



Beckwithshaw Community Primary School

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14th December 2018

Christmas Carol Concert... Thank you to everyone who came along to our Christmas Carol on Thursday. I'm sure you'll agree that the children sang beautifully. We also loved seeing the Reception and Year One children in their Nativity costumes. Thank you to all the staff who helped with rehearsals over the past few weeks.

Dodgeball... Two teams of our Year 5 & 6 children competed in the Small Schools Dodgeball Competition this week, with great success. Our teams came second and third in a close competition, and three of our children were presented with wristband awards for self belief, team work and respect, all wonderful qualities that we are proud our children have. Well done everyone! Thank you to Mrs Bennett and Mrs Wood for attending.

Start of the day... Our doors are open at 8.45am to enable a smooth transition into school before our registration and lesson start at 8.55am. Please can parents make sure they arrive in plenty of time to allow children to be ready to learn at 8.55am. Thank you.

Treetops... Our after school club, Treetops, is available for parents requiring a little extra childcare at the end of the school day. This services operates from 3.30pm until 5.30pm. As our Treetops staff have their own families and commitments at home, we ask that all children be collected promptly at 5.30pm. Any late collections will be charged an additional late fee.

Lunch Menus... Lunch menus have been sent out in book bags this week. Please could these be returned by Thursday 20th December so that our cook can order supplies and collate the information over the holidays. Thank you.

Clubs... There will be no clubs in the last week of term, but Treetops will be available should you require additional care for your children. Next term's clubs have been sent via ParentMail. Please complete the form before we return in the New Year. All clubs will start w/c 14th Jan. Details of external provider contacts are available on our website in the Activities area.

Christmas Dates...

Monday 17th December 3.30pm in the Playground - FoBS 'Pull a Bottle' stall. Festive tipples can be won whilst raising money for our school.

Wednesday 19th December - Christmas Jumper Day. Children are encouraged to come in festive jumpers and non uniform.

We will also be having our Christmas Lunch (see ParentMail for lunch choices).

Wednesday 19th December - FoBS Christmas Party 3.45-5.45pm, Village Hall. FoBS will be having a Christmas Party with party food and festive games. £6.00 per child. Please complete the ParentMail form to advise participation by 14th December.

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Awards for...

Honesty

Class Swale: Ole

Class Wharfe: Lola

Class Nidd: Erika

Class Esk: Ella

Next week's award is

Passion

Dates...

19th Dec - Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day

19th Dec - FoBS Christmas Party

21st Dec - Last Day of Term

We wish you all a Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year!

7th Jan - Staff Development day

8th Jan - Return to school