Towers Times

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Dear Families,

Christmas Festivities at Towers

Strictly came to Towers this week, with "*Lights, Camel, Action!*" in the Infant School. It was wonderful to welcome families back into school to watch and enjoy the live the Christmas Productions. We had Funky Camels and an Innkeepers' Tango, to name a few of the dances. We would like to say a BIG thank you to all our hard working staff, who made this possible, and to our wonderful children who sang their hearts out and made both parents and staff very proud. Well done!

Our sincere thanks to our friends at the Co- Op, who supplied tea and mince pies for our nursery concert today. Our thanks to the Towers parents that made this possible; it was greatly appreciated. The refreshments were enjoyed by families

We are looking forward to our first ever House Carol Services in the Junior school next week. The children have been busy preparing, and are very excited to see their work, planning and ideas come to fruition. They have chosen charities that they would like to support, and the MPs will also be there to sell Christmas baubles to support their new Social Enterprise venture.

Christmas Jumper, Disco and Dinner Day

Today is Festive Friday, and it has been filled with seasonal magic! The children have been busy little elves participating in dancing, crafting and singing today, and a great day was had by all! A huge thank you to FOTFA for arranging the school discos.

Thank you also to all of you for your kind donations to Great Ormond Street hospital, we raised an impressive £424.93

Last but never least, a huge thank you to our kitchen teams in both schools for preparing the most tasty Christmas dinner for all! There was barely a pea that went astray, so delicious was the feast. They work so hard, they make it look so easy and we are truly grateful to them all.

Lunchboxes

We always seek to promote school dinners at school, especially when the weather is particularly cold. However, a healthy packed lunch is a great alternative. What children eat throughout the day supports their growth and development, and also fuels their ability to learn, concentrate and play. Please click the link for ideas for a healthy lunchbox https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes/ .

Wishing you a wonderful weekend,

Ms L J Blurton and Mrs C Hurley
Head Teachers of Towers Infant and Junior schools

Class	Attendance
Owl	88%
Puffin	90%
Robin	87%
Flamingo	89%
Starling	85%
Wagtail	97%
Goldfinch	92%
Kingfisher	87%
Toucan	92%
3D	82%
3P	95%
3H	94%
4P	91%
4T	90%
4C	94%
5M	88%
5C	91%
5RB	83%
6L	87%
6G	97%
6D	93%

Green 95% and above,
Amber 94.99% and 90%
Red for 90% and below.

Year 2 to 3

For Year 2 children moving into Year 3 in September 2023. You must complete the Havering online applications. The closing date is **15th January 2023.** Thank you!

Earrings:

A polite reminder once more that for the safety of our children, earrings are not allowed in either school. Please ensure that all earrings are removed prior to coming into school. Thank you.

Trainers:

Trainers should only be worn to school on PE days. On all other days, school shoes must be worn. If you are in doubt, please do ask. Thank you.