

# IN-FOCUS

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## WELCOME

We ended this term with a lovely range of exciting events in school; including the Ash Class Nativity performance, Silver Birch and Willow Class Carol Concert, Catmose Has Talent and our well supported Christmas Fair. We have another busy term to look forward to, with lots of exciting activities in

school. Please do keep checking Class Dojo and the Xpressions app to keep up to date.

Kelly Jackson  
Head of School



# ASH CLASS NATIVITY PERFORMANCE

Our youngest children in Ash Class did a wonderful job retelling the story of the very first Christmas in 'Hushaby Nativity'. The children sang and danced in front of their families and friends, making us all very proud.







# SILVER BIRCH AND WILLOW PERFORMANCE

Our oldest children in Silver Birch and Willow Class gave an insight into what life is like in a primary school in the run up to Christmas. With fun and lively songs and many laughs, the children did a great job getting everyone into the Christmas spirit. Well done to all involved.





## HARVEST TEA

The children at Catmose Primary invited their grandparents and relatives as VIP guests to a Harvest Afternoon Tea. Each class contributed an element to the afternoon tea, from homemade sandwiches and cakes to table decorations and menus. The children sang a range of harvest songs and read harvest poems. Everyone who attended said what a lovely treat it was. Thank you to all our hardworking staff who supported the children in this event.



## CHRISTMAS PANTO AND SANTA DASH

The children enjoyed a panto, one of our Christmas traditions here at Catmose Primary, thanks to the kind support of the PTA, Catmose Primary Friends. Everyone had a super time!

Oh no they didn't! Oh yes they did!

The children also enjoyed a fun Santa Dash – thank you for all your kind donations.



## CHRISTMAS FAIR

Thank you to everyone who supported the PTA, Catmose Primary Friends, Christmas Fair. Everyone had a super time and money was raised to support activities for the children at the school. We even had a special visitor who gave small gifts to the children!



## CHOIR VISIT LOCAL RESIDENTIAL HOMES TO SPREAD CHRISTMAS CHEER!

Our wonderful school choir, lead by Tracy, have been spreading Christmas cheer in local residential homes in the lead up to Christmas. We know how much the residents look forward to hearing the children sing and the children love to meet the residents.





# DIARY DATES 2025/26

STARS ASSEMBLY - CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY EVERY FRIDAY AT 3PM.

CLASS ASSEMBLIES - SHOW AND TELL DURING STARS ASSEMBLY:

Please come along to your child's class Show and Tell assembly, these are at the beginning of a Stars Assembly.

- Ash Class: 3 July • Beech Class: 23 January • Cedar Class: 6 February
- Oak Class: 8 May • Redwood Class: 15 May • Silver Birch Class: 19 June
- Willow Class: 9 July

PTA DISCOS-FOR ALL CHILDREN – FURTHER DETAILS WILL BE SENT NEARER THE TIME:

- Easter Disco: Wednesday 25 March • Leavers Disco: Wednesday 1 July
- Discos run from 4.00pm until 5.00pm.

CATMOSE FEDERATION DANCE SHOW - WEDNESDAY 11 FEBRUARY

PARENTS' EVENING

Tuesday 3 March 4 - 6pm / Thursday 5 March 5 - 7pm

BEECH & CEDAR CLASS EASTER PRODUCTION - TUESDAY 31 MARCH 2PM & 5.30PM

MAY DANCE EVENT - FRIDAY 22 MAY 10.30AM

Each class performs a dance with every child taking part. A May Queen and May King preside over the ceremony. Gates will open to parents at 10.15am.

SPORTS DAY - WEDNESDAY 17 JUNE

KS2 MORNING SESSION 9.30AM / KS1 AFTERNOON SESSION 1.45PM

Reserve date - 24 June

SUMMER FAIR - TBC

OAK & REDWOOD CLASS SUMMER PRODUCTION - WEDNESDAY 1 JULY 2PM & 5.30PM

SUMMER YEAR 6 LEAVERS' MEAL - THURSDAY 9 JULY - All year groups. Children only

LEAVERS' ASSEMBLY - THURSDAY 9 JULY 2.30PM

PRIZE GIVING - FRIDAY 10 JULY 9.15AM

