



# NEWSLETTER - 1.12.23



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Events coloured in green are either those which are funded by our enrichment pot or events that contribute to the pot as fundraising. Thank you for your support.

Day	Date	Event
w/c	4.12.23	Y3, 4 Assessment week
W-F	6.12.23 - 8.12.23	Y5 Residential at Robinwood
w/c	11.12.23	Y6 Assessment week
Mon	11.12.23	2.40pm Sweden Demonstration of Learning
Tues	12.12.23	2.40pm Switzerland Demonstration of Learning
Weds	13.12.23	3.20pm Christmas Fayre
Thurs	14.12.23	2.40pm Denmark Demonstration of Learning
Mon	18.12.23	am Y3 Christmas Party
Mon	18.12.23	pm Y4 Christmas Party
Tues	19.12.23	am Y1/2 Christmas Party
Weds	20.12.23	am Y5 Christmas Party
Weds	20.12.23	pm Y6 Christmas Party
Weds	20.12.23	5pm EYFS Nativity Performance
Thurs	21.12.23	9.10am EYFS Nativity Performance
Thurs	21.12.23	pm EYFS Christmas Party
Fri	22.12.23	Christmas Jumper day including Church Service (pupils and staff only) and Christmas lunch
Fri	22.12.23	Last day of term

## TOAST ROTA – 50p

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

## BUN SALES – 50p

Date	Class to bring buns
8.12.23	Finland
15.12.23	Poland
22.12.23	Spain

<b>OUR SCHOOL MENU</b> (Subject to change due to stock shortages)
<b>Monday</b>
Battered Fish Cheese Rolls Ham Sandwich Cheese Wrap Chips and Beans  Strawberry Ice Cream Tub Fruit Yoghurt
<b>Tuesday</b>
Mince & Onion Pie & Gravy Savoury Quorn Mince & Yorkshire Pudding Turkey Sandwich Tuna Wrap New Potatoes, Cabbage & Carrots  Apple Crumble Fruit Yoghurt
<b>Wednesday</b>
Roast Chicken Fillet with Sage & Onion Stuffing Quorn Fillets with Sage & Onion Stuffing Tuna Sandwich Turkey Wrap Roast Potatoes, Carrot & Swede Mash, Broccoli Florets  Jam Bun Fruit Yoghurt
<b>Thursday</b>
Pasta Bolognese Mac 'n' Cheese Cheese Sandwich Ham Wrap Garlic Bread, Mixed Vegetables  Vanilla Sponge Fruit Yoghurt
<b>Friday</b>
Margherita Pizza Sausage Roll Tuna Sandwich Ham Wrap Diced herby Potatoes, and Sweetcorn  Chocolate Rice Krispie Bun Fruit Yoghurt

## News from this week

### Health and Safety Audit

We were visited by Calderdale Health and Safety for our routine Health and Safety audit this week. They checked all our documentation and had a tour of the building. They were impressed with the way in which we manage all aspects of health and safety.

### Winter Disco

The children all seemed to enjoy the Winter Disco on Tuesday. Thank you to all the staff for their time in volunteering at the Winter discos and for the band of parent helpers who also came. The event managed to raise just over £600 for the enrichment pot.

## Information for next week

### Nativity Tickets

Nursery and Reception are busy preparing for their Nativity performance. It will take place on Wednesday 20th December at 5pm and on Thursday 21st December at 9.10am. All families are eligible to buy two tickets per child in Nursery/Reception. You can have two tickets for the same performance or one ticket for each performance. Tickets are available to purchase on School Gateway at £2 each. Please add in the comments box, when purchasing, which performance you want your tickets for e.g. Weds eve or Thurs am.

Please ensure that you have purchased your tickets by the end of school next Friday. We will then look to see how many tickets are still available and let you know whether there will be extras available to purchase and how these can be purchased.

We would appreciate it if all Nursery and Reception children could attend for the performance on Wednesday evening. We will send details about times etc. nearer the event. If your child is in Nursery and does not usually attend on Thursdays, they are welcome to come on Thursday 21st all day so that they can be in the Nativity performance in the morning and then the party in the afternoon.

### Robinwood Residential

Our Y5 children and various members of staff are braving the elements from Wednesday to Friday next week when they will take part in their residential at Robinwood in Todmorden. I am sure that they will represent Withinfields well!

## Other information

### Pokemon cards and other toys

We are having various issues with children getting upset because they have lost items that they have brought into school or traded with others, then wanted things back, which causes arguments.

Please do not send your child with toys, Pokemon cards or similar items.

### Christmas Fair

This will take place on Wednesday 13th December at the end of school. If you would like to hire a stall, which comprises of two classroom tables, please let the office know.

Also, we are hoping to run a chocolate raffle so would appreciate donations of single bars of chocolate or chocolate items if any families are able to offer these.

### Christmas Dinner

We are starting to plan our Christmas dinner for the last day of term. Please can all parents and carers complete the survey on this link **if you want your child to have a school Christmas dinner on the last day of term**. This includes children who normally have a school dinner.

<https://forms.gle/HNtCQQGKhQfgyoXo9>

This means that we can purchase the appropriate numbers of puddings and ensure that we are catering for allergies and dietary requirements.

The survey included in the link will be open all next week.