



Friday December 7th 2018

## LALEHAM LEA

Catholic Independent Primary School for boys and girls aged 3-11 years  
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Dear Parents

Our first week of Advent has been led in Prayer by our Faith Monitors.

We have also has a wonderful week with our Christmas Carol Concert on Tuesday, which was a triumph as always. Well done Mr Palmer, Mrs Devlin and all our Junior Students for a brilliant concert that was enjoyed by all.

Not to be outdone, our Nursery/Reception and Year1/

Year 2 Nativity Plays yesterday were fabulous. The children had clearly worked extremely hard to learn their lines and songs and delivered them with flare and panache.

Next week our Year 3 and Year 4 Students are looking forward to their visit to see the 'Snow Queen' at the Harlequin Theatre.

The Club list for the new term will be sent our next week. As always, places are allocated on

a first come, first served basis so please do try to book in before we break for Christmas if you can to avoid any disappointment.

Just a reminder that Laleham Lea closes for the Christmas Break next Friday at 12 noon for Nursery and 12.15 for the rest of the school. No packed lunches are needed.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Ms Barry - Head Teacher

### Stars of the Week

Reception—Annabel

Year 1—Rio

Year 2—Whole Class

Year 3—Jeremy

Year 4—Imogen

Year 5—Amaya

Year 6—Joseph

**Well done to all our Stars!**

### Spiritual Reflection

#### Luke 3:4-6

As it is written in the book of the words of Isaiah the prophet:

"A voice of one calling in the wilderness,  
'Prepare the way for the Lord,  
make straight paths for him.

Every valley shall be filled in,  
every mountain and hill made low.

The crooked roads shall become straight,  
the rough ways smooth.

And all people will see God's salvation."



It was lovely to see so many families at our Christmas Carol Concert on Tuesday night, which was fantastic as always. Many thanks to Mr Palmer, Mrs Devlin and all our Students and staff for their hard work.

Many thanks to all our families for your generosity, our collection raised £325 for 'Crisis at Christmas'.

Check the school website for more pictures from the night.







Our Nursery and Infant children did an amazing job on Thursday with their Nativity plays 'Shine Star Shine' and 'Lights, Camel, Action'. Well done to you all. Please see the Gallery page of the School website for more picture.





Well done to budding actress Rosie in Year 5 who appeared in a production of Charlie and The Chocolate Factory as Violet Beauregarde last weekend. Rosie attends Stagecoach Drama workshops as well as Drama lessons with Mr McDowall and was chosen for the role in their Christmas show at Reigate Collage last weekend.



As part of our preparations for Christmas, Nursery Class had a go at making

their own wreath this week. The children talked about the meaning of the wreath, candles and evergreen branches. They then lit the first candle and said a prayer for the first week of Advent.



**Mathletics  
Certificates  
Gold: Josh B  
Silver: Josh  
B, Alex G,  
Aayan,  
Reuben,  
Noah**

## School Calendar W/C Dec 10th 2018

<b>Monday Dec 10th</b>	<b>Swimming</b>	<b>Yrs. 1 &amp; 4</b>	Kit Required
	11+	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4.00pm
	Netball	Yrs. 3-6	1-1.40pm
	Lego	Rec—Y2	3.20-4.00pm
	Tennis	Rec-Y6	3.20-4.20pm
	Save our Planet	Yrs.3-6	1.05-1.35pm
<b>Tuesday Dec 11th</b>	Homework	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4pm
	French	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4.30pm
	CPFC	Rec-Y2	3.30-4.30pm
	Computer Club	Yrs.3-6	3.30-4.30pm
<b>Wednesday Dec 12th</b>	Mathletics	Yrs. 4-6	8.25-8.55am
	Fruit Fit	Yrs. 3-6	1.05-1.35pm
	Homework	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4pm
	Orchestra	Competent Players	12.45-1.15pm
	Games	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4.30pm
	Art	Yrs. 1-Y3	3.30-4.30pm
<b>Thursday Dec 13th</b>	Mathletics	Yrs. 1-3	8.25-8.55am
	Drama	LAMDA	12.30-1pm
	Homework	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4pm
	Am Soccer	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4.30pm
	Ballet—watch week	Nurs/Rec	3.15-4.00pm
		Y1	4-4.30pm
		Y2/y3	4.30-5.15pm
	SuperSkills	Yrs. 1-2	3.30-4.30pm
<b>Friday Dec 14th</b>	School Closes	12.15pm	All

## Staff Emails

To help aid ease of communication between parents and staff, please contact your child's Teacher directly using the email addresses below. Please be assured that Teachers will respond as soon as they can, but understandably, teaching your children comes first, so responses may not be immediate.

N—Nurseryteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

Rec—receptionteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

Y1—lowertransteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

Y2—uppertransteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

Y3—preprepteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

Y4—lowerteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

Y5—middleteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

Y6—upperteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

spanishteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk

Mr Palmer (Music and I.T) —  
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### Admin and School Business Manager

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### Nut Free School

We have children in school who have severe allergies to peanuts and all nuts. Please do not send your child to school with any nuts or peanuts for snack time or in their packed lunch, this also includes Nutella, peanut butter and any biscuits/ cereal bars or sauces (pesto) that may contain nuts or nut spreads.

## Swimming

**Year 3 and Year 6 will be swimming after Christmas. Please ensure your child remembers their swimming kit on the first Monday back to school.**