



Micklefield C. E. (C) Primary School Christmas Newsletter

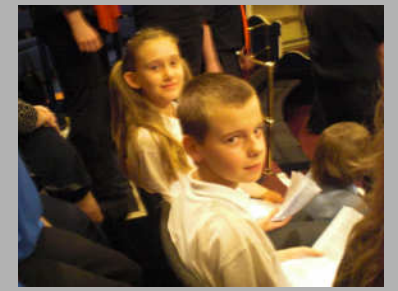
17th December 2009



Christingle Service

Father Bernard made us welcome at St. Mary's for our Christingle Service. We followed the Christingle Code to keep ourselves safe and had a lovely time singing carols and hearing about the first Christingle.

Town Hall Carol Concert



Our Festival choristers sang in Leeds Town Hall with pupils from 42 other Leeds primary schools, the City of Leeds Youth orchestra, the Leeds Youth choir, Leeds School Choir and a visiting band from South Africa. We are very proud of the way they represented our school.



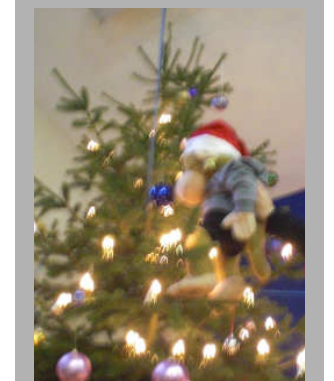
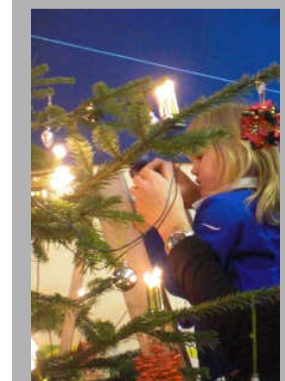
Carols round the tree was a very damp and cold affair this year, so we were really pleased that there were plenty of adults joining in to help the singing go well. Mr. Bland fixed up a sound system so that the School Council members could be heard introducing the carols and the Town Hall and School Choir pieces.

The joint **Christmas Fayre** afterwards, arranged by the Friends of Micklefield, was a great success again. Thanks to everyone who helped the events go so well - especially the special visitor in the Grotto!



Santa's Visits caused great excitement throughout school. He saw visitors in his Grotto at the Christmas Fayre and stayed just long enough next day to visit all the classrooms and deliver presents.

Tree decorating assembly is a special time at Micklefield. Every child and member of staff hangs a decoration on our enormous tree which Mr. Bland and Mr. Bailey make sure always reaches the ceiling.



Our Nursery to Year 2 children put on a **Christmas Play** full of colours and sparkle; Christmas lights, chocolate Santas, tinsel, decorations and nativity figures all came to life in front of our eyes as the children danced and sang their way through a wonderful show. The children had learned their lines well and knew all the words of the songs.



Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

School re-opens on Monday 4th January