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11th December 2020

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Day	Date	Event
Various	13.12.20 -	EYFS Christmas videos to be
	22.12.20	posted
Monday	14.12.20	Am Nursery Christmas Party
		Pm Y3 Christmas Party
Tuesday	15.12.20	Am Reception Christmas Party
-		Pm Y4 Christmas Party
Wednesday	16.12.20	Am Y1 Christmas Party
		Pm Y5 Christmas Party
Thursday	17.12.20	Am Y2 Christmas Party
-		Pm Y6 Christmas Party
Friday	18.12.20	Christmas Jumper day
		Christmas Dinner day
		Last day of term

BUN SALES - 50p

Date	Class to bring buns
18.12.20	Germany
8.1.21	Ireland
15.1.21	Nursery

TOAST ROTA - 50p

Monday	Reception
Tuesday	Years 1 & 2
Wednesday	Years 3 & 4
Thursday	Years 5 & 6



YOUR SCHOOL MENU

Week Commencing Monday 14th December The salad bar is available daily

MONDAY

Chicken and Pepper Pizza
Vegetable Seashell Pasta
Tuna Sandwich
Cream Cheese and Cucumber Wrap
Chips, Beans and Mixed Vegetables

Smoothie Fruit Yoghurt

TUESDAY

Chicken Fillet Burger in a Bun Quorn Chicken Fillet in a Bun Turkey Sandwich Tuna Wrap Diced Herby Potatoes, Carrots and Green Beans

> Chocolate Sponge and Custard Fruit Yoghurt

WEDNESDAY

Roast Chicken and Yorkshire Pudding Quorn Roast and Yorkshire Pudding Egg Sandwich Turkey Wrap Oven Baked Roast Potatoes, Cabbage and Broccoli

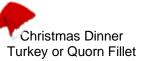
> Lemon Drizzle Sponge and Custard Fruit Yoghurt

THURSDAY

Sweet and Sour Chicken Tomato and Basil Pasta Cheese Sandwich Ham Wrap Rice, Pita Bread and Mixed vegetables

> Chocolate Mousse Fruit Yoghurt









Christmas Yule Log Christmas Pudding and Custard Ice Cream



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News from this week

Local Authority Monitoring

We have had a virtual monitoring visit with our School Effectiveness Officer this week who focused her monitoring on Design Technology this time. She talked to Mrs Whitaker who is our DT Subject Leader, spoke to some teaching staff and also spoke to some children and looked at their work. She was impressed with the provision in this subject and the enthusiasm shown by all.

Information for next week

Gifts for staff

A few parents have asked whether their children can bring in gifts for staff. Although staff do not expect gifts, if your child would like to give them a gift, please can they bring these in early in the week next week so that they can leave them to quarantine before taking them home at the end of the week. If they can be brought in a plastic carrier, even better, as these can then be wiped down.

Christmas Raffle

Many thanks for the donations of raffle prizes for the class hampers. We have had donations ranging from bottles of spirits to sweets to amusing gifts. They will certainly be prizes worth winning! We will draw the raffle in school on Thursday so that we can let the winners know in time for the prizes to be collected. If you still want to purchase raffle tickets, please let the office staff know.

Next Friday

Next Friday is Christmas jumper day! We will be collecting donations to be donated to Save the Children. Children can come in any form of non-uniform but Christmas jumpers are particularly encouraged.

Y5 and 6 children are reminded to bring a snack as they will be served their Christmas dinner last and therefore will be able to eat a snack during the latter part of the morning.

Party Days

Children can come in party clothes or non-uniform for the day which their party is held on next week – see diary dates table. Please remember though that they will be playing out and therefore need sensible shoes and a warm layer.

Other information

Poppy Sales

The Royal British Legion have informed us that we supported them in raising £276.10 through our poppy appeal. Thank you for your support.

End of term

This is the last newsletter of 2020. It has certainly been a very different and at times challenging year for us all. As staff, we cannot express enough how thankful we are to be part of the Withinfields' Community which has such supportive parents who were amazing during this year in working with us to see lockdown through and supporting us to reopen as soon as we could. We are extremely

proud of every single child in terms of the work that they have done this term whilst showing amazing resilience in getting back into the swing of school. We look forward to seeing you all again in 2021 but wish you a peaceful Christmas and a happy and healthy new year.