



Eastbury Community Primary all come together for a festive fun filled Winter Fair!



A great time was had by all, in what will become the first of many annual Winter Fairs! The school choir started off the entertainment as they performed their carols. Tasty treats were available to sample in the North Pole Café with homemade cakes, French crepes and hot chocolate! Santa's grotto was a cosy fireside scene with Father Christmas bearing gifts for all the boys and girls that visited him. The elves workshop was a hive of activity with henna, glitter tattoos, bag decorating and snow globe making. We had so much fun!



## Grand Eastbury Parliament

Grand Eastbury Parliament came together with Mr Dickson to discuss the key issues that have been addressed in the school over the year. The students in year 3 discussed how they have raised awareness around recycling with a reduction in the use of plastics and the introduction of reusable plastic bottles. The children in Primary discussed their ideas for improving the playground to make it fun and ensuring it is safe.



## Eastbury Community Carol Concert

All the children in Primary participated in a magical Christmas Carol concert. The children learnt and practised their songs throughout the half term with the very talented Miss Fenn leading them. They had a fantastic time and are extremely proud of themselves.



Thank you to all the parents, family and friends who came out to cheer on their children.

## Spring Term Clubs!

Clubs will resume in the Spring term - week beginning 21st January 2019.

Club letters will be sent out at the beginning of next term. Please return with your first and second choice.

Please choose a different club for your child than last term to allow the children a fair access to the range of activities.



## Sickness and Absence

Attendance has improved across the Primary phase which means that all the children are in school and learning!

**Polite Reminder:** If your child is unwell, please make sure you call the primary office by 9.00am to explain their absence. Leave a message with your child's name, class and reason.



Tel: 0208 507 4611



## Year 1 Christmas Concert – Whoops-a-Daisy Angel



All the children in year 1 took part in a wonderful Christmas play.

There were shepherds, angels, the three Wise Men and of course Mary and Joseph amongst the cast.

The children worked really hard to learn all of their songs and many of the children had spoken parts.



It truly was a wonderful nativity play! Thank you to all the parents who attended this special event.

## Special Thanks - Winter Fair Committee!

A massive thank you to our fabulous Winter Fair Committee for their hard work and dedication towards a very successful event.

Our Winter Fair was a huge success, raising over £1,300. Some of the proceeds will go to Save the Children charity and some will be used to support in the development of our school playground.



It was fantastic to see so many parents joining in and getting involved.

Plans are already underfoot for our next grand event. Roll on Summer!

## Dates For Your Diary

- ❖ Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2018: Last day of term. Please collect your child at 12.00pm.
- ❖ Monday 07<sup>th</sup> January 2019: First day of Spring term. School opens at 8.45am.
- ❖ Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2019: Year 1 Parent Reading Meetings 9.15am
- ❖ Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019: Friday Fun Reading Café – 8.45-9.15am.
- ❖ Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019: Year 2 Trip – Museum of London.
- ❖ Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019: Open afternoon – 2.00-3.00pm.
- ❖ Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2019: Parent Internet Safety Meeting.

## Science Museum: Bringing Learning Alive



Year 3 ended this half term with a BANG!

The children had a brilliant day out in London visiting the Science Museum to end their Science topic where they have been learning all about light and dark.



They watched a show which explained where light came from and got to explore lots of different experiments all about reflection and blocking light. It was a brilliant end to their Science topic.

## Polar Express!

Year 2 have had a brilliant day when they came into school wearing pyjamas as part of their immersion day for their Literacy unit. They completed lots of fun and engaging activities based on the popular Christmas book 'The Polar Express'.



During the afternoon they watched the movie and enjoyed a lovely cup of hot chocolate. Yummy!