



Year 6 Christmas Brass Concert



End of Term

School end at 2pm on Thursday, 19th December and re-opens on Monday, 6th January.

Rainy Weather

The children go outside for playtime and dinner time whatever the weather. Please make sure they have a pair of wellies and waterproofs in school. Please speak to your child's teacher if you are unable to send these items into school and we will do what we can to help.

Christmas Fair

The total from the Christmas fair has been totted up and we raised over £1,200. Thank you so much for your support and generosity. At our next PTA meeting, we will be deciding what to spend the money on to benefit our children. Please come along and have your say.

Staffing News

After working at Lancaster Lane for ten years, on Thursday we say goodbye to Mrs Welsh as she moves on to pastures new. Joining us as a TA, Mrs Welsh studied hard to qualify as a teacher and she has spent her last term here teaching Y1 – Y6 throughout school. Her sense of fun, flexibility, approachability and always putting the children at the heart of what she does will be missed by us all. I am sure you will join me in wishing her well for the future.

What's On?

KS2 Christmas Party	Monday 16th
Y1/Y2 Christmas Play @ 9.15am	Tuesday 17th
KS1 Christmas Party	
Reception/Early Learners Christmas Party	Wednesday 18th
Christmas Lunch	
Christmas Carol Concert @ St Ambrose	@ 10.00am
Toy Day School closes at 2pm	Thursday 19th
School closed for pupils	Friday 20th

Twitter

If you use Twitter, please follow us on Twitter (@lancylane.)

Racing To Read

Year 4 won the Reading Race this week.

Football

Congratulations to the football team who were runners up in the football tournament attended at Blackburn Rovers last week. They were narrowly beaten in the final but did themselves – and the school – proud.

Christmas Parties

Children can come in party clothes on the day of their party. Any food should be taken to their classroom on the day.

Wedding News

Congratulations to Mr Clucas and Charlotte on becoming man and wife on Saturday. Warmest congratulations from us all.

Team Points

The Squirrels have won most team points this term and so may come in non-school uniform on Thursday.

Toy Day

On Thursday, the children may bring in toys and games to play with their friends and teachers. Please do not send in anything electronic, valuable or precious as Lancaster Lane School cannot be responsible for any loss or damage to personal items.

Christmas Plays

It's Y1 and Y2's turn to perform their play for their parents on Tuesday at 9.15am. If you are coming along to watch, please be courteous to our neighbours by not blocking their driveways.

Christmas Jumper day

Thank you for your donations on Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children charity. The amount raised will be counted up next week.

Carol Concert

Y2 – Y6 will be walking to St Ambrose Church on Wednesday morning (18th) to listen to the singalongs sing their Christmas carols and songs. The concert starts at 10am; please come along and join us if you can.

Singalongs

The Year 5 singalongs have sung their hearts out this week. Firstly, they sang for the visitors at the Leyland Care Centre on Monday then for the staff at St Catherine's Hospice on Tuesday before four of them joining children from our cluster of songs to sing carols to raise money for the hospice.

Baby News

Congratulations to Alisa (Y3) and Harley (Rec) on the birth of their baby brother Oakley. Welcome to the world, little one!



Singing at St Catherine's Hospice



Congratulations to Mr Clucas on his wedding day.



*We all had fun at the Panto...
Oh no we didn't, Oh yes we did!*

Early Learners Pre-School



Early Learners Christmas
Craft Session

Special Mentions this week.

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Erik	Katelyn	Sophie B	Leon	Benjamin	Jack	Ollie
Mrs Geldard's choice is Nolan in Year 2			Mrs Anstey's choice is Louis In Year 1			
Team points running total – ROBINS 1141 – SQUIRRELS 1532 – BEAVERS 1250 – DOLPHINS 828						

Online Safety Tip

App of the week PopJam



PopJam

Popjam is an online platform and app aimed at 7-12 year olds. There's a focus on creativity. Users can create and share art, as well as taking quizzes. You can comment openly but there's no private chat and the app is only open between 6am and 11pm – users cannot interact with any content outside these hours.



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content on external websites).

Upcoming Dates

Monday, 16th December - KS2 Christmas Party - come in party clothes
 Tuesday, 17th December - Y1/Y2 Play @ 9.15am
 Tuesday, 17th December - KS1 Christmas Party - come in party clothes
 Wednesday, 18th December - Reception/EL Christmas Party - come in party clothes
 Wednesday, 18th December - Christmas Lunch
 Wednesday, 18th December - Christmas Concert @ St Ambrose for Y2-Y6 @ 10.00am
 Thursday, 19th December - Toy Day and non-uniform for Squirrels
 Thursday, 19th December - School closes @ 2.00pm
 Monday, 6th January – School re-opens @ 8.55am

