



Paces School for Conductive Education.

December 2019

As always at this time of year, school has been very busy, and the children have done lots of exciting things. Here are a few snippets of some of the wonderful things the children have been doing.

The children and staff have worked extremely hard to put together some fantastic Christmas concerts. We definitely have some budding stars in our midst!



A big thank you to the members of the PTA who organised a fantastic Craft fayre at St Mary's Church in November. It was lovely to see members of the community as well as our own school community supporting Paces. The highlight of the afternoon has to be a very early visit from Santa himself.



Huge thanks to our fantastic Family Services Team who this half term organised a Spooktacular Halloween Party and a very festive Christmas Party. It's lovely to see Paces families all having fun together. We can't wait for the next one!





At the beginning of this half term the whole school enjoyed a visit to Eureka in Halifax. This was a super opportunity for the Windsor, Wentworth and Balmoral classes to explore activities supporting their Science topic 'The Human Body'. For the Hardwick and Durham class it was a great link to their topic of 'Sound' in Science.



The Windsor class had a lovely visit to Birdwell theatre. Thank you to Jack Mitchell who generously paid for his classmate's theatre tickets using the profits from his business enterprise.



As an end of term treat the whole school plus some children from our Outreach provision watched the Pantomime 'Santa Claus and The Mischievous Elf', everyone really got into the Pantomime spirit.



I very much hope you are enjoying our new school website which we are working hard to keep up to date. Do keep checking the class pages for regular updates with what the children in each class are learning about.



Check out our **NEW WEBSITE!**





This week we were very lucky to have a visit from Sheffield United. Some of the first team players and academy players gave each of the children a Christmas present, what a treat!!!



The Whole school worked together to make Hungarian themed Christmas tree decorations. The Balmoral class visited High Green Methodist Church to decorate a tree as part of their Christmas tree festival.



At Paces we have made the most of the opportunity to support others this half term. Thank you to those who have sent in money for the Poppy Appeal, Children in Need, the Adult Services coffee morning and Christmas Jumper Day. These events are also a good excuse for us to have lots of fun. Special thanks for those staff and pupils who have helped with the organisation.





The Wentworth class went carol singing at Aaron View Care Home. Both the children and the residents had a wonderful time!



Each class has had the opportunity to go on a Christmas themed visit. Balmoral and Wentworth enjoyed a trip to the Christmas Markets. Hardwick and Durham had the opportunity to visit the big man himself at Meadowhall.



Future 2020 dates for your diary

Please check our school website for additional dates throughout the next term.

6th January: Staff Training Day

7th January: Children return to school

14th February: Last day of term

24th February: Children return to school

20th March: World Book Day

March Date TBC: CE Awareness Week



We say a fond farewell to Janka who has been a fantastic part of the Paces team for the past year. We look forward to welcoming the newest member of the Hardwick class in the new year, Petar Tica who will be a huge asset to our school.

On behalf of all the staff at Paces, I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Peaceful New Year.
Ruth Liu - Headteacher