

# Woodhouse Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter No 14

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### Activities for week commencing – 16 December 2013

Monday	1.30pm	Year 5 & 6 Christmas Party
	3.15pm	iWriting Club
	3.15pm	Roamer Club
Tuesday	1.30pm	Year 3 & 4 Christmas Party
Wednesday	1.30pm	Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 Christmas Party
	3.15pm	Healthy Lifestyle Club
Thursday		School Carol Service
	3.15pm	Woodhouse FM
Friday	10.05am	Friday Bake – 6Y
	1.00pm	ROKT – 6Y
	<b>3.15pm</b>	<b>School closes for Christmas</b>

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### Market place

Profits have now been calculated by Mrs Knowles from our 'Marketplace' event.

The profit each group made is listed below:

Reception - £81.77	Year 1 - £94.11	Year 2 - £127.00
Year 3 - £157.48	Year 4 - £162.92	Year 5 - £217.76
Year 6 - £142.34		



Groups will now discuss how their profits will be spent and this will be reported shortly.

### Christmas Carol Service – Thursday 19 December – 10.00am

The staff and pupils of the school will be attending St. John's Church for our annual Christmas carol service. Unfortunately the church is not big enough to invite parents. As we walk both to and from the church, it is essential that all pupils wear suitable outdoor clothing. If you think that your child may be unable to manage the walk, I would rather that they came to school at 12 noon rather than becoming upset. Please write a note to your child's class teacher if they are going to come into school at lunchtime. Thank you.



### Christmas Parties

Pupils may come to school **without** uniform on their party day (no donation).

Parties are as follows –

Monday 16 December - Year 5 & 6

Tuesday 17 December - Year 3 & 4

Wednesday 18 December – YR, Year 1 & Year 2



### Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day (non-uniform) – Friday 13 December 2013

A reminder that pupils are invited to wear a Christmas jumper or anything festive and donate £1 to the charity. Please **do not** buy Christmas jumpers just for this event – anything festive, for example a green or red t-shirt, a hat or a bit of tinsel will be fine.



### Christmas Concerts - Thank You

It was lovely to see so many parents and friends of the school at the KS1 concert and the Reception classes' assembly this week, the children did us proud! *I would ask that any photographs or videos are for personal use only and not shared via any social networking sites.* Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.



**Congratulations!**

A group of Y5 and Y6 pupils took part in a 'Question of Science' quiz last Friday at Rastrick High School, where we competed against local primary schools including Longroyde, Carr Green and Field Lane. Woodhouse were overall winners! Well done to the team!



**Student Newspaper**

A group of talented Year 6 writers have put together the first ever edition of the Woodhouse Gazette. The paper contains articles relating to school events which have taken place during the autumn term.



We are excited to announce that the first edition of the Woodhouse Gazette is available to download from the school's website and copies have been given to each class for teachers to share with pupils.

A special thank you to Anthony, Catherine, Ellis, Emily W, Aaron and Amy for all the hard work they have put into the newspaper.

The next edition of the paper will be published at the end of the spring term.

**SOS – Schools Out Scheme**

They are open during the holidays on 23 & 24 December and then 2 & 3 January with lots of fun holiday activities planned.



They are open till 1pm on Christmas Eve with a special offer price of £10 for the session. More information can be obtained from the SOS Portakabin or on 01484 400915. The holiday club is open to all children aged 4-11 years even if they do not attend in term time.

**Swimmer of the Month - November**



- Year 1 – Savannah
- Year 2 – Elise
- Year 3 – Isabel
- Year 4 – Laiba
- Year 6 - Izaak



**\*\*\*\*\*This week's Classroom news \*\*\*\*\***



Reception – We performed our special Christmas Assembly for our families!

Year 1 & Year 2 – We have been busy performing our Christmas concert!

Year 3 – We have been designing our own airport maps!

Year 4 – We have solved the mystery of the missing PS4!

Year 5 – We have been showing our modern day castles!

Year 6 – We have been writing persuasive letters inviting a special guest to a charity event!

**Last week's highest attendance**

**is awarded to.....**

**Class – 6Y**

**\*\*\* Well Done\*\*\***



Yours sincerely

Mrs Lynn Daveney  
Headteacher