



20 November 2018

Dear Parents/Carers



Christmas 2018

Set out below are details regarding all of our Christmas celebrations:-

Heads Hampers (a reminder)

One of the highlights every year at the Christmas Bazaar is the Heads Hampers. We would be grateful for any donations for these "luxury" hampers over the coming week. Please send items into the office. Many thanks.

Christmas Bazaar – Friday 30 November 2018

The PSA Christmas Bazaar is being held at the school on Friday 30 November 2018 6pm-8pm.

There will be a Mufti (Non-Uniform Day) on Friday 23rd November. Children are invited to come to school in their own clothes in exchange for donations to the Christmas Tombola. Please drop-off donations at the Studio in the morning, where they will be gratefully received and packed up ready for the Christmas Fair on Friday 30th November.

Ideas for donations if you get stuck - Chocolates, Wine, Bottles of drink, Jams/Chutneys, Crackers, Biscuits, Toiletries, Christmas Crackers, Advent Calendars, Gift Sets, Christmas Craft sets, Kitchen Larder items, Stationery etc.

Thanks for your support!

Nativity performances for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

Just a reminder that the nativity performances are as follow:-



Group 1 Robin Woodpecker Owl	Tuesday 4 December 9.30am	Wednesday 5 December 1.30pm
Group 2 Finch Starling Magpie	Tuesday 4 December 1.30pm	Wednesday 5 December 9.30am

We ask that you **DO NOT** bring young children or babies to the performances.

The children will be doing their dress rehearsals on Monday 3 December when the nativities will be recorded. The PSA will be arranging for you to purchase DVDs of the performances.

As we are now a full primary school we are no longer able to accommodate parents and parents with young children/babies at the dress rehearsal.

Christmas Cards



Year group post boxes will be available in the school hall from **Monday 10 December** for the children's Christmas cards. Every year we are left with a number of undelivered cards so please ensure that envelopes are clearly labeled with the recipient's name and class.

Christmas lunch – Thursday 13 December 2018

We are having a Christmas lunch on Thursday 13 December. A meal will be ordered by the school for all Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children under the Universal Free School Meals scheme, however if your child does NOT want to have this meal please email the school by Friday 23 November to avoid unnecessary cost to the school and wastage.

Any Christmas meal for Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 children must ordered direct with Chartwells by parents by Sunday 2 December 2018. The cost of the meal is £2.35 per child

The menu for the Christmas lunch is attached.

KS2 Carol Service

A carol Service for years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will be held on **Friday 14 December** 9.15am at St. Mary's Church. Parents and carers are welcome to join us. Coffee will be provided by the PSA.



PSA Christmas Disco – Friday 14 December

Reception/ Yr 1 - 4pm-5pm
Years 2,3 & 4 - 5:15 - 6:45pm
Years 5 & 6 - 7:00pm - 8:30pm

Please bring the correct money with you and pay at the entrance. Please bring your own drink to the disco.

Christmas Parties

Jim Bernardin will perform for the children on **Tuesday 18 December** after which there will be class parties. Children may come to school in party clothes on this day (sensible shoes please). This year the children will bring home a decorated party food bag on Thursday 13 December. Please send this bag back into school on Tuesday 18 December with a selection of party food for your child (in disposable packaging) **NO** nut based products please as there are number of children with severe allergies. Drinks will be provided.

Christmas Holiday

Last day of school Wednesday 19 December 2018
First day back to school Thursday 3 January 2019

Staff Changes

Mr Fauvel will be leaving us at the end of this term, we thank him for all he has done to support the children and wish him well as he moves in a new career direction. Mrs Finlay will be the new Seagull Class Teacher.

Year 3 Drumming Concert

Year 3 parents are invited to a special concert that will be taking place in the school hall on **Friday 7 December** at **2.15pm**. The concert will consist of drumming displays from both our Year 3 classes and they are all looking forward to performing.

Year 6 Fundraiser

Year 6 children will be selling sweet cones on both playgrounds after school on Friday 7 December (the day of the PSA Panto) to raise money for their leavers party.

Remembrance Day

On Friday 9 November the children discussed the meaning of Remembrance Day and had a minutes silence together on the playground. We are grateful to Chris Taylor, local bugler, for playing the Last Post. A video can be seen on the school website.

Lost Property

Over the last 3 weeks we have accumulated the following lost property:-

Cardigans x 16

Jumpers x 4

Jackets/Coats x 5

Trainers x 1 pair

Shorts/jogging bottoms x 3

Alongside various other items including water bottles, lunch boxes and a dance outfit.

All of the above items are not named. If you are missing an item, please look in the lost property boxes in the school hall. Please ensure that you name your child's clothing so that it can be returned to them. Thank you.

Yours sincerely

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Thursday 13th December

£2.35

Festive Menu

Choose a main meal...

Roast Turkey
with Stuffing, Cocktail Sausage & Gravy
or
Quorn Fillet
with Stuffing Ball & Gravy

on the side...

Roast Potatoes
Peas and Carrots

for dessert...

Chocolate Dipped Shortbread
or
Fruit Salad

for a drink...

Fruit Squash
Milk
Water



To enjoy our festive-inspired day, please
order at www.mealselector.co.uk
by Sunday 2nd December

