

Dear Parents/Carers

Festooned in Christmas jumpers, our Reception and Key Stage One children were very excited as they waited to get on the coach on Wednesday, ready for their trip to Smart Trees. They had a fantastic time decorating trees, looking for clues, taking a sleigh ride and visiting Father Christmas.

Today we have had our Nativity at the church. Thank you to Reverend Ward for allowing us use of the church. The children have practised hard, and we had lots of fun as we watched them perform Jesus' Christmas Party. A huge well done to the other classes too who each performed a Christmas song to get us in the spirit.



There is a very exciting visitor in school next week. Santa is coming! Friends of the School are selling tickets to see him at their Christmas Fayre. As well as seeing the man himself, you can see what children have made to sell on their stalls, refreshments, tombola, Usbourne books, craft stalls and our raffle will be drawn that evening. We hope to see you there!

The Lempen Theatre is also in school next week. Last year there was a very exciting and inspirational show, where all of the 'puppets' were made from recycled materials and the children were shown how to do it, so we are really looking forward to the show this year.

Finally, I want to say a huge thank you to the Friends of the School. They contributed heavily to our school trip this week, they ran the stall at Broadway Late Night Shopping and they enable the extras like puppet theatres.

GENERAL INFORMATION & REMINDERS:

SANTA'S GROTTO TICKETS FOR CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Tickets will be on sale every morning this week by the Friends at the front of the school for only £3 per child. The price includes a gift from Santa.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

The only clubs taking place next week are French and Spanish club. Forms for the Fizzy Dizzy Science club were sent out with the children on Wednesday. If your child would like a place please bring in your completed form with the full payment of £30 (£20 for siblings) Letters for other clubs taking place in the Spring Term will go out next week.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

If your child is sending Christmas cards using the in-school delivery service please can you make sure you put the class name on the envelope as well as the name to ensure the elves deliver them to the right person!

LUNCH ORDER FORMS FOR SPRING TERM

Orders for next term need to be handed in by Friday 15th December to ensure your child receives their meals for the first week back, Thursday 4th and Friday 5th January 2018. Class Catering have asked us to remind you that order forms will not be accepted without full payment.

WAC CLOSURE FRIDAY 15TH DECEMBER

Please be aware that in the interests of both safety and in order to prepare for the Christmas Fayre WAC will be closed on Friday 15th December. We apologise for any inconvenience and hope that the advance notice will allow you to make alternative childcare arrangements.

ADVANCE WRAP AROUND CLUB IMPORTANT NOTICE

Please note that WAC will finish on Monday 18th December. Parents will be invited in to sing Christmas carols with the children at 2.00 pm on Tuesday 19th December (last day of term) and then the children will go home from there.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

SPANISH CLUB	TUESDAY (YEARS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
MILK ORDER DEADLINE	TUESDAY 5PM (FOR THE <u>FOLLOWING</u> WEEK) (COOL MILK)
LUNCH ORDER DEADLINE	WEDNESDAY MORNING (FOR MEALS THE <u>FOLLOWING</u> WEEK)
PIANO	WEDNESDAY MORNING (TEACHER: ROB TRYNER)
FRENCH CLUB	WEDNESDAY (YEARS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
LEMPEN THEATRE	THURSDAY AM ALL YEARS
CAKE DAY	FRIDAY (PLEASE BRING IN 20 PENCE FOR CHARITY)
WAC CLOSED	FRIDAY
CHRISTMAS FAYRE	FRIDAY ALL WELCOME 4.30 – 7.00 PM
CHRISTMAS CAROLS	TUESDAY 19 TH 2.00 PM ALL WELCOME
END OF TERM	TUESDAY 19 TH
TE DAY	WEDNESDAY 3 RD JANUARY
SPRING TERM BEGINS	THURSDAY 4 TH JANUARY

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