



Weekly Newsletter 6th December 2018

Dear Parents,

Eagle Owls enjoyed an excellent 'Viking Day' on Friday. Once again, many of the costumes were brilliant, and the children had an informative and engaging day. Their activities included making Thor hammers in the morning based on the Viking God. In the afternoon they re-enacted a Viking Poem, where every child was given a role-playing part, together with authentic items: dressing up/artefacts/weapons. They were placed into 'class' groups and then they all tasted food from the 3 different class groups - venison Soup (slaves), bread and ham (workers), pheasant (rich). They handled a bow and arrow and also a long-handled axe, discussed different helmets from the Era and the function of the shield. Many thanks to Mrs Davies for organising the event.

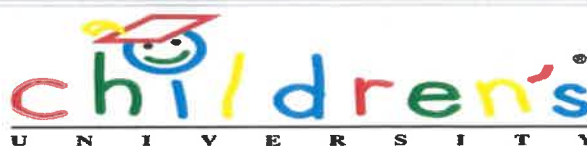
On Tuesday, children from across the school worked together to create artwork for the annual Little Melton church Christmas display. This year the theme was Christmas trees. There will be opportunities for you to see the children's work at either of our forthcoming carol concerts on Friday 7th Dec and Friday 14th Dec (1:30pm start). For those who have offered to walk with the children please meet at the school by 1pm. Please note, after both events we will be walking all of the children back to school and not allowing them to be collected direct from the church. This is simply because of the difficulties of managing this process in the cramped confines of the church. The carol concert is likely to last for about 30-40 minutes, and children can however be collected early from school itself, once they have walked back. Our ukulele group will also be performing at the first of the carol concerts only.

Later this week our new outdoor play equipment is going to be installed. This is to replace the equipment lost because of the new playground extension. We also now have two new outdoor table tennis tables, which I am sure, will prove very popular once the weather has improved in the New Year. Many thanks to all of the efforts of parents who have raised money to support us with this through the Friends.

Finally, the children have been busily rehearsing for some time for the Christmas production next week. I hope that many of you will be able to come into school next week to watch, and I am sure that it will once again be a fantastic end to a busy school term.



The recipient of this week's Head Teacher award is:
Alfie (3)- kind lunchtime monitor



Bring in your Children's University passports every Monday via the class baskets and these will be returned to you on Thursdays.
Send photos, emails and queries to
CULMPS@littlemelton.norfolk.sch.uk

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

every school day counts.

Last week's attendance was: 92.70%

No year groups achieved 100% attendance.



Sophia W - age 6

Clementine - age 8



Weekly Gold Book Winners

Well Done Assembly 30th November

Owlets - William

Snowy Owls - Jack, Sophie and Amelia

Barn Owls- Sam, Eloise, Erin J, Aiesha and Annabel

Eagle Owls - George, Evan, Corey, Emily, Blake, Edith, Millie, Craig and Charlie.

Uniform

Any parents wanting to buy uniform can purchase it direct from this website:
<https://www.superstitch86.co.uk/product-category/schoolwear/primary-schools-academies/little-melton-primary-school/>

Book bags are also now online <https://www.superstitch86.co.uk/product/little-melton-book-bag/>

NAVY LITTLE MELTON PRIMARY SCHOOL SWEATSHIRT



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N.B. These dates/times could be subject to change.

Thur 6th December - Pre School Christmas wreath making 7-9p.m in the school hall

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Fri 7th December - Pre School Christmas wreath making 7-9p.m in the school hall

Fri 7th December - Christmas carol service 1:30-2:15pm. Garnet & Emerald Houses at Little Melton Church

Tue 11th December - Sugar collection

Wed 12th December - Play performance 10a.m - all welcome including pre-school siblings

Wed 12th December - 6p.m play performance (no pre-school siblings)

Thurs 13th December - 6p.m play performance (no pre-school siblings)

Fri 14th December - Xmas Jumper Day

Fri 14th December - Christmas carol service 1:30-2:15pm. Topaz & Citrine at Little Melton Church

Mon 17th December - Members of the school choir will be singing at Oakwood Nursing Home

Tues 18th December - Carols around the Tree at 2pm.

Tues 18th December - Whole school Christmas 'pizza' lunch at the 'Village Inn'.

Christmas Holidays

19th December 2018 - 2nd January 2019

Wed 16th January - Year 3&4 sports hall athletics

Wed 30th January - General knowledge quiz at Langley Prep.

Tues 5th February - Year 1 Multiskills at Easton College.

Half Term Holidays 18th - 22nd February 2019

Fri 22nd March - Owlets/Snowy Owls trip to Norwich Playhouse.

Fri 22nd March - Year 4-6 swim gala at the sports park.

Fri 22nd March - Year 6 maths challenge at Norwich School

Easter Holidays

8th April to 22nd April 2019

May Day Bank Holiday

6th May 2019

Sat 18th May - May Fair

Tue 21st May - Eagle Owls trip to West Runton

Wed 22nd May - Eagle Owls Dance Showcase

Half term 27th to 31st May 2019

Summer Holidays

25th July to 3rd September 2019

Yours sincerely,

Mr A Pritchard
Headteacher