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NEWSLETTER 05 - 8th December 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

CHRISTMAS PLAYS

I have been enjoying listening to the children practicing for their Christmas plays, they all sound wonderful! We look forward to welcoming you into school next week to watch your child/children. Please see the diary dates below for a reminder of the days and times of the performances. Up to 4 family/friends can come and watch the play (if you are separated then 2 each please) -tickets are not needed and there is no charge. If you would particularly like to bring 'extras' please speak to me. We will be displaying the nativity photos at the performances. These will then be available to purchase via Parent Pay ($\pounds 2$ for one and $\pounds 3$ for two) and collected from the office. Apologies for the change in price of these but I accidently ordered the wrong size photos so we have adjusted the price to reflect this!

VISIT TO ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH

On Monday 18th December the children from Oak, Willow and Rowan classes will visit St Michael's Church on Bridgegate. Parents are welcome to meet us there at 10:00 for a short service.

CHRISTMAS PARTIES

On Christmas Party Day the children can come to school in 'party' clothes for the whole day but please bear in mind that they will be playing outside in whatever they wear. Party food will be provided by school. If your child has particular allergies please speak to your child's class teacher about whether you would like to provide your own party plate of food or are happy for your child to have a suitable party plate from school.

MONEY

Please make sure all ParentPay payments for this term (including any outstanding amounts) are paid in full by Friday 15th December.

DIARY DATES

Willow Class Christmas Play Rhubarb Theatre visit school Oak Class Christmas Play Nursery Christmas Play 2.15pm Tuesday 12th December - parents welcome AM Wednesday 13th December - Oak, Willow & Rowan 2.15pm Wednesday 13th December - parents welcome 11am Thursday 14th December - parents welcome Rowan Class Christmas Play Oak, Willow & Rowan visit St Michael's Church

Christmas Dinner Christmas Party Day Last day of school INSET Days First day back at school 9am Friday 15th December - parents welcome Monday 18th December -parents welcome to meet there at 10am Monday 18th December Tuesday 19th December Wednesday 20th December Thursday 21st and Friday 22nd December Thursday 4th January 2024

We like to give dates in advance but please be mindful that they may need to be changed.

If you have any questions or suggestions please catch me on the playground or come to the office. My door is always open.

Jo Cook

Mrs Cook Head Teacher