



Bladon Buzz

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A note from the headteacher

Welcome back to 2018. I hope that you had a lovely Christmas break. The children have definitely come back into school with a renewed vigour and readiness to learn.

Our new term began with an assembly about making resolutions and how we can use our new value of perseverance to achieve our goals. The children decided that Bladon's definition of perseverance was 'Not giving up'. We're really looking forward seeing the children display the new value in all that they do.

If you have any questions or queries concerning the school or your child/children, please do not hesitate to speak to your child's teacher or contact me at school. Alternatively, you can email me at head.3146@bladon.oxon.sch.uk

On Friday last week we went to watch Jack and the Beanstalk at The Oxford Playhouse. The day began with 96 children and their teachers getting ready to leave the school at 9.15 to catch the coach to the theatre. Once on the coach, excited chatter filled the air as the children shared what they thought they might see. Upon arrival at the theatre, they were taken to their allocated seats and feelings of excitement grew as they waited for the performance to begin. Suddenly with a flash of smoke, a hush of silence fell over the theatre as the Fairy God Mother appeared and the performance began. All the children joined in wholeheartedly with the actors as they asked for help with cheering and it was not long before part one was over. With energy levels flagging the children had their refreshments of a biscuit and drink and were soon ready to join in for part two, where we saw Jack overcome the problem and as in all good fairy tales everyone living happily ever after. We had a fabulous time at the theatre. The children behaved impeccably as always; we can't wait until next year to visit again.



FOBS for raising the funds for the all of us to go to the pantomime. We had a wonderful time.

As I am sure you have heard our new catering contract with The School Lunch Company began this term. We would like to welcome the team in the kitchen to Bladon. The feedback from the children has been very positive, with many of them telling me that the food is 'amazing'.

Working alongside the kitchen, our school Sports Ambassadors will be setting up a Tuck Shop on Friday mornings. They will be selling freshly baked cookies and flapjacks as well as fruit at a cost of 30p per item. Children will be encouraged to bring in 30p (cash) each Friday to purchase a snack at the Tuck Shop.

Behaviour and Manners Awards –

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Important Dates

Friday 26th January – Young Voices Trip

Monday 5th February – Apple Class Trip to Oxford Castle

Friday 9th February – Break up for Half Term

Monday 19th February – Back after Half Term