



Helmsley Community Primary School

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THIS WEEK'S SUPERSTAR

IS:

LOUIE COOK

For having an excellent attitude towards his work.

WELL DONE LOUIE.

This Week's House Points

Harriers (red): 88

Eagles (green): 123

Hawkes (yellow): 124

Falcons (blue): 140



LIBRARY VISIT

Friday 7th December @ 1:15pm— Beech Class

If anyone can help walk them down please let us know.

SCHOOL UPDATES

Mrs Wilkinson

We are pleased to announce that Mrs Wilkinson gave birth to a bouncing baby boy on Thursday 22nd November. Jake Henry Wilkinson arrived safe and well weighing in at 8lb 10oz. Mum and baby are both doing well. We are sure you will join us in sending congratulations to Naomi and Stu and wish them all the best as they become parents for the second time.



DIARY DATES

Fri 30th Nov

Choir singing at the Christmas Tree Festival—All Saints Church
Helmsley meet @ 6:20pm

Tue 4th Dec

Parent Consultation Meeting
3:20—7:00pm

Thur 6th Dec

Parent Consultation Meeting
3:20—5:00pm

Fri 7th Dec

Chestnut Class Assembly 2:45pm

Wed 12th Dec

KS1 Nativity @ 2:00pm

Thur 13th Dec

Christingle Service @ 2pm

Fri 14th Dec

Christmas Jumper Day

Fri 14th Dec

Christmas Lunch

Fri 14th Dec

Christmas Experience—Beech Class. Departing at 12:15pm.

Mon 17th Dec

Christmas Party (PM)
Years 5&6



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Christmas Card Proofs

Your child will have brought home a proof of the Christmas card they designed. If you would like to place an order please do so no later than Monday 3rd December so we have time to get them processed.

Christmas Fair

A big thank you to everyone who turned out to support the Christmas Fair. We raised a grand total of **£773.25**. It was a lovely evening and we are very grateful to all those people who provided prizes, baked cakes or just gave up their time to lend a hand. We couldn't do it without you.

A special thank you to Castle Gate Bakery (Auntie Ann's) who very kindly donated all the mince pies for the teas.

Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day

Mrs Ridley will be serving a school Christmas lunch on Friday 14th December. There will be a letter coming home for you to complete if your child doesn't normally have a lunch. The cost will be £2.35 per child or £1.85 for Nursery. Rec, Year 1 and Year 2 will still be entitled to their usual free school meal and won't be required to pay.

To add to the festivities we will be holding a Christmas Jumper Day, also on Friday 14th December. We are asking for donations of £1.00 if your child would like to come wearing a Christmassy jumper.

Breakfast Club Assistant

We are advertising for a Breakfast Club Assistant to work Mon-Fri 7:45—9:15am term time only. If you are interested please contact the school office for an application form.

REMINDERS

Parent Consultation Meetings

Parent Consultation Meetings will be taking place next week:

Tuesday 4th December 3:20—7:00pm

Thursday 6th December 3:20—5:00pm

The MCAS booking system will close on Monday 3rd December @ **9:30am**

For the Year 6 consultations we would like to request that your child attends the meeting with you.

Chestnut Class Assembly

Chestnut Class will be presenting their assembly on Friday 7th December at 2:45pm. Family and friends are welcome to come along.

Tue 18th Dec

EYFS Nativity 10:00am

Tue 18th Dec

Christmas Party (PM) Beech Class

Wed 19th Dec

Christmas Party (AM) - EYFS

Christmas Party (PM) - Years 3&4

Thur 20th Dec

PANTO— whole school—The Grand Opera House York

Fri 21st Dec

Christmas Service - All Saints Church 2:00pm

Fri 21st Dec

School closes for Christmas 3:20pm





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Panto

Get your panto consent forms in ASAP so arrangements can be finalised. There will be a charge of £5.00 for parents who are chaperoning the children to cover the cost of the coach.

IN AND AROUND HELMSLEY

Small Business Saturday

Don't forget is Helmsley's Small Business festive weekend. There is a variety of things going on in and around the Market Place over the weekend, starting with the Christmas Tree Festival this evening.



The Nationwide are supporting Ryedale Special Families with a Christmas toy appeal this year in Helmsley branch.

RSF support local families of children with people and young adults with additional needs disability or illness.

Donations of toys books games stationery etc would be really appreciated and can be dropped of at the branch.



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