



## Orchard Fields Community School Newsletter

Friday 14 December 2018

### Important reminders

## CHRISTMAS LUNCH & CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY (Non-Uniform Day)

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

## YOULBURY AND YENWORTHY PAYMENTS

Please note the deadline for Youlbury payments is 28<sup>th</sup> February 2019 and for Yenworthy payments is 15<sup>th</sup> May 2018. We ask that payments are made in instalments. If you have any concerns with regards to payment, please contact the school office on 01295 263324.

## Club Information – NO CLUBS NEXT WEEK

Clubs, including new ones, will restart on the first day back on **Tuesday 8 January**. The following clubs finish next week and will not be continuing next term:

Sports stars (multiskills) Monday Mrs Gilbert

Tennis Monday Mrs Lakhani

Gardening Monday Mrs Foreman

Choir Monday Mrs Palmer and Miss Elkes

Running Thursday Mrs Aleksic

**Please note that clubs do not run on a Wednesday and Friday each week.**



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# Christmas Events

**Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper day**

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

**Key Stage 1 Christmas Production**

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December – 1.30pm – 2.30pm

**Key Stage 1 Christmas Production**

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December – 9.30am – 10.30am

**Early Years Christmas Production**

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December – 2.00pm – 3.00pm

**Christmas House Event**

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December – 1.30pm – 2.30pm

## Christmas Lunch Menu

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

**Roast Turkey with Chipolatas, Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy  
or**

**Cheese & Leek Pasty (V) or Quorn fillet (V)**

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**Roast Potatoes, Garden Peas, Carrot Batons  
Brussels Sprouts**

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**Chocolate coated Christmas Tree or  
Christmas Cookie and Jelly or Fruit**

**Christmas Lunch is £2.20 unless your child is eligible for free  
school meals or in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2**

## Year 4 Visit

This term, the children in Year 4 have been thinking about ways the local police could be more approachable for children. They came up with some fantastic ideas, including having a water fight with the police, inviting the police in to school for lunch and changing the colour of their uniforms to be more appealing to children. They took their ideas and then wrote letters to send to PSCO Robert Bliss. On Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December, PSCO Bliss and his colleague, PCSO Birchnall visited Year 4 to discuss their ideas and answer any questions they had. PSCO Bliss told the children, he is going to email his Sergeant with their suggestions as he was so impressed with the quality of their work and their ideas! Well done Year 4!



## Year 6 Visit

Children in Year 6 has a special visitor this week from St Mary's Church. Jeannette Law who is also a school governor gave a talk about the Nativity.



# Healthy, Flourless Oat Pancakes Topped With Fruit by Ciara – Sports Council Rep

## **Ingredients:**

Oats – as many as you desire (normally 1 handful is a good suggestion)

2 x mashed bananas

1 x beaten egg

A sprinkling of cocoa powder (if you want!)

## **Topping:**

A mixture of chopped fruit of your choice to place on top of the pancake

## **Method:**

1. Get a medium sized bowl and mash the bananas into it
2. Add all the oats, the beaten egg (and cocoa powder if required) and mix well
3. Heat up your pan and add a drizzle of oil (optional)
4. Depending on the desired thickness of your pancake, pour your batter into the pan
5. After a couple of minutes, flip your pancake over to cook the other side
6. Once your pancake has baked, place it on a plate
7. Add your chosen fruit to the top of your pancake
8. Serve and enjoy your tasty pancakes!

Please note that the school does not take any responsibility for this recipe or any allergic reactions when the food has been consumed.

## Missed flu vaccination

Orchard Health Centre is running a catch up Flu clinic for any children that missed their flu vaccination this week and would still like it done. The session will take place on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December 3pm-5pm at Orchard Health Centre in Banbury OX162EZ.**

Places must be booked in advance by calling the number below or by email. Please call 01865 904234 or email

[lucy.davies@oxfordhealth.nhs.uk](mailto:lucy.davies@oxfordhealth.nhs.uk)

## Uniform

Parents are reminded that children need to wear full school uniform. Staff have noticed a connection between children who arrive looking smart and tidy and their ability to learn and contribute in class. Your support is appreciated.

## **Free food available on Fridays during term-time**

*Please note that the school does not take any responsibility for this food or any allergic reactions when the food has been consumed.*

Date	Event
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Key Stage 1 Christmas Production</b> - 1.30pm – 2.30pm- NO TICKETS (FULLY BOOKED)
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Key Stage 1 Christmas Production – 9.30am – 10.30am
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Early Years Christmas Production – 2.00pm – 3.00pm
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Children from the choir to Larkrise Care Home
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Christmas dinner and Christmas Jumper Day</b>