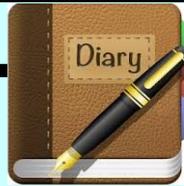


Dates For Your Diary

10th December—Nursery & Reception Christmas Performance
 11th December—Christmas Lunch Day.
 11th December— Choir attending the Christmas Festival at the Winter Gardens.
 11th December—Athletics Finals at Stanley Park
 12th December—Y4 Egyptian Workshop.
 14th December—Elf Dash and Christmas Jumper Day.
 18th December -KS2 Carol Service.
 19th December—Y1 and Y2 Nativity
 21st December—Rec to Y6 Panto Visit at the Grand (payers)
 21st December, 3.15pm RLA closes for the Christmas Break.
 7th January 2019—RLA reopens, 8.45am. Breakfast, 8.15am



Attendance & Punctuality

	Class % this week	Class % this week
Rec	RLH-93.3	RLM/VG-96.7
Year 1	1LD -88.2	1RP-96.5
Year 2	2HK-94.1	2JP-97.1
Year 3	3MR-96.4	3EG-92.9
Year 4	4JW-98.2	4JN—98
Year 5	5TC-95.7	5SC-89
Year 6	6HR-97.6	6SH-92.9

Christmas Fair

Thank you to everyone who supported our Christmas Fair on Monday, 3rd December. As mentioned previously, all Business Enterprise money raised will be used to subsidise the panto visit on Friday, 21st December.



Attendance

Pupil Absence—Please can you remind parents to inform the office of pupil absence .

If we do not receive notification of a pupils absence, our Pupil Welfare Officer may carry out a home visit. Fines may be issued for repeat 'offenders'!!



Elf Dash and Christmas Jumper Day

Next Friday, 14th December we will be holding our annual Elf Dash in aid of Trinity Hospice. We still have elf hats available at a cost of £1.50. All proceeds from the hat sales and sponsorship raised, will be donated to Trinity Hospice. Children who wish to wear a Christmas jumper may attend in non- uniform.



Recycling



Our Media Club have been interviewing staff about their

recycling habits. They were very please to report that all members of staff recycle their waste paper in school and at home!



Reminder—Our annual Christmas Lunch will be held on Tuesday, 11th December.

E Safety — Please can we ask that all parents work with school to keep our children safe when they are using electronic devices and the internet. We are seeing an increase in inappropriate behaviours and language in and out of school, which we are told is because of the children playing/ accessing games, such as Grand Theft Auto and Fortnite. Also, please ensure that your child does not use 'TikTok', previously Musically. If you wish to know more, please pop into school and discuss it with staff. Thank you.

FREE SWIMMING

All Blackpool residents can access **FREE swimming** for children during school holidays. Children under 8 must be supervised by a suitable adult.

To access this fantastic free activity, you must have a Blackpool Leisure Card (available, free of charge from either Palatine or Blackpool Leisure centres. Just take something to prove your identity i.e. birth certificate/ passport.)

Our 'Play Barn'



We have started using our fantastic 'Play Barn'. Year 3, for example, conducted their maths-inspired PE lesson in the Barn. The children were overwhelmed with the new facility ...

"It was magnificent to look at" (Paige);

"It was awesome. I have never seen a playground with a roof before." (Beau)

"It was incredible, the lights made it really bright on a dark day." (Georgia)

"It was super because it was raining and we stayed dry" (Joseph)

"I was shocked at how big it actually was inside." (John-Paul)

"It's really exciting that it is ours to keep." (Beth)

Basketball Festival

Ten children from year 5 had the opportunity to represent RLA at a basketball festival, hosted by Blackpool Sixth Form. The children learned new skills in passing, dribbling and shooting and then played matches against other schools to apply their new skills. The children had great fun and enjoyed trying a new sport. A big shout-out to Alex for being voted Revoe's most valuable player. Well done to all who attended!



Waterpark Coniston

We have a few places available on the Y6 Waterpark visit. These places will be offered to our Y5 children. Letters will be sent home on Monday. Places will be allocated on a first come first served bases. Therefore, please can we ask for the permission slips to be handed directly to the office team. Thank you.



Congratulations to Poppy who has achieved her silver award on the Therapy Dog Training Programme. Poppy also received a rosette for gaining full marks. She has now started training for the gold award. Well done Poppy !!



Stars of the Week. **This week** and **last week** Thank you children, for your amazing Attitude, Conduct and Effort. You're all ACE!

RLH	Redowan Lena	2JP	Ben	Year 4	Tyler, Jamie- Lee & Brandon	Year 6	Byron, Yarina & Ollie
RLM/VG	Archie Emanuel	2HK	Rachael George		Lidia, Kieran & Gabriela		Megan, Jannat, Matthew
1LD	Felicia Matthew	3EG	Ramona Kai	Year 5	LJ & Nuzhat	Have a fab weekend everybody!	
1RP	Jamie Zayne	3MR	Jessica Emma-Leigh		Kayden & Cristina		