



Hanslope School NEWSLETTER

HANSLOPE IS BACK ON THE SPORTING MAP

Unfortunately for me, I missed what could be described as nothing less than an unforgettable moment in time for the Cross Country team.

MK Bowl was once again the venue for the finals and the team arrived in good spirits. They ran just as well as in the heats and waited with baited breath at the end of the competition to see how

successful the Hanslope team had been. Of schools across Milton Keynes, we came overall. But better news was still to come.....in the small schools section we are pleased to announce that we came first!

A trophy now sits on the table in the reception area in Salcey and Miss Britnell will soon be taking it

away so that it can be inscribed with 'Hanslope School 2009'.

We are all very proud of the children and appreciate the continued support from parents.

Athletics finals here we come...but that's not until July!

CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES

What would you put into the mix if you were drawing up a list of ingredients for the perfect Christmas? Children in Linford presented a fabulous performance of 'A Christmas Recipe' to a hall filled with parents, aunts, uncles, grandparents and friends. The feedback so far has been

extremely positive and most certainly deserved. Well done to all the children and staff who collectively put on a show to remember.

Salcey children performed equally well and we all enjoyed the modern perspective on this festive period. Many thanks

to Fr Gary and Diane Gordon for the use of the church. Your donations for both performances were gratefully received. Some of the funds raised will go to Willen Hospice and the remainder will go to the church.

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Special points of interest:

- Mrs Cowper has returned to school following maternity leave.
- We made it to the local newspaper for the second time this term.
- The new laptops and mini-suite will be ready for use after the holidays