

Weekly Update: 15.12.23

What a busy couple of weeks the Meadowers have had!!! Our pupils have been involved in singing, dancing, acting and many more exciting things. I have asked some of our pupils to tell you about some of these activities in their own words.

EDC Christmas Carol Concert

On Monday 4th December, eleven P7 pupils performed at the Royal Concert Hall along with pupils from all EDC primary schools and the EDC orchestra. What a night!!!!

We got a coach to the Royal Concert Hall and rehearsed for 3hours 30mins!!!! Then we met with Mrs Donnelly, Mrs Gardiner and Miss Roddick and we all went to Dimaggio's. We had pizza, pasta and burgers and a dessert each. It was amazing!! Then we changed into our uniforms and took our seats in the choir stalls. It was so exciting singing with a real orchestra and it was a really lovely night.

Panto

On Wednesday 6th December the panto came to the Meadow! Jack and Julia from P6b last week's visit from Hopscotch Theatre. Last Wednesday the whole school had the opportunity to see the pantomime 'Cinderella'. We really enjoyed the pantomime, there was lots of singing, dancing, shouting out and laughing. We particularly liked the two spoilt sisters who gave us a good laugh because they did really funny things when they were experiencing different emotions. We would like to thank the PTA for organising this every year as it really gets us into the Christmas spirit.

Christmas Experience

Harry and Anna from P5 shared their experience of the visit

This week P4 and P5 visited Lenzie Union Church for the Christmas Experience. People acted out different parts of the Christmas story for us. We started out at a window which showed an angel telling Mary and Joseph to call their baby Jesus. Then we went round and saw the shepherds, the three wise men, the innkeeper and many more people from the Christmas story. At the end we saw an old lady and an old man waiting in a church to meet God's son, Jesus. We enjoyed when the three wise men were following the star to where Jesus was born because when they were making a decision to go, one of them said he had Strictly Come Dancing Tickets but decided to find Jesus anyway. We thought that was funny. Thank you very much to the helpers who came along on the visits.

Nativity Performances

This week P2 and P3 performed the nativity "Prickly Hay." A big thank you to the staff for all the hard work and preparation, to the parents and grandparents for being a fabulous audience and especially to our very talented pupils! They were superstars!

P1 Sing-a-long

This morning our three P1 classes entertained their parents with some festive tunes!! What a lovely way to start a Friday! Thanks must go to the P1 staff for organising this super event.

Christmas Parties

What a buzz there was in the school this afternoon with all the parties going on. P7 enjoyed their whole stage party in the hall (especially the pizza)! It was lovely seeing all the suits and sparkly outfits. Some children were fortunate enough to meet Santa!

Thanks to the PTA for all their help.

Please remember that the school closes at 2.30pm on Friday 22nd Dec.

Personally, I would like to thank the staff, parents and children for all their support this term and I hope you all have a wonderful break.

Lorraine

Dates for your diary

Term 2

Monday 18th December – School Christmas Assembly (children only)

Wednesday 20th December – Santa on a Bike

Friday 22nd December – School closes for Christmas holiday at 2.30pm

Term 3

15th January - Parent council meeting

16th January - PTA meeting

Week beginning 22nd January - Scottish Afternoon – P4-7 (dates to be confirmed)

29th January - P4a assembly (1.45pm) International Epilepsy Day

31st January – P6 trip to New Lanark

12/13th - February holidays

14th February - In-service day

19th February - P3b assembly (1.45pm) Mother Language Day

19th February - Parent Council meeting

26th February - P7 group 1 to Barcaple

7th March - World Book Day

4th March - P7 group 2 to Barcaple

11th March - P5a assembly (9.30am) and P4b assembly (1.45pm) Ramadan

14th March - Online Parents Night

18th March - P6c assembly (9.30am) and all P1s (1.45pm - stay and play) World Water Day

19th and 20th March – In-person Parents Night

28th March - School closes for Spring Holiday at 2.30pm

Term 4

22nd April - P2b assembly (1.45pm) Passover

22nd April - Parent Council meeting

29th April - P6a assembly (9.30am) Deaf Awareness Week

2nd May - In-service day

6th May - Holiday

15th May - PTA (AGM)

20th May - Walk to school week

30th May - P1-4 (am) and P5-P7 (pm) Sports Day

24th & 27th May - Holiday

3rd June - All P1s (1.45pm – stay and play) World Environment Day

3rd June - Parent Council meeting

6th June - Family Fun Night

21st June – All P7's Leavers Assembly (1.30pm)

26th June – School closes for Summer holiday at 1pm