



# Hazlehurst Community Primary School

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## Newsletter Number 9

Dear Parent,

Our Christmas Concerts were great events. The children entertained us with tremendous enthusiasm and their singing, acting and dancing was brilliant! Thanks to the audience for supporting our concert raffles, which made £605 for school funds. We are also very grateful for your kind donations to our Christmas charities; we collected £200 for the British Red Cross at the Y5&6 concert and today's Christmas Jumper Day has raised £160 for the work of Raleigh International, which promotes sustainable development in some of the world's poorest countries. Well done!



Thanks to all the children in the school band who gave a great performance in Bury Market last week. The band is performing on Sunday at 12.00 noon in St Paul's Church Gardens, Ramsbottom, as part of the Ramsbottom Christmas Market celebrations. Our young musicians will give their final Christmas flourish at 1.45 pm on Monday afternoon when they are performing in Bury Town Centre, on the Rock, outside Debenhams. All Welcome!

### Christmas Party Dates Reminder

- Infants Monday 19 December
- Y3/4 & Y5/6 Tuesday morning / afternoon 20 December

Children can wear their own clothes on the day of their party. We are hoping that Father Christmas will be able to visit the infants at their party if he is not too busy in his workshop! Please send a donation of £1 per child to cover the party expenses (food, drink, prizes, balloons etc). Thank you!



Congratulations to the children in Durham house for winning this term's House Competition. The prize for winning is **an extra Non-Uniform Day for the children in Durham house only, on the last day of term – Wednesday 21 December**. Well done!

It has been an excellent term. The children have worked hard and the vast majority are making very good progress and behaving brilliantly. The school's Golden Book is bursting with positive comments from the teachers, who have been delighted to see the children showing such enthusiasm and wanting to do well. I would like to thank our staff for all their hard work this term; not only for preparing interesting lessons for the children, but also for running many popular after-school clubs and for organising our Christmas concerts and festivities.

May I remind you that school closes early at **3.00 pm** on Wednesday 21 December. 'Hazles' will be open as usual (no extra charge). School will re-open at 9.00 am on Monday 9 January 2017.

Yours sincerely,

*M Golding*

Mr M Golding  
Headteacher

