

Belton C of E Primary School

# Newsletter 14

Autumn Term

7<sup>th</sup> December 2018

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On Tuesday the Lions led our assembly in church. They had been working hard with their lines and songs. It was a brilliant event and definitely put a smile on all of our faces!

## Jump2it!

On Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> December Miss North took her dance club to Cedars Academy to see a performance created by students at Leicester College.

This was a fantastic opportunity for our children who will themselves be performing at Loughborough Town Hall Jump2it! dance festival in March next year.



Thank you to everyone who supported Belton School's Christmas Tree at the St Botolph's Church, Shepshed Christmas Tree Festival

We were awarded Highly commended and the certificate will be presented next Wednesday in assembly.

The tree is now lighting up our school foyer, so make sure you pop in and have a look at the 100 beautiful decorations, one made by each child in the school!

## What a Great Evening we had Reading Christmas Bedtime Stories!

On Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> December our children, their siblings and parents and carers came back to school in their PJs and onesies and enjoyed a marshmallowy hot chocolate and then snuggled down to hear a bedtime story!

Miss North tweeted about the bedtime stories event and it was retweeted by Tom Fletcher, author of *The Christmasaurus!*

Thank you Mrs Peczek, Mrs Jones, Miss Snowdon and Miss North.



## Advent Service at Leicester Cathedral

On Thursday Miss King and Mrs Chamberlain took 21 children to take part in an Advent service at Leicester Cathedral. Mrs Trounson from Diosing had chosen the 21 KS2 children to sing as part of the service which had the theme of 'home' and was attended by 20 other church schools in Leicestershire. It was an honour to be asked and to be part of Mrs Trounson's special choir.

On Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December we welcomed eight parents and carers to our final Stay and Play session this term. We read the book Stick Man and then we found a letter addressed to the Tigers saying that the Stick Man had lost his wife and children and needed some help finding them. By comparing different lengths of stick we worked out which was Stick Lady Love and the Stick Three children!



## SHEPHERD'S DELIGHT

Performances of the Tigers' and Owls' Christmas play will be held on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 2.15pm and 6.30pm and on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 6.30pm. **Entry is by ticket only** – If you have any tickets you don't require, please drop them back to the school office. Thank you! There are tickets remaining for the Tuesday afternoon performance so if you would like extra tickets please ask at the school office.

## Cross Country News

On Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December three of our children took part in the third and final cross country race of the year at Prestwold Hall. Everyone ran well. Well done to Ruben, Cara and Dylan.



## Christingle Candle

Please return your filled candle to school before the end of next week or take it to the Christingle Service in Belton church on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 3.30pm.

All money raised goes to the Children's Society. The money collected will mean children who need care, security and support can look forward to Christmas for the very first time.

[Christingle.org](http://Christingle.org)

## Annual Diosing Christmas Carol Concert

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>  
December

6.30pm  
Belton Church

Family and friends are very welcome to join us in church for this lovely Christmas service.

All Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 children need to be at church in their school uniform from 6pm.

Mulled wine and mince pies will be served after the service.

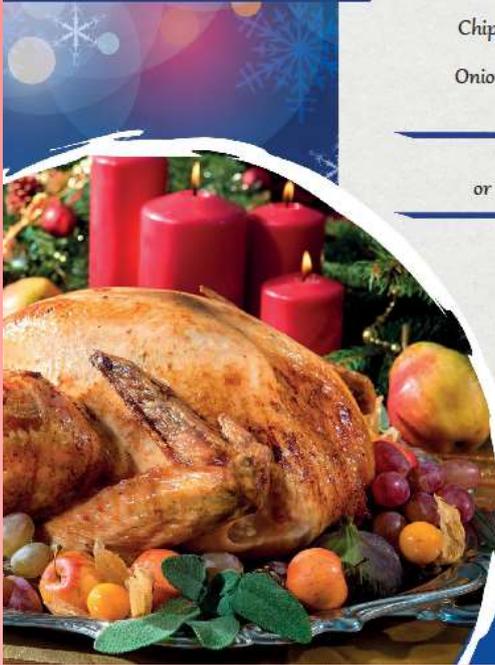


## Beauty and the Beast

On Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December we are taking all our children to see Beauty and The Beast at Loughborough Town Hall. We will be attending the afternoon performance and are traveling by coach. We plan to be back at school around 5pm and will text you if there are any changes to this. We are very grateful to FOBS who are paying for us to go to the pantomime. Thank you for this. The children won't need any money for the trip as ice lollies for all the children are pre-booked!

# Merry Christmas

## FESTIVE LUNCH



Traditional Roast Turkey  
Chipolata, Bacon Roll, Sage &  
Onion Stuffing & Roast Gravy

or Festive Vegetarian Loaf

Oven roasted potatoes, Fresh

Creamed Potatoes

Carrot batons, peas and

Brussel sprouts

Seasonal Plum Pudding

Vanilla or Custard Sauce

or Christmas Cookie

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## Christmas Festive Lunch Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December

### Tigers and Owls

This is free for the Tigers and Owls. Please let the office know if your child would rather bring a packed lunch.

### Lions and Sea Otters

This will be ordered for all children who normally have a school lunch.

If your child usually brings a packed lunch but would like to have the Festive Lunch, please put £2.20 in a named envelope for the school office.



**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup>  
December  
is  
Wear Your  
Own Clothes  
or Christmas  
Jumper  
Day in school!**



## School Christmas Disco Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December

Tigers and Owls 3.15pm – 4.15pm

Bears and Sea Otters 4.30pm – 5.30pm

Tickets (£3 per child) are available from the school office.

Entry by ticket only, available from the school office from Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December.

### FOBS Christmas Raffle

Please return all money, stubs and unsold raffle tickets to the school office by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December. The draw will take place outside the front of school (in the hall if it's wet) at 8.45am on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December. There are still a few books of raffle tickets left so please ask at the school office if you'd like any more. There are some amazing prizes!