



Danemill

Primary School

Only the best is good enough.

Danemill Primary School - 16.12.22

End of Term



What a fantastic term we've had at Danemill.

The children have worked so incredibly hard and enjoyed their Christmas festivities!

We say goodbye to Mrs Ellis and Mrs Palmer today wishing them all the best for the future. We will miss them both very much.

Have a fantastic Christmas and enjoy your New Year.

Excellent Efforts!



Well done to the following children who were sent to us for good work this week:

- *Kayden in 6MT for fantastic reading comprehension.
- *Aadhira in Ladybirds for excellent phonics work
- *Sienna in Ladybirds for excellent phonics work
- *Jesse in 3KF for fantastic maths reasoning
- *Margarita in 5LV for fantastic writing about WW2
- *Charlie in 4LS for excellent progress in reading

*Aaron in 6MT for excellent reasoning skills

*Ava in 6MT for excellent teamwork

*Logan in 4BM for an excellent effort in his writing

*Aariyan in 4BM for superb effort with his spellings

*Rosie in 6MT for an excellent news report

Well done to all!

Message from Mrs Ellis



It has been a joy and a privilege to teach at Danemill for the last (nearly) 13 years. From the moment I completed my first placement here I knew it was a special place - which is why I jumped at the chance to accept a job offer all those years ago! I have absolutely loved getting to know all the incredible children in our school, along with the most wonderfully supportive team of adults and parents/carers within the Danemill Family.

It has been an incredibly tough decision for me to leave Danemill after all these years, but I have been given an opportunity to teach in a school closer to my home, allowing me to spend more time with my own family.

Danemill is a remarkable school, and I am so grateful that I have spent all of my teaching career here. I have made friends for life and have wonderful memories of past and present classes who I have had the pleasure of teaching. I want to say 'thank you' to every single person who has supported me throughout my time at Danemill, especially the children I have taught over the last 13 years – you are the reason why I love my job so much and could never imagine doing anything else.

My parting message for you all is to believe in yourselves; continue to work hard, spend time on the things that you feel passionately about and be kind, always. I will miss you all so much. Thank you for the best 13 years, Mrs Ellis.

Raffle Prizes - Christmas Fair



We had some raffle prizes that have gone uncollected. If you have the following numbers, then please come to the office to claim your prize:

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Thanks again for your support at the Christmas Fair. We raised just under £2000 on the night.

Reminder - EYFS - 2023 - 24



Applications are now open for children who want to join us in EYFS for September 2023.

They can be found at:

[Apply for a primary school place | Leicestershire County Council](#)

If you want to come and look at our EYFS provision then sign up to attend one of our open days through the office.

Wider Life at Danemill



We really enjoyed sharing children's achievements last year so please can you make sure that you email your child's achievements outside of school through to the office. We share them weekly and on our social media.

We have lots to share in the run up to Christmas. Please make sure you keep them coming over the Christmas holidays!

George was selected as the Vipers RFC Under-7's Player of the Week for his hard work, positivity and team working skills during a recent tournament, where he played other teams from across the county. He's so proud and loves being a part of the Vipers Under 7's team!

Cameron had the opportunity to play with his rugby team at the Welford Road stadium, home to the Tigers! He plays for South Leicester and along with his team, took part in a tournament playing against 5 different teams. He won player of the week!

Remy and Jesse walked all the way along the Great Ridge (in the Hope Valley area of the Peak District) and back, from Mam Tor to Lose Hill. They both managed really well and are looking forward to taking on higher peaks.

Sam won player of the week with his Rugby team!

Luna took part in a dance competition for Julie Payne School of Dance.

Jackson was awarded his Stage 6 in Gymnastics!

Ted attended his presentation afternoon for Enderby Cricket Club and received his first medal. He also took part in the remembrance parade with his beavers' group. Evie had dance shows on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings.

Finn Kelly took part in the Beavers remembrance parade on Sunday 13th. Luca Kelly climbed to the top of Croft Hill.

Alana took her Brownie promise.

Ava-Mae came first in her gymnastics competition.

Ronnie has his first sleep over at Beavers and Charlie did amazingly well at a gymnastics competition.

Jordan graduated to purple belt in Martial Arts with Proaction Martial Arts: Mighty Monkeys.

Emily in 5LV went up to stage 6 swimming yesterday. She started stage 2 this time last year but has stuck to it and worked really hard. She's shown awesome motivation and resilience.

Emerson 1RP and Ezra Pre-School both passed their grading in Jujitsu for their red belts. They were both very pleased with their achievement.

Charlie came first in his first ever gymnastic tournament!

Bella-Rose and Scarlett Booth took part in their 2nd dancing show this weekend. They did 2 shows over the weekend along with lots of their friends. They loved and all did amazingly. They should all be very proud of themselves.





