



MERRYLANDS
PRIMARY SCHOOL AND NURSERY

Newsletter

08.12.17



On Thursday, the Year 6 football team played their league match against The Willows. The team could not be faulted for their teamwork and passing skills and the game allowed the team to cement their defending skills. The team were exceptional at passing between one another but just weren't able to concede the goals. A particular mention to Toby P who demonstrated excellent goal keeping skills! It was an unlucky result but another great performance as a team. Well done boys - keep up the great work!



Merrylands will be on Heart Radio!

Merrylands Primary School and Nursery Christmas radio jingle will be aired on **Monday 11th December @ 7:30am and 8:30am straight after the news headlines.**

We will have 14 sleeps till Santa!

We were fortunate enough to have Heart Radio visit us to make a recording for their 'Sleeps to Santa... slot'. They wanted to interview some Year 3 children to find out what they wanted for Christmas!

Chad C, Lola F, Annjeanette G, Lilly H, Beau R, Karile S, Erika C, Lilly P-W, Harrison R, Beau S, Martyna T, Ethan W, Joseph C, Isabella C, Tyler L were lucky enough to be chosen at random!



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Shoebbox Appeal

A huge thank you to all those who either donated items, gave money or filled an entire shoebox for our Operation Christmas Child appeal. We created 96 shoeboxes! What a fantastic achievement. There will be a lot of happy children at Christmas time this year. For those of you that attached a bar code to your box, be sure to keep track of it and find out where in the world it gets sent to. *Miss Still.*



Congratulations...

Well done to Lucy Marie H in 6CS whose entry in a Christmas card competition for Argos gained 1st prize! Her winning design will be used on all of the Christmas cards that Argos send to their employees at the Basildon Argos. Congratulations!



Team Points

1st: Yellow

2nd: Blue

3rd: Green

4th: Red



Attendance

KS1 Winning Class: Mrs Pryer 99.33%

KS2 Winning Class: Mrs Phillips 99.23%

Merrylands Primary School and Nursery attendance target for 2017/18:



Stars of the Week

RSA	Koby L	4CC/CCh	Meadow B
RVJ	Nathan P	4JW	Samuel J
1SR	Tallulah H	5MPPr	Jack-James L
1MJ/GP	Daria P	5CF	Faye M
2KT	Tobias G	5MPe	Naomi G
2CL	Harry P	6CS	Chloe S
3SG	Mahbeer C	6SP	Lily W
3DB	Khyiran S	6KG	Lydia C
3KP	Brooke D		



14th and 15th December
15th December

EYFS Christmas Production
Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day

HALF TERM DATES

Last day of term : Wednesday 20th December
Return to school : Thursday 4th January

