



Welcome to the December 2011 Newsletter

Another end of term is nearly upon us and time to break up for a well-earned rest. It has been a busy Half Term and the girls have done us proud. Our annual Carol Service takes place in St Stephen's Church at 7.30 pm on 12th December. This is always a lovely occasion and we do hope you can join us for the service and then follow us back to College for a glass of wine and a mince pie, courtesy of the PTA. This year you can even wander around the College and view the girls' efforts for the Christmas decorations competition.

Nutcracker

'Nutcracker' performed in the College Hall on the evenings of December 1st and 2nd was a great success. It promised the glitz and glamour of Hollywood, interwoven with the traditional characters of 'The Nutcracker'. Over 60 people were involved in the show with many of the older girls choreographing dances. The dancing thrilled the audiences and included ballet, jazz and tap. The magical music was performed



do work very hard in decorating their classrooms and transforming the College into a special place. I hope you can find time to view our own Winter Wonderland.

Children in Need 2011

Eagle-eyed television viewers among you may have spotted the "Goodnight and sleep tight" message to Ladies' College Removes on the BBC Children in Need broadcast on Friday 18th November. The year group, together with their form tutors, had a sponsored sleepover in school, complete with a visit from Pudsey Bear. Upper Sixth volunteers arranged

a fantastic series of games and activities for the early evening and the Remove form groups shared snacks and watched a film until late. Photos are on display so do look out for them if you are in College before the end of term.

Feedback

We are always keen to listen to parents' views and ideas.

In January we will be asking you to complete a questionnaire. Its aim is to help us in educating your daughters and in improving communications. An electronic notice will be issued when it becomes active. You can access these on line at www.klp.rm.com. (see above)


Log in to the portal page as normal and look at the left hand side menu, and click on 'Parents' Questionnaire'.



live and the colourful costumes and staging was a Christmas special not to be missed.

College Wonderland

This is our annual team building exercise which takes place throughout December. Form groups decorate rooms competitively which make teaching very difficult in the last few days before we break up, as we are left trying to negotiate full-sized sleighs, flying angels or bouncing snowmen! The girls really



Alternatively a copy will be sent with your January exam results (Removes to L5) via your daughter (U5). Please return to the school office by the end of February.

De Putron Challenge

Congratulations to our De Putron Quiz Team – Laura Bampton, Claudia Swan, Alice Davis, Elizabeth Reynolds who narrowly beat Elizabeth College on 21st November in a nail-biting session.

Happy Holidays

I would like to express my thanks to you all for your ongoing support of the College and the Staff join me in wishing you all a very merry Christmas.

Best wishes

Jane Pearson



December dates

1 st December	Nutcracker Dance Production
2 nd December	Nutcracker Dance Production
8 th December	'Girls in Green' supplement with the Guernsey Press
12 th December	Carol Service 7.30pm @ St Stephen's Church Mulled wine, mince pies and viewing of Christmas decorations back at the College
12 th December	U5 GCSE Music Group visit Notre Dame to entertain
14 th December	End of Michaelmas Term 12.30pm
5 th January	Term begins
11 th -13 th January	Internal School exams



Merry Christmas