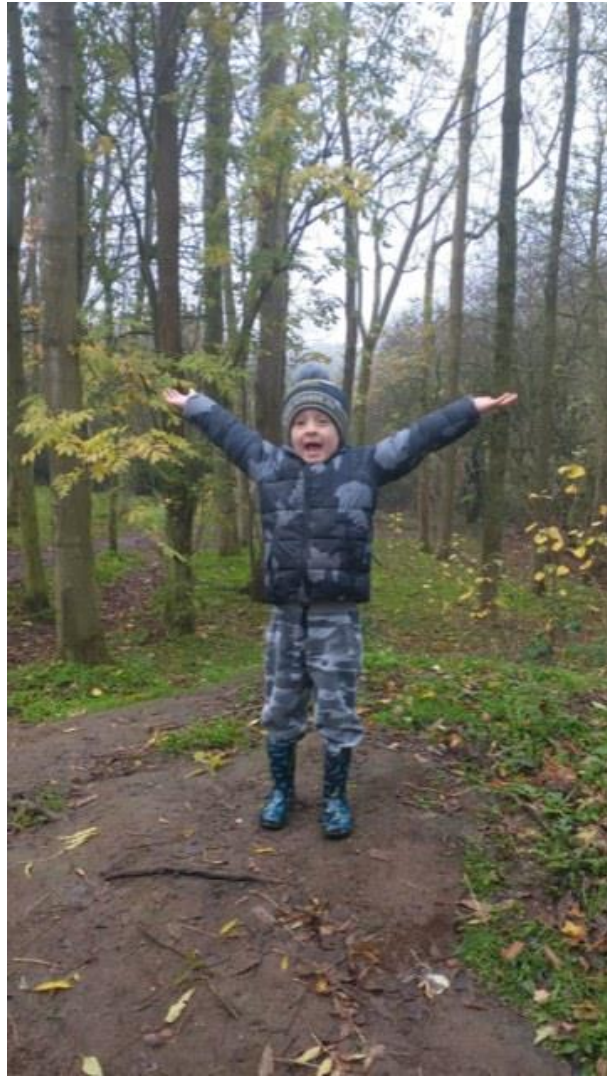






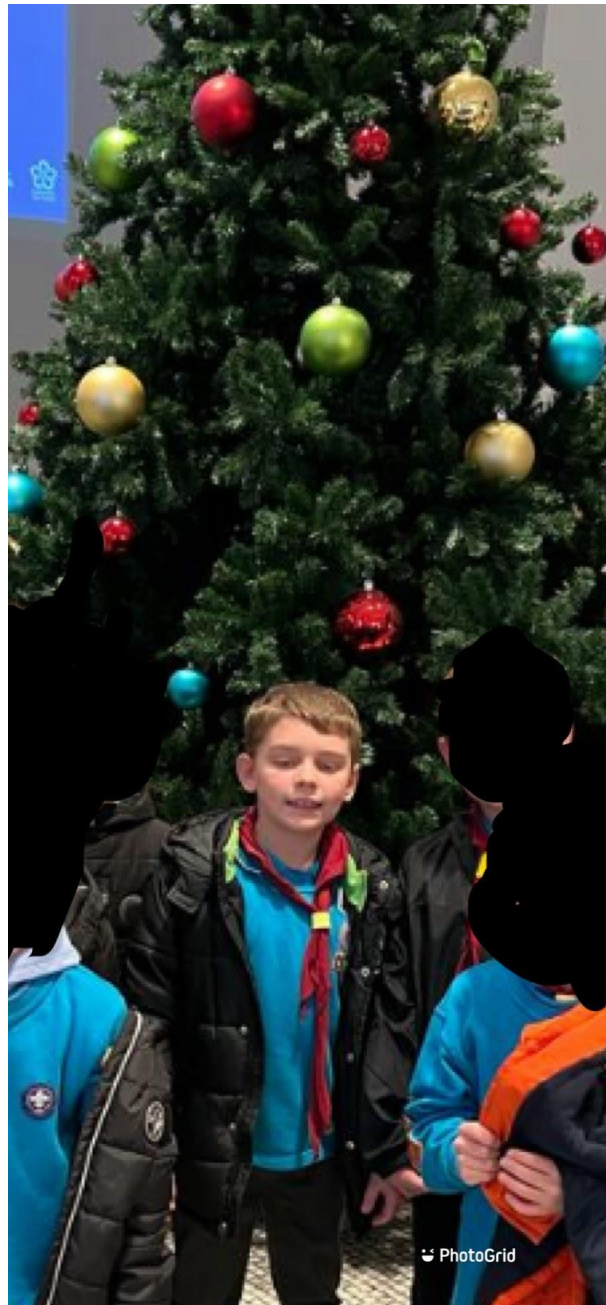


















Upcoming Spring 1 Dates 2023



Wednesday 4th January: School reopens for children

Tuesday 10th January: Y4 Beaumanor Meeting 5 - 5:45 p.m.

Sunday 15th January: EYFS applications close for August 2023 starters

Monday 16th January: 4BM class assembly at 2:45 p.m.

Thursday 26th January: Young Voices Concert

Thursday 2nd February: Enterprise Day (in school for KS2 children)

Thursday 9th February: Open Morning - E-Safety - 9:00 - 10:15 a.m.

Tuesday 14th February: Swimming starts for Year 2

Tuesday 14th February: Y2 SATS evening - 5 - 5:45 p.m.

Thursday 16th February: Y4 Multiplication check evening from 5 - 5:45 p.m.

Friday 17th February: Last day of school for the children before half term



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