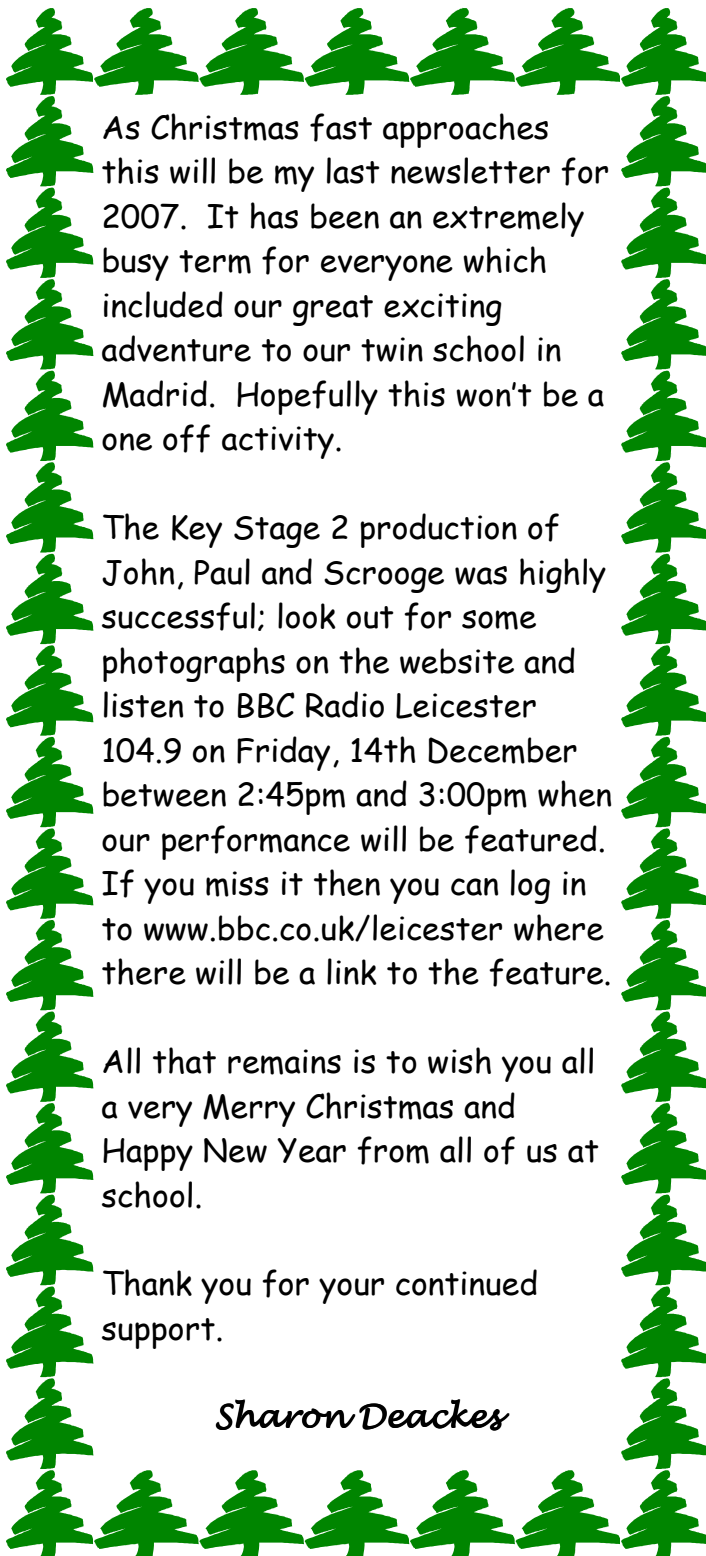


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December 2007



As Christmas fast approaches this will be my last newsletter for 2007. It has been an extremely busy term for everyone which included our great exciting adventure to our twin school in Madrid. Hopefully this won't be a one off activity.

The Key Stage 2 production of John, Paul and Scrooge was highly successful; look out for some photographs on the website and listen to BBC Radio Leicester 104.9 on Friday, 14th December between 2:45pm and 3:00pm when our performance will be featured. If you miss it then you can log in to [www.bbc.co.uk/leicester](http://www.bbc.co.uk/leicester) where there will be a link to the feature.

All that remains is to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of us at school.

Thank you for your continued support.

*Sharon Deackes*

## Leicestershire Annual Christmas Card Recycling Scheme

This year the chosen charity to benefit from card-recycling is the Woodland Trust Association, the UK's leading charity dedicated solely to the protection of our native woodland heritage.

There will be a sack in the school Library for your cards after Christmas.



There will be no **Drama Club** for the rest of this term. It will restart on Tuesday, 15th January 2008.

The last **Football Club** of the term is Monday, 10th December.

The last **Sports Development Team** session is Tuesday, 18th December.



## John, Paul and Scrooge



The children from Classes 3 & 4 performed to packed audiences on both nights. Proceeds from ticket sales allowed us to send a cheque for £250 to The Rainbows Appeal. Thank you.



Ghosts everywhere



Misery!



Yesterday.....



The fool on the hill.....



## The Lucky Owl

Classes 1 and 2 will be performing their Nativity, 'The Lucky Owl' in the School Hall at 2.30pm on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December.

The performance will be followed by a **Christmas Fayre** organised by the PTA.



## Christingle Carol Service

Our Christingle Carol Service will take place at 2:00pm on Wednesday, 19th December in St. Mary's Church.

If you are bringing pre school children please ensure they stay with you at all times during this service as there will be lighted candles used.

If pre school children become noisy during the service then we would ask that you take them out of Church. Our children have practised hard for this event and I'm sure you will agree that parents want to hear their readings and songs.

The oranges for the Christingles have been kindly donated by G G Granvilles in The Stockwell.

Next term we have the pleasure of welcoming 2 3rd year students from Nottingham Trent University. Sophie Robinson will be working in Class 4 and Sarah Howe will be working in Class 1. They will be with us for a 5 week block placement starting after Christmas and this will be followed by several day visits.



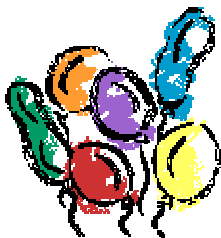
Scrooge, Fred and Bob Cratchitt



## Book Week

We were able to purchase £235 worth of books with the commission from the book sales. Thank you.

## SCHOOL 'CHRISTMAS DAY'



Our school **Christmas Day** will take place on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December. The children may come to school in party clothes or change at lunchtime. A packed lunch is not required as we all have a 'Christmas Picnic' in the Hall kindly provided by the PTA.

There will be a disco in the afternoon. Children will be ready for collection at 3:15pm as usual.



## Theatre Royal, Nottingham 'Peter Pan'

On Friday, 21st December we shall eat our lunch early as we have to be on the coach by 12.00 to travel to Nottingham. If your child is not joining the trip please collect them by 11.45am at the latest as there will be no-one left in school.

The pantomime finishes at about 4:15pm so we hope to be back in Wymeswold by 5.00pm traffic permitting.



Happy, smiling faces!



The Ghost of Christmas Present!



Return to school Monday, 7th January 2008

