



**West Cliff  
Primary School  
Newsletter  
07.12.17**



### Celebration Assembly

Please join us in the hall on Monday morning at 9.10 to see your child receive their certificate ☺

Puffins -	Harvey Lamerton
Starfish -	Poppy Devonport
Turtles -	Rosie Horton
Penguins -	Taylor Locker
Seahorses -	Jesse Harland
Dolphins -	Skye Buckley
Seals -	Grace Frankland

### Ocean Fun Club

**Activities next week are:**

Monday -	Christmas Fun
Tuesday -	Christmas Fun
Wednesday -	Christmas Fun
Thursday -	Christmas Fun
Friday -	Christmas Fun

### Attendance

As you know, we expect children to have attendance of at least 96% over the school year. These are the attendance figures for last week.

Puffins -	80.9%
Starfish -	91.8%
Turtles -	82.8%
Penguin -	83.3 %
Seahorses -	92.5 %
Dolphins -	94.3 %
Seals -	85.8%

Our whole school attendance for last week was 86.9 %

### Christmas Dates!

- Christmas Fair - 15<sup>th</sup> December PM
- Carol concert - 22<sup>nd</sup> December at 9.30
- School Closes at 2.30 - 22<sup>nd</sup> December

You have had a letter with choir dates and Christmas party dates on - ask Mrs Grady if you have not seen it!

### Absences

If your child is absent from school, please phone the office before 9.30 to inform school of the reason why.

### Christmas Dinner- Reminder

Christmas dinner is on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December, a letter went out on Monday. Please return these TODAY so the cook can order the turkey! **Key Stage 1 children will automatically be counted for Christmas dinner!**

### Early Closure

School will be closing at 2.30 on the last day of term. Please let the office know if you need childcare after this time.

### Teacher Training Day

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January is a teacher training day - children return on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January.

### Academy Update!

We are almost there! We should convert to becoming an academy on February 1<sup>st</sup>. If you have any questions about this then please ask Tom Cooper (our chair of governors) or me.

### Countdown To Christmas

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our performances yesterday. A huge thank you to all the staff and children who worked very hard to put on such a magical performance!

### Unicorn Bake

Reminder cake sale after school Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December in the diner. Please support to raise money for the unicorn friendship bench.

Christina Zanelli  
Headteacher