



December 2013

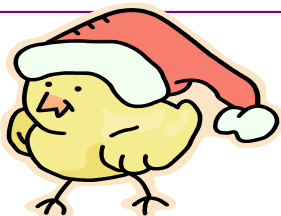


Darrenlas Primary School

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

THANKYOU TO ALL
THE CHILDREN AND
PARENTS OF
DARRENLAS FO ALL
YOUR SUPPORT
THIS YEAR.

WISHING YOU ALL
A VERY MERRY
CHRISTMAS AND A
HAPPY NEW YEAR,
FROM ALL THE
STAFF AT
DARRENLAS



TECHNOLOGY UPDATE

We are having upgrades
in our internet access
and wireless systems

It is hoped that we will
be wireless in the Spring
Term . Therefore, as
constantly requested by
the all the children, we
will then be looking to
purchase laptops and I-
pad



We have all had a very busy term, with many visitors, including Community Police, Techniquet, African drummers and our Estyn Inspection visitors in November. The term ended with some amazing performances from our Early Years children and another successful Carol concert at St. Margaret's Church. Thankyou to all who came and supported the children and to the staff for all their hard work.

WELL DONE CHILDREN!

During our recent inspection ,
Estyn were very complimentary
about the children of Darrenlas.
They found our children to be
very respectful, confident and
caring and have made us all very
proud. The final report will be
published in January 2014

PTA



Thankyou for all the
support and time given again by
the PTA. Through Christmas
raffles, discos and choir singing,
we have raised nearly
£800 this term for the
children of Darrenlas



Dates for the diary
Friday 20th December
END OF AUTUMN TERM

Monday 6th January
FIRST DAY OF SPRING TERM

Monday 24th February-Friday
28th February
SPRING HALF TERM

Friday 11th April
END OF SPRING TERM

NURSERY PROVISION

Following recent discussions on proposals to our provision for under 5s, we await any confirmation from the Local authority. Until we have received notification of any change, our arrangements for nursery provision and link up sessions will remain the same

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

The Attendance so far this year is 92.4% which is below last year figure. The challenge is to work together to improve our whole school attendance. We will be keeping you informed termly on your child's attendance and hope that you will support us in achieving this year's attendance target of 94% or above.