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NEWSLETTER – 30TH NOVEMBER 2018

CHRISTMAS LUNCH WEDNESDAY 19TH DECEMBER



Roast Turkey or Quorn Roast
Roast Potatoes, Stuffing Ball, Yorkshire Pudding
Peas, Carrots & Gravy
Christmas Ice Cream Tub or Satsuma

Book your child's lunch online with The Pantry.

NO extra lunches can be ordered on the day.



Save the Children

CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

National Christmas Jumper Day is an annual fundraising campaign organised by the charity Save the Children. We will be supporting this charity in school on **Wednesday 19th December**. For a small donation of £1.00 your child can come to school in **non uniform dressed in their Christmas jumper**. Please do not rush out to buy a Christmas jumper, you can just as easily decorate something your child already has at home.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS FOR GROWN UPS

The Friends are giving the children the chance to buy a Christmas present for the special adults in their life. Each present will cost £1.50 and will be wrapped and labelled. There is no limit to the number of presents your child can buy but please be aware there is **only one choice for ladies and one for men**. Order forms have already been sent out and **MUST be returned by Monday 10th December**.



Well done to all our children who took part in the sponsored jump event and a big thank you for all your generous donations. You have raised an amazing **£1390** for Children in Need.

CHRISTMAS HAMPER RAFFLE

Staff have made donations towards our Christmas Hamper which we will be selling raffle tickets for to raise funds for classroom resources. The tickets will be on sale at our Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Christmas productions for 50p each.



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS POST



From **Monday 3rd – Friday 14th December** your child will be able to post their Christmas cards in the post box in the school hall. The envelope must have the name and class (tree name) of who the card is for is clearly marked on the envelope.

RECEPTION ADMISSIONS DEADLINE

Don't forget if your child is in Nursery and you haven't applied for a Reception place yet, the deadline is **Tuesday 15th January 2019**.

YEAR 3 JUNIOR SCHOOL PLACE

If your child is currently in Year 2 you will need to submit an application for your child to either transfer to Harefield Junior School or continue at an alternative junior school by **Tuesday 15th January 2019**.

LAST CLUBS THIS TERM

Cheerleading Club

Last session **Monday 10th December**

Maths Club

Last session **Monday 10th December**

Football Club

Last session **Tuesday 11th December**

Recorder Club

Last session **Wednesday 12th December**

Choir Club

Last session **Wednesday 12th December**

Art Club

Last session **Wednesday 5th December**

Information about Spring Term clubs will be sent out before Christmas.

FOREST SCHOOL WINTER CLOTHING

During the winter months it is very important that your child has warm clothes to wear in order for them to enjoy their time at Forest School. **The children need to wear layers including a warm coat, thick socks, a hat, gloves and a scarf.** They can always take things off if they get too warm. It is most important that the children are able to keep their heads, hands and feet warm.

RECEPTION, YEARS 1 & 2 FLU INOCULATION Friday 14th December

The school nurses will be visiting the school on **Friday 14th December** to administer the Reception, Years 1 and 2 flu inoculation. Consent forms have been sent out this week. Please indicate whether or not you wish your child to receive the inoculation in school and return your form to the school office asap. Thank you.



SNOW DAYS

Now that we've had some chilly weather there is a possibility of future snow days! If we do have any snow over the winter months we will endeavour to keep the school open as usual. We will keep you updated via our text messaging service and our website so please keep an eye on these.

TOP TIP



During the winter months remember to send your child to school every day with a named warm coat, hat and gloves.

JUNIOR SCHOOL CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

The Friends of Harefield Junior School Christmas raffle tickets are on sale from the Children's Centre. First prize is an iPad, second prize is £150 cash and third prize is a multicooker plus there are over 50 smaller prizes to be won.

Our 'Thinking School' thought for the week is...

Tell your teacher which book you love reading over and over again, and why.

HOT LUNCHES

Next week will be **Week 2** on the hot lunch menu. Spare copies of the menu are available from the school office.



CEDRIC BEAR

This week Maple class had the best attendance, so CEDRIC Bear (Come Every Day Remember I'm Counting) will be spending time in their class next week.



2018/19 DIARY DATES

Tuesday 11th December
Wednesday 12th December

Thursday 13th December
Friday 14th December
Tuesday 18th December
Wednesday 19th December
Wednesday 19th December
Wednesday 19th December
Thursday 20th December
Friday 21st December
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Year 2 Christmas Production, 9.15am & 2.00pm * (Tickets will be sent out 6th Dec)
Year 1 Christmas Production, 9.15am & 2.00pm * (Tickets will be set out 7th Dec)
*** Please note Y1 & Y2 afternoon performances now start at 2.00pm.**
Christmas Pantomime – Aladdin (Nursery, Reception, Year 1 & 2 children)
Reception, Years 1 & 2 Flu Inoculation (Letters/consent forms have been sent out)
Reception Christmas Production (Further details to follow)
Children's Christmas Lunch (Order online with The Pantry)
Christmas Jumper Day (Come to school in a Christmas jumper for Save the Children)
Nursery Christmas Carols 11.00am, Morning Nursery/2.15pm, All Day & Afternoon Nursery
Last Day of Term for Afternoon Nursery only
End of Term Non Uniform Day – no donation needed
Last Day of Term for all Year Groups
Morning Nursery finish at normal time.
All Day Nursery, Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 finish at 1.05pm
Training Day (school closed)
Spring Term Starts at normal time (including Breakfast Club at 8.00-8.15am)



Monday 7th January
Tuesday 8th January