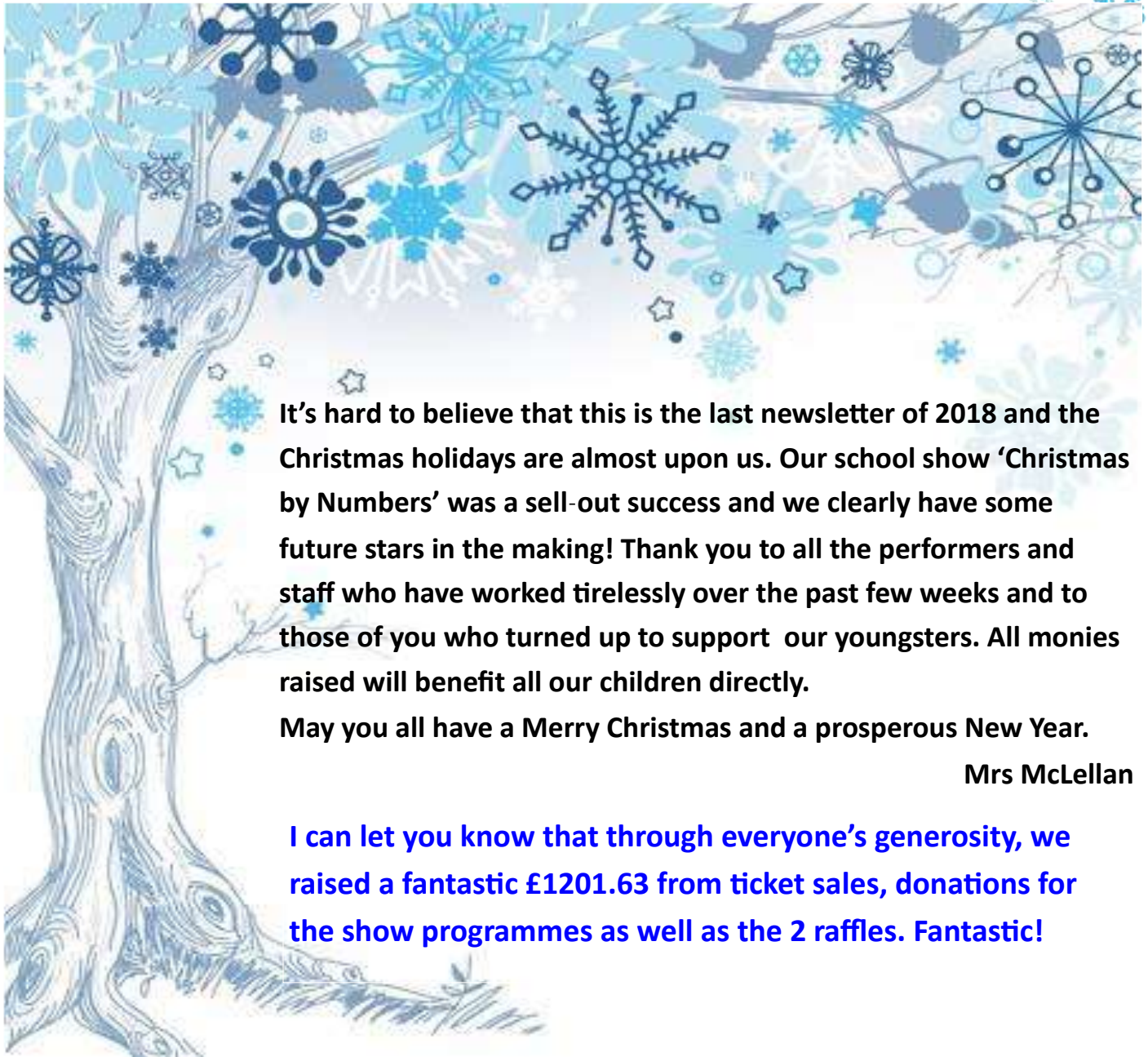




# Laurieknowe Primary School

## December 2018 Newsletter



**It's hard to believe that this is the last newsletter of 2018 and the Christmas holidays are almost upon us. Our school show 'Christmas by Numbers' was a sell-out success and we clearly have some future stars in the making! Thank you to all the performers and staff who have worked tirelessly over the past few weeks and to those of you who turned up to support our youngsters. All monies raised will benefit all our children directly.**

**May you all have a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.**

**Mrs McLellan**

**I can let you know that through everyone's generosity, we raised a fantastic £1201.63 from ticket sales, donations for the show programmes as well as the 2 raffles. Fantastic!**

A very successful Christmas Fayre was held in the school on Wednesday 5th December. The Parent Council would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who donated, helped, and attended on the night. Thanks to all the support, a huge sum of £780.65 was raised for the school. The Parent Council have made a small contribution to the school already, so that the children can have juice and crisps at their Christmas parties.

*Thank you!*

**Merry Christmas everyone, from all on the Parent Council.**

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## Christmas Lights Competition

Callum H (P5P) won the P4-5 category with his snowman entry - well done! Look out for it when next in the town.



This drawing....

.....became this beautiful light.



## P3 Walk around Dumfries bridges.

On Friday 30th November, the P3's went walking beside the River Nith. We saw 3 arch bridges, a suspension bridge as well as a triangle truss one. Our photo was taken as we crossed the Devorgilla Bridge, which is one of the oldest arch bridges in Scotland. As always, our grateful thanks to our six parent helpers - we couldn't do



## Class Parties: Please see letters from class teachers

Monday 17th afternoon: **P2 & P3**

Tuesday 18th afternoon: **P6 & P7**

Wednesday 19th afternoon: **P4 & P5**

Friday 21st **P1**: 1.30 till 2.30

## Dates for the diary

**Thurs 20th Dec** - School Christmas dinner, for those who've ordered. If not must bring in a packed lunch.

**Fri 21st Dec** - 9.30 am Christmas Service @ Max West Church

**Mon 14th & Tues 15th Jan** - 9.00 am till 3.30 pm P1 enrolments

**Mon 21st Jan** - Parent Council drop-in 9.00 - 11.00 am



**Friday 21st Dec is the last day of term & the start of the Christmas Holidays.**

**Monday 7th Jan 2019 is the first day of the new term.**

**We look forward to seeing you all after the festive break.**