



# Pilgrims' Way Newsletter

Thursday 15th December 2022 Term 2

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Dear Parents and Carers

As we end this extremely busy term, I reflect on all the amazing learning opportunities our children have experienced. We have so much to be proud of and to celebrate, whether we invite visitors into school to enhance the children's learning or going out into the community to gain first-hand experiences which give children 'real things' to talk about or share in their writing. The children's behaviour and positive attitude to their learning is wonderful to see, and is frequently commented on by visitors.

Did you attend one of the nativity performances this week? Wow, the children were incredible! My thanks to you all who joined us, we were all amazed by the confidence (and superb singing) of our youngest children. Thank you for helping your children rehearse and practice. They were all amazing.

We have also celebrated the commitment and achievement of our two football teams this term, playing home and away matches, where the children upheld all our school values and made us all proud of their determination, teamwork and brilliant role models of exceptional gamesmanship; even when the score wasn't exactly what they had hoped for!

My heart-felt thanks to all the staff at Pilgrims' Way who work so hard to make our curriculum irresistible for all our pupils. And my thanks to you all for your support whether this is in our Parent Forum, Coffee mornings or when you visit classrooms.

As we finish this term, the children have had a fantastic week with Christmas lunch, parties and singing carols. We are all very excited about our Whole School trip to The Malthouse Theatre tomorrow to see Cinderella.

I wish you all a very Happy Christmas. See you on Tuesday 3 January 2023.

Miss AM Middleton

## **Canterbury Food Bank**

Would a food parcel help you make ends meet or relieve some of the financial pressure?

Please click the link below for more Information.

<https://canterburyfoodbank.org/need-food/>



Mrs Webb would like to say a huge Well Done! to the children in the choir who joined with children from schools in Canterbury on Monday evening and performed in the Colyer-Fergusson Hall at the Gulbenkian Theatre.



They sang beautifully and were a credit to the school with their enthusiasm and excellent behaviour throughout.

Thank you too, to all the parents who attended.

**Wishing all of our parents, carers and children a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from all the staff at Pilgrims' Way. See you all on Tuesday 3rd January 2023.**





The School Council have been working very hard to introduce recycling across the school by getting every class and office a brand-new recycling bin.

We are aiming for Pilgrims' Way to be ZERO WASTE!.

Our next job is the composting of break time fruit.

## YOUNG CARERS' WINTER PARTY

Last Friday our Young Carers' had a party to celebrate the end of term with lots of fun, party games, hot chocolate and nibbles.

We wish them all a Happy Winter break.

If you think your child is a young carer please see Helen, our FLO.