



## Highlights of the Week

Well the festive season is well upon us. Driving to work today was a delight as I came up the A49 and could see snow on all the hills around. I have to admit, I was looking forward to having more than what we have here at school as it's always great fun to play in the snow with the children. Maybe Monday!

Everyone has been working so hard towards the Christmas Play. As you go along the corridor, everyone is singing the songs...including the staff. Even when the children pop out of the classroom, I can hear them humming and singing them to themselves.

It was with great delight and pride that I was able to watch my first Nativity as a Head on Wednesday. Butterflies children were fantastic. They were so well behaved and they sang and danced beautifully. It was a real tribute to the hard work of the Butterflies Staff.

They are all fantastic and do a wonderful job. Key Stage 2 represented the school very well yesterday when they sang for the community in Ashford Carbonell's Village Hall. Everyone enjoyed the singing and I know the children really enjoyed the cakes and squash. Apparently they would have brought me a piece back but they were too busy eating it! Well, it's the thought that counts!

Next week is going to be a very busy and exciting, but it will also be a very tiring one. As my final week at Bishop Hooper, I don't think we could have crammed much more in. It will definitely keep my mind off leaving you all. Let's hope the weather doesn't get in the way of all of our plans. Sometime this week, you should have received my weather letter that explains the procedures if we have bad weather. Please keep an eye on your phones for updates if the weather does get worse.

Have a lovely weekend and hope to see you all tomorrow at the Christmas Fayre.

## Bishop Hooper Stars

### Class 1

Kye Smith for improvement in phonics.

### Class 2

Thomas Andow for excellent work this week.

### Class 3

Jack Simpson for 100% in spellings

### Class 4

Trey Stokes for being a good ambassador for the school

### Lunchtime Award.

Max Glover for being extremely helpful in the dining hall.

Final Step



KS2 children will be watching the Grinch which is a PG film next week. If you don't give consent for your child to watch, please contact the school office.



Next week we will be sending recycling sacks home with all the children. It will be an ideal time to have a good sort out over the Christmas Break. If you could return the bags back to school from the 11th January that would be great as we have limited storage in school. The bags will be collected on the 15th January. Hopefully we can help raise some additional fund for F.O.B.H.S.

F.O.B.H.S

A big thank you for donating chocolates and bottles for the tombola stalls tomorrow.

Please come along and support the fair

## Butterflies weekly news

Star of the week goes to - Everyone at Butterflies, for the amazing Christmas Nativity. Butterflies staff are so proud of you all, all children practiced so hard and what an amazing performance. This week we also have been doing Christmas activities, we are having great fun dancing to the Christmas songs and we are looking forward to a party week next week.

Different activities we have been doing this week are: Practicing the Nativity then doing the performance, talking about Christmas with Lucy from the local church, snowmen pictures, handprint wreath. We also have had a special treat this week where the Author (Rose Hannah Button) of the new children's book "NO Oscar No " came to visit all children enjoyed this so much, we have Order forms in Butterflies if anyone would like to order a copy.

### Physical exercise

Dancing to Christmas songs, nature walk, obstacle course, group games.

### Ideas for continuing your child's learning at home:

Decorate your Christmas tree as a family, read a Christmas story, sing Christmas songs (Any activities you do at home, we would love to receive some photos to put up on our wall at Butterflies)

Have a wonderful Weekend  
Butterflies xx



SHREWSBURY MUSEUM & ART GALLERY

In the build up to the amazing LEGO: Brick History opening at Shrewsbury Museum & Art Gallery on Friday 9 February 2018, we are running a **'Build your own Model' competition** with the winners having their models feature in the exhibition for the duration of its stay with us.

The following link will provide you with more information, but please get in touch if you would like to know more.

<http://www.shrewsburymuseum.org.uk/competition-chance-feature-lego-brick-history/>



## Coming Up Soon!

**Saturday 9th December**—FOBHS Christmas Fair.

**Tuesday 12th December** - Afternoon and evening performance of the school Christmas play - Santa's on Strike. There will be auditions very soon!

**Wednesday 13th December** - Christmas Lunch

**Thursday 14th December** - Panto at Shrewsbury. Oh no it isn't, Oh yes it is!

**Friday 15th December** - Carols around the Christmas Tree 2pm. All invited. (The children will be able to go home after the service, once they have collected bags etc.)

**Wednesday 3rd January** - Back to school!



## Come and Join....

# THE LIVING NATIVITY



Street Theatre...



- \* Characters in Costume
- \* Real Donkey
- \* Ludlow Town Band
- \* Hot Chocolate &



Mince Pies for all



**Tuesday 19th December - 6pm**  
Starts: Peace Memorial, Castle Square, Ludlow.  
Ends circa 7pm'ish at the Castle.  
For any enquiries please email [ludlowmethodist@outlook.com](mailto:ludlowmethodist@outlook.com)