



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 25th November 2016

Y4 Floating Classroom Trip

This week, Year 4 went aboard the 'Floating Classroom' on the canal, to extend their learning in Science. They learnt about how electricity is made using the electrons on atoms, how the barge works (it has 72 batteries!), static electricity, saw St John's Wood power station and made nightlights with a simple circuit including a switch. It was a really fantastic learning experience.



Dates for the term

5th—9th December - Book Fair
9th December—Christmas Fair
11th December—Christingle Service at St Mary's church, including St Mary's school choir, followed by Christmas tree sale in school playground.



Advance Warning:

School finishes on 21st December at 1.15 and restarts on Wednesday 4th January
Please make sure your holidays match ours—thank you

Winter Windows—Leicester Square

We are delighted that 4 of our children have won the chance for their artwork to be displayed as a large illumination in Leicester Square. Their windows are part of a Westminster-wide competition. If you get the chance—please do go and look at their work.



Birthdays

Please can we remind parents that if you particularly want to bring in something to celebrate your child's birthday it should be PLAIN CUPCAKES or FRUIT only. We have several children in school with allergies, and we don't want to make them unwell. We are also trying to encourage children to make the healthiest possible choices! Thank you.

Christmas Update from The Friends

- Don't miss your chance - Christmas Tree Orders close **29th Nov 16**, order before school next Mon/Tue 28th/29th
- Christmas Fair is on **9th Dec**, only 2 weeks away - we're still in need of toys, books and volunteers.
- Please show your support and help raise the final funds for the exciting school library project.

Next week, we will be starting to celebrate Advent. Our focus will be on how Mary and Joseph showed love in the Nativity story, and we will be asking the children how their parents show love to them. I know they will have a lot to tell me ♥
Wishing you all a lovely weekend—
Emily Norman, Headteacher

