



## Withinfields' Newsletter - 5.12.25

### 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.

**Tues 9th Dec** - Christmas Fayre  
**Weds 10th - 12th Dec** - Y5 Robinwood  
**Mon 15th Dec - 2.30pm** Carols in the playground  
**Mon 15th Dec** - Y3 (am) / Y4 (pm) Christmas Party  
**Tues 16th Dec** - Y1/2 Christmas Party (pm)  
**Wed 17th Dec** - Nativity (9.10am & 5pm) & Y6 Christmas Party (pm)  
**Thurs 18th Dec** - EYFS (am) / Y5 (pm) - Christmas party  
**Friday 19th Dec** - Christmas Dinner & Jumper day

### BUN SALES – 50p

We enjoy buns each Friday at playtime. We ask for donations of buns from a different class each week as detailed below. Buns are 50p and this can be paid in cash or via School Gateway. Proceeds from these sales go into our Enrichment pot.

Date	Class to bring buns
12.12.25	Poland
19.12.25	Spain
9.1.26	Nursery
16.1.26	Denmark
23.1.26	Reception
30.1.26	Italy
6.2.26	Greece

### Buns Sponsor of the week

Many thanks to our Bun Sponsor - iBuild scaffolding - who have kindly provided funding for the rest of this half term.

If you have a company that would like to sponsor a week or you wish to do it as a family, please complete this link.

<https://forms.gle/Bw5NCNcUdp6sfWb49>

You can use it as an opportunity to raise awareness of your business or ask to remain anonymous. It costs just £40 to purchase buns for those that haven't paid/forgot their money.

Our Enrichment pot pays for all school trips and special workshops within school for our children so that parents are not asked to pay for these.

### Special moment of the week!

The Year 6 children enjoyed a day with Rap Poet, Rob Bradley, on Monday. They enjoyed listening to him perform and learned how he creates his material then had a go at creating their own poems. The children worked really well together in groups and a group will represent us in 2026 at the Poetry Slam at the Victoria Theatre. This is always a really lovely event and we are appreciative of the Bearder Charity who part fund this day for us.

### Important information for next week

It will be our Christmas Fayre on Tuesday next week. This will take place straight after school. Please collect your children from their classes as normal and then come around to the Hall fire door for entry into the Christmas fayre. This event is a token event and token cards can be purchased for £2.50 for 5 tokens via School Gateway or in cash at the office either prior to the event or at the event. Children can obviously have more than one card if they wish to have a go on more than 5 stalls.

### Other information

**Support for neurodivergent children** - I received a link this week to some helpful advice for parents of children who are neurodivergent and protecting them from internet and gaming scams. This is the [link](#).

### **All things Christmas!**

#### Nativity

Tickets will go on sale for this Early Years event on Monday. Each family can purchase two tickets for each performance. The performances are both on Wednesday 17th December at 9.10am and 5pm. 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. via ClassDojo. If your child is in Nursery and does not usually attend on Wednesdays, they are welcome to come on Wednesday morning for the Nativity performance but will need to be taken home afterwards.

Entry to the audience for the nativity will be through the hall fire door. Please ensure that you have your tickets as we need to ensure that we stick to fire regulations.

#### Christmas Parties

On the day that it is your child's Christmas party in the final week of term, they are allowed to wear non-uniform for the day. Please remember that they will still be playing out at lunchtime and so appropriate footwear is necessary and warm clothes.

We can fund the food, drinks, prizes and presents for the parties due to your kind support towards the enrichment pot whenever we hold fundraising events.

#### Christmas Carols in the playground

The children and staff will be holding a carols in the playground session on Monday 15th December from 2.30pm. If the weather is not fine, we will do this in the hall. Each age phase will sing two songs with each age phase coming out at different times. We will serve warm drinks for anyone that wants to purchase them but otherwise this event is free. Please bring cash and a travel cup if you have one to save on disposable cup waste.

#### Church Service

We are hoping that the weather is kind on the last Friday and that we will be able to go to church for our Carol Service. This is an event which is only for staff, children and regular volunteers. We will walk to church as soon as registers have been taken so please ensure that your children are at school on time.

#### Christmas Jumper day

This will take place on the last Friday too with a bucket collection at the gate with the proceeds supporting the gifts, parties and other events that we fund at Christmas. Children and staff are encouraged to wear a Christmas jumper for the day or any other non-uniform outfit.

**Pre-loved school uniform** - Thank you to all those parents who have requested uniform via this new service. In case you missed it last week, I have copied the information below again: We have lots of pre-loved but very good quality school uniform. We have decided to start an online request service for this uniform. If your child has lost jumpers, cardigans etc. or simply outgrown their uniform, please complete this form: <https://forms.gle/xXWL28t71UfSuxELA>

Once a week, we will collate any responses, put together a bag of items that you have requested (if we have any in stock) and send it home with your child. This will hopefully help families financially but will also reduce the storage space that we are currently using storing all this uniform! Once received, if you want to make a monetary donation for the uniform, you can do this via School

Gateway or you may wish to simply donate uniform that they've grown out of back to us for someone else. I have put this link on to our school website under the information about uniform also in case you don't need it now but may need it in the future.