

Headline

Key Dates

17th Dec – Christmas Jumper Day
17th Dec – Christmas Dinner
17th Dec – Class Christmas Parties
18th Dec – KS2 Christmas Service (9:30)
18th Dec – Last day of Term
3rd Jan – Return to School
16th Jan – FS Screening

Term Dates 18/19

Term 2

Tuesday 30th October until
Tuesday 18th December

Term 3

Thursday 3rd January until
Friday 15th February

Term 4

Tuesday 26th February until
Friday 5th April

Term 5

Tuesday 23rd April until
Friday 24th May

Term 6

Tuesday 4th June until
Tuesday 23rd July

It has been a busy few weeks in school. Thank you to all of you who supported the Year R Nativity, the Key Stage 1 Production and the Christmas Fayre.

Year 6 had an amazing time in Snowdonia and I would like to say a huge thank you to Vanquis Bank and The Outward Bound Trust who made this trip possible at no cost to parents. Without the commitment of Mr Atkins, Mr Seaward, Miss Masters, Mrs Randell and Miss Sullivan, the trip would not have taken place and I would like to thank them for their dedication and care during the residential trip too.

During the week, I tweeted updates on my group, but the rest was done from back at school by Mrs Langthorne, huge thanks to her for this. Once again, the twitter updates proved very popular and I would like to thank all of you who followed what we were doing that week.

I am delighted to announce that this trip will take place again for Year 6 in November 2019. More details later in the school year.

Looking ahead, on Monday, we have our Christmas Jumper Day. Children will need to pay £1 to wear their festive clothes. All money raised will be donated to the charity 'Save the Children'.

Monday is also our Christmas dinner and

class party day.

Tuesday is the last day of term, with pupils in Years 3-6 going to St Augustine's Church for a festive service at 9:30am. Parents welcome.

We are then on holiday until the children return to school on Thursday 3rd January 2019.

When we return, the children will have new topics to learn about. Year R will be doing 'People who help us'. Year 1 and 2 are focusing on 'Dinosaurs'. The Year 3 and 4 topic is called 'Predator', whilst Year 5 and 6 will be focusing on 'Stargazers'.

There will be no newsletter next week, so whatever you are doing during the Christmas break, have a lovely, relaxing time. See you next year!

Mr Carthy

News

Christmas Jumper Day

On Monday we have a Christmas Jumper Tag Day. Children may pay £1 to wear festive clothing. All money raised will be donated to the charity Save the Children.

Newsletter

There will not be a newsletter on Friday 4th January. The next one will be Friday

Uniform

A navy blue jumper, sweatshirt or cardigan. Navy, black or grey trousers, tailored shorts, skirt or dress/navy and white checked dress. A white or blue polo shirt, shirt or blouse. Flat plain black shoes or trainers (no heels or open toes). www.tesco.com/ues

Key Staff

Mr Carthy *Headteacher*

Mrs Langthorne *Deputy Head*

Mr Chantler *Deputy Head*

Ms Gould *Chair of Governors*

Mrs Hill & Miss Knight *SENCO*

Miss Masters *FS Leader*

Miss Scudder *KS1 Leader*

Mr Chantler *LKS2 Leader*

Mr Atkins *UKS2 Leader*

Mrs Vella *Family Liason Officer*

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, achieving equal opportunities and combating discrimination.

We operate a very clear whistleblowing policy for staff.

11th January.

Chartwell's Lunch Menu

As we are returning to school on Thursday 3rd January, Chartwell's have provided the following menu for the first two days back.

Thurs 3rd Jan

Mac 'N' Cheese

Vegetable Biryani

Peas

Carrots

Jacket and Cheese

Flapjack

*No salad or yoghurt

Fri 4th Jan

Fish Fingers

Quorn Sausages

Chips

Beans

Sweetcorn

Ice Cream

The Autumn/Winter menu will resume from Monday 7th January on week three.

FS Screening Check

On Wednesday 16th January 2019 a team from MCH will be in school visiting Foundation Stage. They will be carrying out checks on height, weight, hearing and sight. Please can you ensure that you have returned the questionnaire that has been sent home.

Reminders

St Augustine's Church Service

On Tuesday 18th December, Years 3-6 will be going to St Augustine's for their festive service at 9:30am. Parents are welcome to attend.

Term Dates

Our last day of term is Tuesday 18th December. We will be returning to school on Thursday 3rd January.

Pat On The Back

The class with the best attendance for the week beginning the 3rd December 2018 was 3F with an amazing 100%! 3F only had 2 late pupils during this week, and a fantastic 97.9% of children arrived on time.

Also Coming Home

- Christmas Party Invites
- Reception Height, Weight, Hearing and Sight test Questionnaire
- Year 5/6 Homework Letter