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This week

We've had a fabulous week this week where we are certainly getting into the Christmas Spirit. Year 5 and 6 have been rehearsing for our 'Miss Scrooge Cancels Christmas' and I know that the children are very much looking forward to showing off their fantastic talents.

Attendance Matters

Well done to this week's winners: **Year 4**

Whole School Attendance
This week: 91.8%
This year: 94%
Attendance target: 96.5%



Aladdin at Take 2 Theatre



Year 4 and 5 are having the opportunity to watch the performance of Aladdin at Take 2 Academy Theatre. The children are required to wear their Christmas jumpers and school trousers/skirts/dresses. Don't forget to order your child's Christmas Dinner as it is Christmas dinner day too. The children will be going in for lunch early and we will be expected to arrive back to school for the normal pick-up time of 3:30pm.

Y5 & Y6 Christmas Production

Don't forget to get your ticket orders in for the Year 5 and 6 performances of 'Miss Scrooge Cancels Christmas'. There will be a 2pm and 6pm show on Friday 15th December in the Parish Hall. Tickets will be handed out to children next week.

Jewellery



Can we please remind parents about our school policy on earrings and jewellery. Our number one priority is to keep our children safe at all times in school and the wearing of hoops and jewellery which could be caught while playing during break time or during a PE lesson is **not** permitted.

Please see below for a reminder of our school PE policy: 'Jewellery, other than a sensible watch and plain stud earrings, should not be worn and pupils should not wear make-up, including nail varnish and temporary tattoos for school'.

Christmas Dinner Day



Reminder to order your child's school Christmas Dinner for Wednesday 13th December. This will be the only dinner option available on this day so please bring a pack up from home if your child does not want a Christmas dinner. To help our catering team with planning, please pre-order your child's dinner. You can do this now by logging onto your ParentPay account.

Christmas Jumper Day

Children can come to school wearing their Christmas jumpers on the 13th December also!



Dates for the diary



Sunday 10th December

Christingle Service in Church at 6pm – all welcome!

Children participating in the choir should arrive for 5:45pm

Monday 11th December

Y3 Hoyland Library Visit – rescheduled from this week
Girls' football after school club Y1 – Y6

Tuesday 12th December

Lego after school club Y3 – Y6

Wednesday 13th December

Christmas Dinner Day
Christmas Jumper Day
Y4 & Y5 Aladdin at Take 2 Theatre
Boys' football after school club Y3 – Y5
Art after school club EYFS – Y6

Thursday 14th December

Y6 Swim lesson
Rugby after school club Y1 – Y6
Carols Around The Tree 3:30 – 4pm (hot drink and mince pie £1)

Friday 15th December

Y5 & 6 Christmas performance in the Parish Hall at 2pm and 6pm

Thursday 21st December

KS1 Nativity in Church – Y1 parents invited to attend

Carols Around The Tree



Everyone is invited to join us in carol singing on Thursday at 3:30 – 4pm to help us get into the Christmas Spirit. We will be selling a hot drink and mince pie for £1. If you would like your child to participate in the choir, please give permission on Arbor.

Spotlight on Year 4

This week, for our DT week, we have made toys with cam mechanisms and have learned about the specific movements that the different cams make. We have stayed focussed and resilient in our assessments and have worked so hard. What an exciting week we've had in Year 4, despite it being assessment week, we have had so much fun.



Our School Community

