# NEWSLETTER

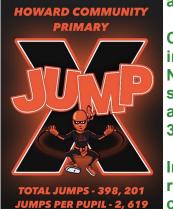
9th December 2022

# **A Message From Staff**

The buzz in school from the parent workshops this week has been wonderful. Fox class had their art workshop and we welcomed Key Stage 1 families, working with

Realise Futures, for a cooking workshop. As I write, Otter class are looking foreword to sharing their learning this term with parents on Friday

afternoon.



Our whole school took part in the Jump X challenge in November with other schools across the country and we are proud of our 398,201 jumps!

In addition, we have been busy rehearsing for our Christmas carol concert, which involves all classes and Hedgehog performing their nativity play.

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**Community Academy** 

Please remember to book your space with the office as we have a limited number of seats at each performance. Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. On Wednesday next week, it will be our Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day. Please do not feel like you need to have a shop bought Christmas jumper—a jumper decorated with some tinsel or baubles is just fabulous! Each class will be having a class Christmas party at some point at the end of next week. Your child does not need to bring

#### **Next week at Howard Community Academy:-**

**Monday 12th December – Sleeping Beauty pantomime in school** 

Tuesday 13th December at 1pm and Thursday 15th December at 9.30am- Christmas Carol Concert

**Headte**ac

I am pleased to announced the following pupils have received a Headteacher Award. Congratulations to each pupil on their achievement.

Headteacher
Awards

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# Looking for a good read?



The Day the Crayons Quit

Drew Daywalt



The Worst Witch
Jill Murphy



Kensuke's Kingdom Michael Morpurgo

#### **Dates for your diary**

16th December 2022– Last day of term

4th January 2023 Teacher professional training day

5th January 2023 School reopens for children

### Stars of the

#### Week

Mrs Ashdown for her enthusiasm.

### Attendance and wrap around care

This week 91.1% of our children attended school. It has been lovely to see you all. Do let us know if we can help in any way.

We are currently advertising for after school club staff as we look to provide some after school club provision. Watch this space!

#### **Breakfast Club**

Our breakfast club offers the opportunity to start the day well and ensure your child is ready to learn. It is open to all and paid places run from 7.45am. If your

child is entitled to pupil premium funding, they are able to access a funded place from 8.15am. All we ask is that you book in advance so that we can ensure we have the correct staffing ratios in place. Book online via parentmail or contact the school office



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#### **How to Contact Us**

If you need help with advice on how to get online, resources to help your child learn at home or any other support we are here to help. Please speak to a member of staff or phone the school office on 01284 766278.

Class teachers can be contacted via class emails e.g. otter@howardprimary.org for Otter class,

## **Howard is fabulous!**

Keep up to date with news about our learning in school, events and activities as they happen, and some useful links for activities to complete at home, by following us on our social media pages:

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