

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,

This will be my last letter of 2014 and a chance to look back at this year 's events. We have had a busy and fruitful year with plenty of trips and visits, successful summer and Christmas Fairs and lots of learning.

This year our staff was unchanged apart for the welcome addition of Mrs Woods to take Yr 1. However, yesterday we said goodbye to Ms Deadman, who will however continue to work in Little Otters. We also celebrated the retirement of Mrs Mackenzie, who has been with the school for a number of years working with many different groups. She will be sadly missed by the children and staff, Class 1 particularly, and we wish her all the best in her new adventures. Many parents kindly donated to her gift and after much thought we bought her art lessons.

After the holidays we will be joined by Mrs Hunt who will be taking Class 1 on a Tuesday afternoon and all day on Thursday, we are looking forward to welcoming her to the team.

Many thanks for all your good wishes and all the staff wish you a peaceful holiday.

*Merry Christmas  
and a  
Happy New Year.*



Please make  
sure that all  
**PE kits** are in  
school on  
Monday

Back to  
school on  
Monday 5th  
January.

### Cross Country News

Well done to everyone who ran in the race on Saturday, and what turned out to be a fantastic morning, it was cold but lovely sunshine!!  
Not so muddy this time but we all had nice wet feet as the frost was melting in the sun.

A brilliant run once again by all the Junior girls, some strong finishes and the team comfortably maintain their 2<sup>nd</sup> place position.

Emma once again finished first for Slimbridge and is in the top ten overall.

Well done to all the Junior boys, and well done to William for finishing first for Slimbridge and is in an impressive 4<sup>th</sup> place.

Great runs from all the Senior girls as they maintain their 3<sup>rd</sup> place position.

Joel was our solitary Senior boy and got those vital points so the school is still in second place overall for Small Schools.

#### Team Results

Slimbridge Junior Girls are in 2nd Position

Slimbridge Junior Boys are in 4th Position

Slimbridge Senior Girls are in 3rd Position

**Slimbridge School is still in 2nd Place overall for Small schools and there is only 1 race to go!!**

Next race January 17<sup>th</sup>



*To Children, Parents,  
Carers and Friends.*

*Wishing you all a very  
merry Christmas.*

*From all the staff at  
Slimbridge Primary.*

