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Long Lawford News...

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Today we have supported Children in Need by holding a come to school in pyjamas day. Days such as today remind me of the caring community we have at Long Lawford Primary School. Not only has the day been great fun we have supported a very worthy cause. Thank you to Miss Monaghan and Miss Manning for organising the day with the school council. I would also like to highlight and thank Ellie Boswell in year 6 who baked and sold cakes today for Children in Need, raising over £100. We have also had a terrific response to our Christmas Shoebox appeal with 70 shoeboxes. Please note boxes are now being collected Tuesday morning, so can still be brought into school on Monday. A big thank you to parents and carers for supporting these worthy causes.

Christmas Dinner - A reminder that all orders and monies for the Christmas dinner (on Wednesday, 14th December 2016) should be sent into school by next Wednesday 23rd November 2016. Thank you

After Dark - Yesterday we held our first 'After Dark' event to promote children's reading. As part of the event children (and their parents) moved around the school to listen to Philip Pullman's spooky tale entitled Clockwork. The feedback we had has been extremely positive and I am grateful to staff for giving up their time to put this event on. Particular thanks to Miss Curle, our English team lead, for organising the event.

Bedtime Story - Next Thursday November 24th 2016 Bedtime Story will return for children in Foundation stage and KS 1. The event runs from 5:30pm until 6:30pm and costs £1.50 per child.

INSET day - Please note that the school will be closed on Tuesday 3rd January 2017 for a teacher training day on reading. School will reopen for pupils on Wednesday 4th January 2017 at the usual time.

Family phonics - A reminder that next Thursday 24th November 2016 will be the last session of Family phonics this term.

Communications - Please check our school app, newsletter and website for school updates and news. Phoning the school should only be used as a last resort. Thank you

Leaving - Mrs Craddick will be leaving the school at the end of this term for personal reasons. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Craddick for all she has done for the children during her time at the school. I hope to be in a position to give news on her replacement shortly.

Artist in school - I am pleased to announce that artist Darrell Wakelam is returning to work with children in school on Monday 5th December 2016. The theme for Darrell's work will be the famous children's author Roald Dahl. For more details please go to darrellwakelam.co.uk/index.php?page=intro

Rugby Hall of Fame - Tomorrow the Rugby Hall of Fame opens to the public. Admission is free and the exhibition promises to be of interest to all the family. For more details please go to worldrugby.org/halloffame/

STARS OF THE WEEK

Star Workers: Caitlin Mayfield, Riley Clarke, Jenson Felton, Zac Sanders, Elise Baumann, Obi Azogu, Cyan Jones, Seth Butler, Natalia Duszynska, Alexander Itrych, Nicola Hubar, Olivia Ouattara, Derek Nyaho, Freddie Ouattara, Laura Brand, Cerys Jones, Madison Walker, Kacey Cable

Star People: Arabella Winton, Max Hale, Ruby Griffiths, Meghynn Dennis, Karl Lipski, Grace Guest, Sophia Jones, Mia Hammersley, Miles Brittain, Kaylan Weston, Ieuan Cole-Wilde, Max Jankowski, Ollie Jones, Riley Gibson, Gabriella Brownhill, Hannah-Mai Abbott, Ellie Boswell, Mia Goodwin



WELL DONE to them all!