



HUNTLEY NEWS Christmas 2023

Our School Vision

Nurtured individuals, learning together with God's love, living life to the full.

May Hill singing

A huge thank you to all that came. The organisers have very kindly donated £250 to the school. It has been decided that this year we will use this donation to pay for the filming of the Christmas play and that we are able to offer the link to all parents free of charge! Thank you to all those who came and sang on the day!



Carol singing at Huntley Village Hall and the Red Lion

Thank you to all of you who came along and supported these Christmas fayres. It was lovely to hear the children singing and certainly added to the festive spirit!

Decorating the hall

The year sixes had the important job of making the hall look festive- great job!



Angels Up High

A massive well done to the children for another amazing school play. Four great performances and lots of hard work beforehand. Here are a few photos – there will be more on the website and of course you will be able to enjoy it again and share the experience with friends and family!

I also just want to say thank you to the staff who write, produce and put this together in a week! No mean feat- so thank you so much!!





Christmas Lunch

Lots of us enjoyed our Christmas lunch on party day. Christmas songs, crackers and Christmas dinner!



Aladdin

On party day the children all enjoyed a touring pantomime – Aladdin. It was lovely to have the pantomime in school for a change and the children loved it!! There was a lot of laughs and noise!! They all joined in with the singing and actions. Mrs Goulding was asked to help out too!!

Thank you to the PTFA for funding this!



Special Visitor

On party day we had a special visitor in the afternoon! Father Christmas came into school to see all the children and give them a gift. He asked if they could name all of his reindeer – Class River were experts at this! In Class Estuary he joined in dancing to YMCA and he was very impressed with all the songs the children sang!



Name the Christmas Rat



Congratulations to Megan who won the 'Name the Christmas rat' competition, organised by the PTFA. His name was Muggsy but Megan has renamed it Ratatouille. She says she is going to get it out every Christmas and it will remind her of Huntley School!

Party games

All the classes played plenty of party games and Class Estuary had a disco as well. Lots of fun for everyone!! Class Ocean played different games and Sleeping lions was a hit!



Christmas crafts



Don't they look Christmassy!

The children in Class Estuary made their own Christmas hats. They did everything from scratch, and sewed it all by hand themselves.

Class River made their own Christmas stockings. They designed a template and they used running and blanket stitch to make their stockings.

Class Stream sewed Christmas trees and stockings and Class Ocean made their own special baubles

Violin Concert

We were treated to an amazing violin concert with all the children in Class Stream and River. They showed us all the skills they had learnt over the ten weeks. The concert will be shared on the website soon.

Just a reminder that we are looking to organise lessons in school so please sign up through the Gloucestershire music link sent out via Parentmail. It would be great to see some of these children keep playing.



Santa Dash

This is a county wide activity and this year we were amongst the around 88,000 children in the UK who took part. This was organised to promote physical activity. The children had so much fun, running, dancing, walking around with the Christmas music on nice and loud!

