

## NEWS & VIEWS

**Achievement & Enjoyment** 

**Headteacher Mr S Bowsher** 



## **Headteacher's Comment:**

Despite it not being a Friday, as it is the last day of term I am sending home a final News and Views of 2023.

It has been a hugely successful term which has culminated in our final celebration assembly of the year today with me giving out a record number of Bronze Awards to the children who have reached 25 class points. Academically we have seen children making great progress and learning in classrooms has been fantastic. With our wider curriculum, we have had entered a number of sporting events (winning some), had visitors in to support learning and taken part in different events with other schools. I have also shown a record number of parents around the school for Reception 2024 entry – don't forget the deadline for applications is  $15^{th}$  January.

On behalf of all the staff, I would like to thank you all for your Christmas cards, gifts and good wishes. We never expect anything, so it is always appreciated. Have a fantastic Christmas and a Happy New Year. I will leave you with one final thought, the poem written by Kendra that won the Mayor's Christmas competition.

## My Christmas Wish by Kendra in Year 6

Every year children worldwide,
Wish for my gifts at Christmas time.
Although this holiday is filled with eagerness,
I only hope that you find happiness!

If I could make a wish for us all,
It would be for them to have happiness, hope and joy.
I would wish for them to have love and friendship too,
And for all the families out there to have a Christmas they will enjoy!

I wish that as the skies become dark, You will be on my nice list. I wish that all humans (like me), Are never lonely and always free!

I wish that all their dreams will come true,
And love sticks in the hearts like glue.
Finally, I hope that all the houses will have
A mince pie, a glass of milk and carrots aplenty,
To keep me and my reindeer happy and steady.



Chief Executive Officer: Mr R Duff

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