



20th December 2024

## This week's adventures.

Celebration assembly on Monday was super - KSI told us all about Keighley and Kenya, LKS2 all about Manchester, Mexico and Monaco and UKS2 about Bradford, Brussels and Brasilia. It is wonderful to hear all the knowledge children have about geographical aspects of the world. We sang our 'Steeton Songs' for this term too: Stand By Me and I'd Like To Teach The World To Sing.

It has been a busy week. St Stephen's Church visit was a huge success - Sally the Vicar told the nativity story in an interactive way and children lit the advent candles in church. The key message was to share: hope, peace, joy and love. Mrs Waring took the choir to Airedale hospital on Tuesday and to Raikes Care Home on Wednesday. The choir really have done us proud this year at many different events. Well done to you all!

Christmas lunch was delicious on Wednesday! Thank you to the lunchtime staff who all went above and beyond to make it special for the children.

The Dogs' Trust came to talk to Y3&4 on Thursday. The children learnt all about how to behave around dogs; especially those that aren't familiar to us.

EYFS were treated to a special Christmas party from Grace's mum - huge thanks to her. There was lots of singing and dancing and generally enjoying themselves! It was Christmas overload today - our traditional, 'Carols Around the Tree' in the morning set the tone for Christmas parties this afternoon. The children especially love 12 Days of Christmas with special performances from the staff! It has been a fabulous first term of the year. As ever, we could not achieve the things we do without your support. It is a while since Steeton has had a PTA but on Wednesday 15th January at 7pm there is a meeting in the Woodlands for any parents and carers who would like to become more involved in the life of our school.







We would like to wish all of our families peace, happiness, and togetherness this holiday time. We recognise that not everyone will be celebrating or finding this time of year easy, and it can be a time for reflection and contemplation as well.

Whatever your traditions, beliefs, or experiences, we hope this season brings moments of rest and comfort to you and your loved ones.







## Steeton Superstars

These children have been particularly wonderful in some way this week:

Zahra Abbas

Binyamin Deen

Dylan Brannan

Alex Wilkiewicz

Harrison Palin

Arthur Longden

Edi Gray

Elliot Robson

Elder choir girls- Esmae, Aisha, Emilia, Kaleo and Daphne

Muhammad Hashim Khan

Dates for the diary...

10/01/25 - Music performance for the whole school PM

17/01/25 - EYFS Forest School

22/01/25-24/01/25- SCARF Workshops

29/01/25 - KSI Trip to Tropical World

School re-opens on Monday 6th January.









