

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Friday 10th December 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

I can't believe how quickly time is flying and that we only have 7 school days left before the Christmas holidays! There is so much festive cheer around school, it is lovely to see the children so excited.

EYFS & Key Stage 1 performance

The children have been working so hard on the play, they are doing a fantastic job of learning and remembering their lines and their singing is absolutely beautiful – I can't wait for you all to see the hard work they have put on. Remember we are live streaming it this year, if you haven't already contacted the office with your email address please do so by Monday morning at the very latest so that they can get the invites sent out to you.

Christmas market

Thank you to everyone who brought in chocolate today for the chocolate tombola, we received lots of delicious treats! Our final mufti day is next Friday and this will be for cakes – can I please ask that cakes are shop brought only and not homemade. Thank you.

This year our Christmas market is outside – we have a number of stalls. To support everyone and to keep everyone as safe as possible we will be staggering the times, please see the timings and where to collect your children in the diary section. The raffle will be drawn at 2:30pm and we will notify you if you have won a prize. All adults attending the Christmas market **must** wear a fave covering please, government guidance is that adults should also undertake an LFT test beforehand as well. If you miss your time slot please come at 2:15 to the front entrance. Also, if you are able to help can you please let the office know as we would be very grateful for more volunteers.

Covid update

Just a reminder that if your child has any of the following symptoms - **high temperature, continuous cough, loss or change to sense of smell and taste** – they must self isolate and undertake a PCR test. In line with new government guidelines all staff are now wearing face coverings in communal areas. We are now requesting that any **adult or child over 12** entering into school and picking up/ dropping off children also wear a face covering. We don't have a great amount of space and as a school we just want to keep everyone safe, especially with Christmas around the corner.

Being on time

We are noticing that more and more children are arriving late in the mornings. It is important that children are here on time so that the class can start the lesson promptly and the learning of all children is not disrupted. We do monitor lateness with our Education and Inclusion officer and if they notice regular lateness or patterns of lateness they may send you a letter or call you in for a discussion on how to improve your child's punctuality. We understand that there may be rare occasions when you are unavoidably late due to unforeseen circumstances. On these occasions please make sure that you contact the school office to inform us when you will arrive.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Gilbert.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 15th December

EYFS Nativity / KS1 Production online stream

EYFS – 9:30am

Key Stage 1 – 1:00pm

Friday 17th December

Mufti day for cakes

Christmas market:

- Hawaii – 12:45pm (collect from Hawaii gate)
- Pre-school – 1:00pm (collect from gate)
- Reception – 1:15pm (collect from gate)
- Year 1 / 2 – 1:30pm (Y1 – collect from door, Y2- collect front entrance)
- Year 3 / 4 – 1:45pm (Y3 – collect front entrance, Y4- collect courtyard)
- Year 5/6 – 2:00pm (Y5 – collect front entrance, Y6- collect courtyard)

Monday 20th December

Christmas Dinner

Tuesday 21st December

Christmas jumper mufti day

Party day & party lunch

Break up for Christmas Holidays

Tuesday 4th January 2022

Back to school



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Reflection Questions

Getting Started: When do you find it easier or more difficult to work with others in a positive way?

Intermediate: Have you contributed to the group decision making?

Advanced: How can you encourage others to contribute?

Mastery: What is an unhelpful conflict? How can you avoid this?

Lunch Menu – week commencing 13th December 2021

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main	Macaroni Cheese	Chicken Filo Pie	Roast Gammon	Beef Bolognese	Fish Fingers
Vegetarian	Vegetable Burrito Wrap	BBQ Beans with Cornbread	Sweet Potato & Chickpea Roast	Butternut Squash and Tomato Bake with Rice	Veggie Nuggets
Served with	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Peas Broccoli	Roast Potatoes Carrots Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Chips Beans Peas
Dessert	Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream	Brownie	Shortbread Biscuit with Fruit Slices	Berry & Peach Oaty Crumble with Custard	Orange, Sultana & Carrot Cake Slice



FESTIVE MENU!

Chartwells
So much more than Fantastic Food

MAINS

£2.15

Roast Turkey with a Mini Pork Sausage
or
Roasted Vegetable & Cranberry Slice (v)
Served with Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli, Stuffing and Gravy

DESSERTS

Festive Chocolate Orange Brownie
or
Fruit Salad

DON'T FORGET! SCHOOL MEALS ARE FREE FOR ALL PUPILS IN RECEPTION, YEAR 1 OR YEAR 2.

PLEASE SPEAK TO YOUR SCHOOL FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO SIGN UP TODAY!

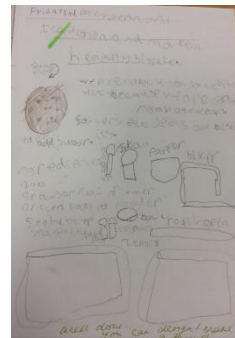
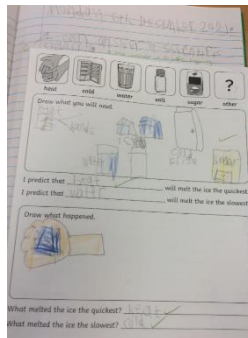
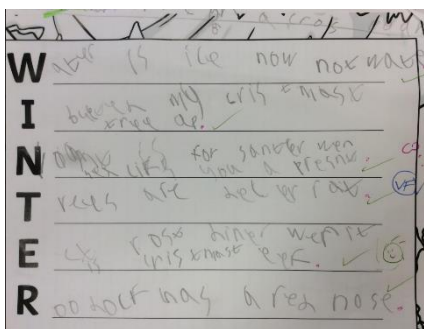
REMINDER

We have extended the time for you to book your child's Christmas dinner to Monday morning, so please book it over the weekend if your child would like one.

Remember we are not providing any other menu options on this day so if your child doesn't book they will need to be provided with a packed lunch from home.

THIS WEEK AT BRADING...

This week, New Zealand class have been learning how to write acrostic poems, all about winter! Every morning the elf has done something new and we have been writing about it in our diaries. In maths we have been adding money. We also did a science experiment to find out which substance melts ice the quickest. We loved making sea salt cookies in DT as part of our Pirates, Seas and Oceans topic... yuck!



KINDNESS AWARDS



Bible Reflection

Romans 12:12

Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.

Eli's joke corner

How much does it cost for Santa to park?

Nothing because it's on the house!

Theatre Educational

'CHRISTMAS CRACKER'



Oakfield Primary School and Barton Primary School

Theatre Educational is thrilled to offer an exciting creative programme, funded by the **Department for Education** for two days during the Christmas holidays. Activities and lunch provided.

Free to children eligible for free school meals

OR @ £15 per day

Wednesday 22nd and Thursday 23rd December

10:00am - 3:00pm

Register using the link below

<https://app.classmanager.com/portal/theatre-educational/register>

If you are an existing customer and have attended HAF before register here

<https://app.classmanager.com/portal/theatre-educational>

Call or email study@theatreeducational.co.uk / 07984 170014

5 years - 16 years



ON YER BIKE PRESENTS...

Affordable Christmas Bike Sale

SUN 19 DECEMBER 2021, 11AM - 2PM

THE CHAPEL, YMCA WINCHESTER HOUSE
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- Affordable Bike Sale
- Repairs & Demonstrations
- Tea, Coffee & Cake

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