



# Kew Woods News

Friday 25th November, 2016



## Uganda Update



We welcomed Joanna who worked with School Council previously on raising funds for a school in Uganda recently. She spoke to the children in assembly explaining how the generous fundraising efforts of the children hadn't just been used on toilets but on a whole new water system. Well done to everyone involved!

## Christmas Fair

Thank you to all of our families who supported the Christmas Fair this week, through sending in donations or attending the event. It was wonderful to hear the lovely comments from grandparent, parents and children who thoroughly enjoyed it. It was a lovely community event and raised funds to enhance the opportunities for our pupils. We are extremely fortunate to have dedicated staff at the school, who stayed and supported at the event. A special thanks to Mrs Wright (School Office) and parents from Friends of Kew Woods for organising and setting up the event. The total raised was £793.



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Please visit our new website  
[www.kewwoodsprimary.co.uk](http://www.kewwoodsprimary.co.uk)

### Diary Dates:

#### December

- 1st Reception Nativity Performance
- 2nd Reception Nativity Performance

#### 2nd After School Clubs finish

- 7th KS1 and KS2 Christmas Carol Concerts

- 12th Year 6 Musical Production

- 13th Christmas Dinner

- 14th Enterprise Day

- 15th Q Factor

16th Term Ends at 1.30pm

#### January

4th Term starts



## Year 5 Workshops

This week Peter Yip, an equality and diversity consultant, delivered workshops to our Year 5 classes. The workshops focused upon negative images, stereotypes and appropriate and inappropriate use of language. They also found out about the range of cultures that make up our society and how everyone has the right to fair treatment. The aim of the workshops is to encourage children to address any preconceptions they may have about other children and support our pupils in becoming responsible members of society. Feedback from both staff and children indicated that the workshops were well received, thought provoking and of benefit. The pupils were thoroughly engaged in the sessions, speaking sensitively and maturely about these themes.

## Christmas Productions

This week letters went home for all of the Christmas Productions that will take place over the next few weeks. These include our Reception Nativity (Whoops a Daisy Angel), Years 1 and 2 Carol Concert (Off to Bethlehem) , KS2 Carol Concert and Year 6 production (High School Musical).

It is essential that requests for tickets are sent in within the deadlines to ensure that requests can be met. Requests for the **Reception Nativity** were due in by **Friday 24th November**. All other requests for productions should be returned by **Friday 2nd December**.

The children are working hard learning songs and parts. In order to minimise disruption we would be grateful if babies and small children were not brought to the performances. Thank you for your co-operation. Entrance to the performances will be via the hall doors at the front of school. We look forward to seeing you at these events and supporting the children. We hope you will enjoy the productions.

## Extra Curricular Learning

Please can Learning Destination Passports be sent into the school Office during the next week if your child has gained any additional credits in them this term. Pupils are allocated ten credits per activity per term as a maximum.

School after school clubs finish on Friday 2nd December.

## Netball:

Our **Development Netball Team** played in their first match of the season against Norwood Primary School. The development team is all about giving the squad a chance to play and prepare them for competitive matches next year. The team lost, however, they kept trying until the end of the match.

**Player of the Match:** **Isabelle Revill** who was positively attacking and defended her player well.

This week, in awful weather conditions, our **A Netball Team** played their second match of the season. They played away at Holy Trinity Primary School. The team worked well together and managed to secure an 11-3 win.

**Player of the Match:** **Zara Lowery** who was always in space and available for a pass.

## Basketball:

The school basketball team participated in tournament at Christ the King Secondary School this week. They won all four of their matches and won the tournament! Everyone played their part in this success. Miss Plummer the PE teacher at CTK School gave **Brad Edmond** a special mention for his dribbling and shooting skills. Well done to all of the team.



### This Week's Class Dojo Winners

Daniel Thomas	RK
Kalem & Lee-James	RW
Lucy Ashton	1K
James Marshall	1W
Harry-James	2K
Lillie	2W
Mia Fox-Johnson	3K
Chloe Ribchester	3W
Scott Hughes	4K
Annabelle Aldwinckle	4W
Matilda	5K
Andrew & Dillon	5W
Tarik Lahoussine	6K
Lexie-Jae	6W