



Newsletter dated : 13th December 2016



OXFORD HOUSE SCHOOL



Dates for your diary:

•5th January 2017
(Thursday) Spring
Term commences.

*We wish you a very Merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year, from Mrs Leyshon and all
the staff at Oxford House.*

Carol Service

Forms I - VI were spectacular on Sunday at our annual Carol Service. The dedication and practise the children put into this event is inspiring and truly reflects upon the importance of the original Christmas message.



Our Early Years Nativity Production was a huge success and warmly welcomed by parents and grandparents. It was wonderful to share in the Christmas spirit and to join together afterwards for a drink and mince pie!

Well done all.



On Wednesday our Reception Children walked to our local post box to post their letters to the North Pole for Father Christmas. Each child made a wish as they posted their special delivery.



'Voice of the Parent' Food Survey November 2016



- There were 31 responses to the parent survey undertaken in November.
- 78% of parents surveyed wanted fish on the menu & 42% of parents surveyed wanted meat on the menu. Fish will be introduced as a trial - there will of course be an alternative available. There are no plans at present to introduce meat.
- 70% of parents surveyed felt that the food had improved following the last Voice of the Parent Survey.
- 74% of parents surveyed are not unhappy with the current menu; we will of course be reviewing our menus based on this feedback for the Spring Term.

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO TOOK THE TIME TO RESPOND, GAVE
CONSTRUCTIVE COMMENTS, SUGGESTIONS AND GENERAL FEEDBACK.



Thomas Franks



As a school we are very aware parking is a consistent struggle. We stagger the arrival and leaving times of the pupils to reflect this and ease congestion. Please may we ask all parents collecting pupils are courteous to our local residents and each other. If you have dropped your child/children off please try not to linger in a valuable car parking space.

On Thursday we had our Christmas lunch; Christmas crackers and music accompanied the lunch and all pupils thoroughly enjoyed the occasion. Thank you to our catering staff Mrs O'Shaughnessy and Miss Linsell, and Mr Matt Steadman (Thomas Franks area manager) who joined in the food preparations.

A gentle reminder - If you are interested in registering a place for a younger sibling it is crucial you make contact with Mrs Harding and the school as soon as conveniently possible. Our places are limited and fill up very swiftly. We have a number of pupils currently on our waiting list throughout the school.

Yesterday our younger pupils had an unexpected visit from Father Christmas! All the children received a special gift. The day was filled with Christmas fun, parties, cheer and laughter.



Thank You!

An appreciative cheer to Mrs Page for her contributions towards our Christmas festivities this year.

