



Value - Friendship - Ecclesiastes 4:9-10 'New Living Translation (NLT)Two people are better off than one, for they can help each other succeed. If one person falls, the other can reach out and help. But someone who falls alone is in real trouble'

8th December 2023



CHRISTMAS MARKET:

Thank you to everyone that came along to the Christmas Market yesterday we hope you enjoyed it as much as we did. Thank you also to the Friends of South Bersted who worked very hard to organise the Christmas Market.



RED BOOK:

Each week, two pupils are entered into their class Red Book for displaying the school's Christian Value and/or for going above and beyond in their learning. The pupils listed below have been recognised in our whole school Collective Worship today.

Congratulations to:

The whole of Penguin Class, Thea K (Y1), Indie A (Y1), The whole of Year 2, Malachi H (Y3), Vicky G (Y3), Jude W (Y4), Gerrard H (Y4), Maks S (Y5), Mary G (Y5), Freddie P (Y5), Leo H (Y6), Tehya A (Y6)

HOT LUNCHES:

If your child has a hot lunch please remember to log into ParentPay and order their meals for when we return to school on Wednesday 3rd January.

<u>Lunches need to be booked by 11.59pm on Thursday 28th December</u> as this is the order cut-off date for the week that we return to school.



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READING:

During Collective Worship this morning it was wonderful to present pupils with new reading books as part of our reading raffle. Congratulations to Finley (EYS), Aiden (Y1), Leo (Y2), Bailey (Y3), Alisa (Y4), Savannah (Y5), and Isla (Y6).



END OF TERM CHURCH SERVICE:

Next Friday we will be having a whole school Collective Worship at the Church and welcome parents and carers to join us. We are in need of more parent helpers to walk with the children. We will leave school at 9am and return by 10am. If you have availability to help please send a Dojo message to the office.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday 11th December - Year 5 Plastic Pollution Presentation - Parents welcome (3.15-4pm) Wednesday 13th December - Whole School Christingle Collective Worship Thursday 14th December - Christmas Jumper Day & Chartwells Christmas Lunch Thursday 14th December - Christmas Grotto visits Thursday 14th December - Y5 & 6 FAB Netball Event - Various (3.45-5.30pm) Thursday 14th December - Y5 & 6 FAB Football Event - Various (3.45-5.30pm) Friday 15th December - Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Grotto visits Friday 15th December - End of Term Church Service - Parents and Carers welcome (9-10am) Friday 15th December - Last Day of Term (3.15pm) Tuesday 2nd January - INSET DAY Wednesday 3rd January - First Day of Spring Term (8.35am) Thursday 4th January - Nikki Hull - Dedicated Schools Drop-In (8.30am-12.30pm) Friday 5th January - Year 5 Swimming

THURSDAY 30th NOVEMBER:

- Year 1 and 2 Christmas Performance 'Baubles'

2.15-3.15pm - tickets are free but you must book via MCAS (maximum 3 tickets per family over both performances)

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FRIDAY 1st DECEMBER:

- Year 1 and 2 Christmas Performance 'Baubles'

9.00-10.15am – tickets are free but you must book via MCAS (maximum 2 tickets per family over both days)

MONDAY 4th DECEMBER:

- Children's Christmas Post Box begins

Post-boxes will be located in the Key Stage 2 communal area and the Library area – please ensure the envelope states the recipient's name and class. (Last posting date Wednesday 13th December) - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 – Christmas Film Night (Nativity 2) (U)

3.15- 5.30pm. Tickets will be on sale via MCAS, more information to follow.

TUESDAY 5th DECEMBER:

Years 3-6 – Christmas Film Night (Nativity 2) (U) 3.15-5.30pm. Tickets will be on sale via MCAS, more information to follow.

WEDNESDAY 6th DECEMBER:

- Reception Christmas Performance 'A Wriggly Nativity' 2.15-3.15pm – tickets are free but you must book via MCAS (maximum 3 tickets per family, per performance)

THURSDAY 7th DECEMBER:

- Reception Christmas Performance 'A Wriggly Nativity'

9.15-10.15pm – tickets are free but you must book via MCAS (maximum 3 tickets per family, per performance) - Christmas Market

3.15–5.00pm – Tombola, Lucky Dip, Stalls, Mulled Wine, Mince Pies and Hot Chocolate

WEDNESDAY 13th DECEMBER:

Christingle Service (in school – children and staff only)
 Children will bring home their Christingle at the end of the day
 Key Stage 2 Carol Service (St Mary Magdalene Church)
 6.00pm start (children must arrive for 5.45pm in school uniform). Refreshments will be available.

THURSDAY 14th DECEMBER:

- Chartwells Christmas Lunch Orders must be placed by 11.59pm on 30th November (contact the office with any queries) - Christmas Jumper Day (day 1 of 2) Children may wear a Christmas Jumper in place of their school jumper or cardigan - Christmas Grotto (day 1 of 2)

All children will have an opportunity to meet Father Christmas in the grotto during the last 2 days of term

FRIDAY 15th DECEMBER:

- Christmas Grotto (day 2 of 2)

All children will have an opportunity to meet Father Christmas in the grotto during the last 2 days of term
- Christmas Jumper Day (day 2 of 2)
Children may wear a Christmas Jumper in place of their school jumper or cardigan
- Christmas Decorations

Children will bring home their handmade Christmas decorations 9.00-10.00am - Church Service – Parents and Carers welcome

- Break up for Christmas holidays (3.15pm)





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