

# **Children in Need**



Thank you so much for supporting the children and making this day such a success. We had an amazing amount of Pudsey themed cakes and biscuits donated for the bake sale. The school council planned, organised and managed the day so effectively.

As a school community we raised £201 Well done everyone!

### **Online Safety Sessions**

KS2 children visited New Hall School for an update to the online safety talks they had last year. These were run by two former child protection police officers who are very knowledgeable about the most up to date risks posed on line. Have a look at their excellent website with resources for parents and children. <a href="www.esafetytraining.org">www.esafetytraining.org</a>. It has an area dedicated to parents and carers with topics such as: Gaming, Social media and live streaming, useful websites, reporting concerns, parental control settings, talking to your child about online safety. You can also find the latest information on Facebook —find them by searching for 'EST E Safety Training'.

### Music workshop

The key stage 2 music festival attended by Class 2, was a real success. Children were joined by children from other local schools at Milldene Primary. They pre-learned songs from a range of musical styles and sang these beautifully all together, playing accompaniment on their musical instruments. As always, we were very proud of the children who always behave so well and do Messing Primary proud.

# **Christmas at Messing Primary**

Our Christmas at Messing information sheet is attached to the newsletter for your diaries. We have plenty of exciting activities planned!

#### **Dates for your diary**

26/11/19 Class 2 assembly 9.00

2/12/19 KS1 dress rehearsal

3/12/19 KS1 performance 2.15

4/12/19 KS1 performance 6.00

5/12/19 Pantomime at school

10/12/19 Christingle service 10.30

11/12/19 Xmas dinner

12/12/19 Community carols

13/12/19 Christmas Fair

18/12/19 Christmas parties

19/12/19 Xmas jumper day for Save the Children
Last day of term

Last day of terr

6/1/20 Return to school

20/1/20 Yr 2 Sats meeting

21/1/20 Yr6 Sats meeting

24/1/20 Young voices at the O2

28/1/20 Stay and play reception 9.00

29/1/20 Class 3 session for parents 9.00

5/2/20 Bikeability

5/2/20 Class 2 session for parents 9.00

6/2/20 Bikeability

7/2/20 Class 1 session for parents

11/2/20 Class 3 trip to Harry Potter World

17/2/19 Half term

24/2/20 Non-Pupil day

25/2/20 Return to school

3/4/20 Last day of term

20/4/20 Return to school

Term dates are also available on the school website.

#### Congratulations

Congratulations to the following pupils who have been awarded Golden certificates.

William C Lawrence S Olivia N Gracie Sue H Neve B Daisie M Bella F Rosie S Ben W

# **Governors' Report.**

At our November meeting, the governors

- looked at progress data for every class
- received a report on health and safety
- agreed to apply for funding to improve fencing and security
- looked at the budget forecasts for the next 3 years
- received an annual report on safeguarding
- reviewed teachers' pay
- updated policies including emergency and critical incident management

You can contact the governors through the school office if you would like to speak to us about any queries or concerns you may have.