



The Forest CE Federation Newsletter

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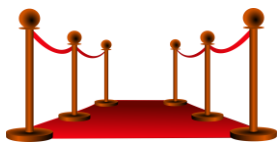
Welcome to the final newsletter of 2015. We have had a busy term with lots of celebrations and events.

The children had a super federation day, where we welcomed 'Dan the pirate' working with KS1 and the new stars dance academy with KS2. All the children had a great day meeting each other and enjoyed various activities.



Dance Academy

New stars holiday club 29th December at Gayton school. See flier for information.



VIP Assemblies

Wow the VIP assemblies have gone down a storm The children love being chosen as VIP's and walking down the red carpet. They are proud to be a VIP and wear their medals with pride. Assembly dates will be notified in the New Year.



Thank You!

Mrs Powell will be leaving Stoke Bruerne in December to take up her new position as Assistant Headteacher at Gayton School. I would like to take this opportunity to thank her for all her hard work and commitment to the school over the past four years. She has played a major role along with all staff in moving Stoke Bruerne School forward to become a successful and thriving school in the heart of the community. She will remain part of the Federation team and will still be visiting all the schools.

We also say thank you and goodbye to Mrs Jorgensen who leaves Tiffield. We wish her all the best for the future.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations

Congratulations to Mr Johnson who has been appointed as Headteacher at Culworth & Boddington Federation. He will be taking up his new post in April 2016. We will keep parents informed of plans for his replacement as soon as possible.

Well Done Mr Johnson.

All the Staff & Governors would like to wish you all a very happy Christmas and a fantastic New Year. We hope you enjoy a safe and relaxing break with family and friends. We will welcome you back in the New Year for another exciting term with lots of fun things already planned.



Welcome

We welcome back Mrs Chambers in January 2016 along with Mrs Herman who following her maternity leave from Tiffield School will be teaching Class One at Stoke Bruerne. We also welcome Mrs Boulton who joins us as Class 1 teacher at Tiffield. We are sure you will make them all welcome.



Funding for the Federation

We are absolutely delighted to inform you that following a grant bid to the DfE we have been successful in securing funding for both Stoke Bruerne & Tiffield Schools. The funding will be used towards building school halls to improve their facilities. This is fantastic news for the schools and the Federation.



Nativities

No Room at the Inn has been sung with gusto in our Churches. Thank you to all our Inn Keepers, Shepherds, Angels, Stars, Mary & Joseph and the cutest cows, sheep and camels who performed and sang brilliantly. Even our live animals at Tiffield behaved. Thank you to all staff who make the shows happen. We hope you all enjoyed the nativities as much as we did.

School Opens

Schools will re-open to pupils on Tuesday 5th January 2016

Reports

Termly reports will be sent home to parents on Thursday 17th December.