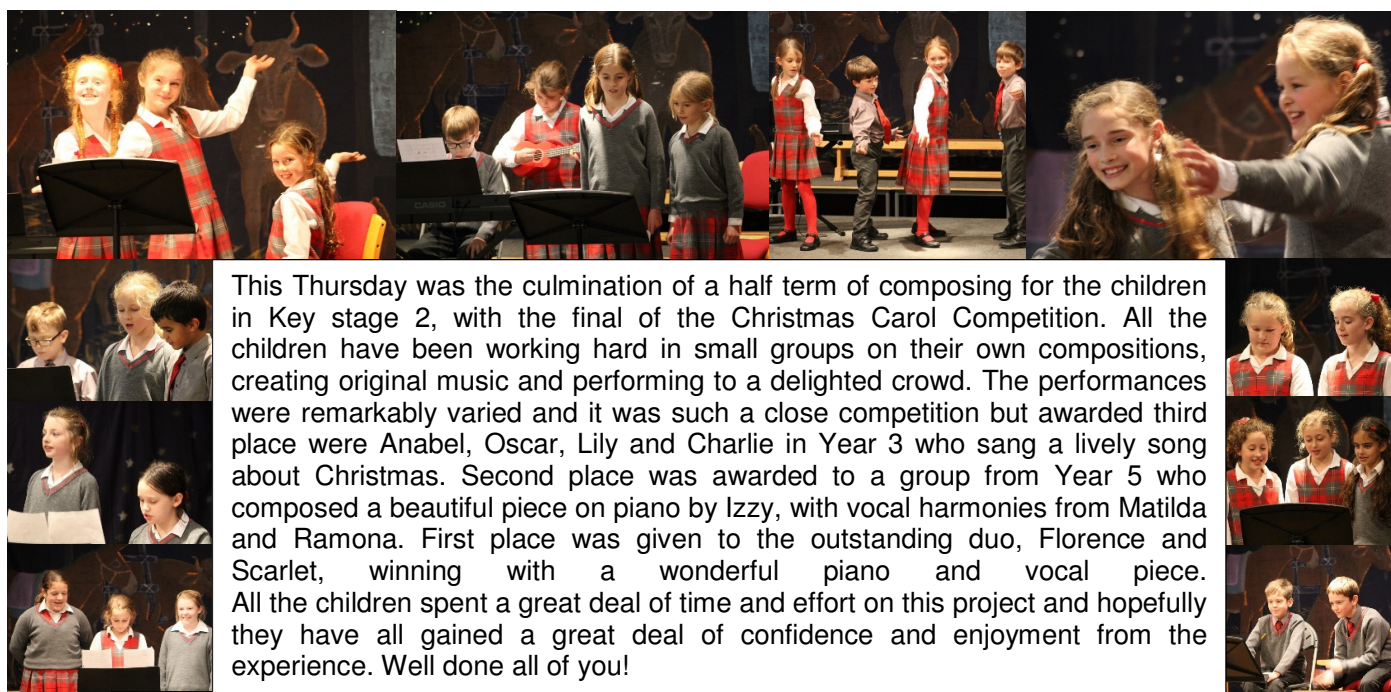
Foundation Stage Nativity

'It's a Baby'





On Wednesday 5th December Senior Choir visited Weald Hall Nursing Home where they sang a range of traditional and modern Carols. All the children sang beautifully and their performance was very much appreciated by the residents.



This Thursday was the culmination of a half term of composing for the children in Key stage 2, with the final of the Christmas Carol Competition. All the children have been working hard in small groups on their own compositions, creating original music and performing to a delighted crowd. The performances were remarkably varied and it was such a close competition but awarded third place were Anabel, Oscar, Lily and Charlie in Year 3 who sang a lively song about Christmas. Second place was awarded to a group from Year 5 who composed a beautiful piece on piano by Izzy, with vocal harmonies from Matilda and Ramona. First place was given to the outstanding duo, Florence and Scarlet, winning with a wonderful piano and vocal piece. All the children spent a great deal of time and effort on this project and hopefully they have all gained a great deal of confidence and enjoyment from the experience. Well done all of you!

