



Dear Parents

Christmas has well and truly arrived in Early Years and Primary! As the students walked into school last Friday, they were stunned to see the corridors had been turned into the Polar Express, with Christmas themed displays, tracking the train's journey throughout each year group corridor, leading into the Early Years building where the North Pole was the final destination. A huge thank you to all the teaching and support staff who had been busy secretly making these displays for the students to enjoy.

Our Early Years and Primary team also hosted a range of Christmas games for the Christmas Bazaar last Sunday which our students absolutely loved playing. Snowball Pong, Pin the Nose on Rudolph and Santa Hoopla were just a few of the games on offer at the Bazaar. Today in our assembly we awarded the winner of Name the Reindeer with their very own toy reindeer, and the winner of Guess the Weight of the Stocking with the goodie-filled stocking that they had guessed correctly.

As the penultimate week of term began this week, our students and parents were treated to the Infant production, Christmas around the World. Our Year 1 and 2 students put on a wonderfully colourful and entertaining performance where they took the audience on a journey around the world visiting Hawaii, Australia, Africa, India, Mexico and China. We learnt that there does not need to be snow for people to enjoy Christmas and people can celebrate it in many different ways.

Next, it is the turn of our Early Years students to perform Whoops-a-Daisy Angel for the students and their families. They have been busy rehearsing for several weeks and I know they are very much looking forward to their performances next week. I can't wait!

I have also been extremely proud of our Infant and Junior choirs who have taken part in a tree lighting ceremony at the Kerry Hotel, as well as our very own Christmas Bazaar. They have absolutely shone on stage and performed wonderfully, and still have two performances to go, tonight at the Carol Concert, and this Friday at the Ritz-Carlton. Our students will certainly be deserving of the upcoming holidays.

With best wishes,

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Head of Primary