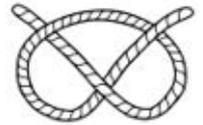




# MANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Autumn Term Newsletter



*Fighting the Fires of our future*

### Merry Christmas to All!

Simon Robson  
Headteacher

Autumn Term  
Issue 7

09.12.16.

MANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL  
Autumn Term Newsletter

We are well and truly into the Christmas season here at school and the children are entering into the spirit as the excitement builds. The month of December started with the fabulous **Christmas Fayre** raising money for your children and the computers they use in school. The fabulous food, games, stalls, raffle, craft and of course the visit of Santa who took time out of his busy schedule to give the visiting children a magical experience in his grotto, all made for a great event. The wonderful PTA have asked that all who donated time, skills and tombola prizes and those who came and spent their money be thanked for their support. A total of £923 was raised on the night.

The same evening we had three Penguins pupils who took part in the unified voices of the **Trust Choir** singing in harmony with pupils from each of the other Trust primary schools at St Editha's Church in Tamworth for the Cooperative Society Carol Service. From the reports I had they were brilliant and represented our school superbly. Well done!

Behaviour was also superb as usual on **visits** when we took Robins to Ash End Farm and the other three classes to George's Marvellous Medicine in Birmingham last week. The children had a fabulous time and it made a nice change from pantomime this year.

On Monday this week the **Uke Stars** made a guest appearance at Asda in Tamworth, performing for customers and helping to raise some money for Asda's chosen charity as well as raising the festive spirits of passers-by.

**Robins' nativity** play was a hit when they performed it on Thursday this week. The children sang and acted beautifully in front of a packed house in the school hall. Swans will be performing their play in school next week.

These are just some of the things that have been organised by staff over the last week or so. It is a hectic and busy time but it is a privilege to work with your children in school at such a magical time of year. From all at Manor we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Manor Primary  
School  
Drayton Lane  
Drayton Bassett  
Tamworth

B78 3TX  
Tel - 01827  
475200

<http://www.manor.staffs.sch.uk/>

e-mail  
headteacher@manor  
.staffs.sch.uk



### Dates for your diary

Tuesday December 13 <sup>th</sup>	Y5/6 small schools' indoor athletics at Amington
Wednesday December 14 <sup>th</sup>	2pm Swans Christmas play in school hall* please note change of venue
Thursday December 15 <sup>th</sup>	Pm - Christmas Parties
Friday December 16 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Jumper Day - £1 for Save the Children 2pm Carol Service in church Break up for Christmas 6.30-8pm - PTA Christmas Disco in school
Tuesday January 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Back to school
Wednesday January 11 <sup>th</sup>	Trust Spelling Day - come dressed in black and yellow as 'Spelling Bees'
Friday January 13 <sup>th</sup>	Tri-Golf workshops for Swans, Owls and Penguins - pro from the Belfry
Thursday January 19 <sup>th</sup>	6pm - Tame Valley Cooperative Learning Trust AGM at Longwood Primary
Tuesday February 7 <sup>th</sup>	Internet Safety Day
Wednesday February 8 <sup>th</sup> and 15 <sup>th</sup>	KS2 volleyball pm
Thursday February 16 <sup>th</sup>	Trust Spelling Bee finals at Stoneydelph
Friday February 17 <sup>th</sup>	PTA Valentine Disco in Village Club Break up for half term holiday
Monday February 27 <sup>th</sup>	Back to school