

Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School Newsletter No 12 - 2 December 2022

Holiday Dates -

Last Day of Autumn Term - Tuesday 20th December 2022. **School closes at 1:30pm**

Return to School - Thursday 5th January 2023

February Half Term - Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February 2023

Dates for your Diary -

6th December - Christmas parent workshop 2.45-3.15pm

7th December - Bedtime Stories 5pm-6pm **12-16th** December - Christmas Performances

14th December - Christmas Dinner and Christmas jumper day

16th/19th December - Explorers Christmas parties

19th December - Christmas Parties - Reception/Yr 1/Yr 2

20th December - Pantomime

15th January - Reception/Junior School applications close

24th January - Year 2 Dance Festival **25th** January - BATICs Got Talent

27th January - Lego Day

PA News:

Thank you to everyone that came along and supported us at the Christmas Fayre on Saturday. A special thank you to anyone who volunteered to help and run a stall, without you we wouldn't have been able to make the Fayre happen.

Raffle and prize winners have been contacted.

15th December - Christmas Discos

Reception 3.30pm—4.30pm Yr1 4.45pm—5.45pm

Yr2 6pm—7pm

If you wish for your child to attend the Christmas Disco on Thursday 15th December, please complete the form AND send payment via School Money or bank transfer by Wednesday 12th December. Scan this QR code on your

phone's camera to access the Google Form.



Achievers of the Week -

Explorers: Pippa

Stars: Emily

Moons: Martha

Rockets: Kylo

Planets: Lilly

: Lilly

Astronauts: Florence

Flying Saucers: Mia

Galaxies: Harvey

Asteroids: Amelia

Satellites: Skylar

Attendance Heroes -

Planets: Eli Astronauts: Ethan S Flying Saucers: Effie-Bob

Galaxies: Amy Asteroids: Rosie Satellites: Joshua C

LUNCH MENU – WEEK COMMENCING 5 DECEMBER 2022

Monday - Pasta Neapolitan with Crusty Bread and Roasted Broccoli or Jacket Potato with Cheese/Tuna Mayo and Fruit Platter

Tuesday – Hot Dog or Veggie Hot Dog served with Lightly Seasoned Wedges and Corn on the Cob and Homemade Cookie

Wednesday - Sticky Chicken or Quorn Dippers with Herby Potatoes, Carrots and Green Beans served with Garlic Bread and Yoghurt

Thursday - Chicken and Tomato Pasta Bake or Tomato and Lentil Pasta Bake with Carrots and Fruit Crumble and Custard

<u>Friday</u> – Omega 3 Fish Fingers or Omelette with Chips and Baked Beans and Ice Cream Sponge

News ...

Christmas - Christmas started with our festive Christmas Fayre last Saturday. Thanks to everyone who supported this important event in our school calendar. Special thanks go to the PA who devoted lots of their time preparing for, running stalls and clearing up after the event. Your hard work is really appreciated.

There were lots of excited children on Thursday when we officially started Christmas in school. Our pigs in blankets lunch went down well and the children enjoyed their festive Daily K. The classrooms are already ringing with the songs being practised for the Christmas performances.

Thank you to Stibbards who donated the tree we have decorated at the front of the school.

If you haven't already booked your child's Christmas dinner on 14th December the deadline is **5pm tonight** (**2nd December**). Other forms you have been sent to complete are Bedtime Stories (deadline **5pm tonight**) and Christmas Performance tickets.

Also please remember to let your child's class teacher know via SeeSaw whether to expect you for the Parent Christmas workshop on **Tuesday 6th December** from 2.45pm.

Cost of living support - we know that there are families across Essex who are currently struggling with the rising cost of living. Colleagues have pulled together a special newsletter which gives information on some of the support you may be eligible for which you can find when you use this QR code.

You can also find out more about the Cost of Living Hub via a link in that newsletter.

School Admissions - Applications for Reception Year and Year 3 Junior School September 2023 intake will be open until 15th January 2023. The following link gives you all the information you need to know about the process: www.essex.gov.uk/admissions. Please ensure you apply before the closing date as late applications could mean your child misses out on a place at your preferred school. You must apply even if your child attends our Nursery or is in Year 2 at the Infant school and is transferring to the Junior school. We have attached an admissions brochure which explains the whole process.

Medication - If you require the school to administer medication to your child please complete the form via the link below. To make the administering of medication manageable it is all given around lunchtime.

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Absence Reminder - You are able to report your child's absences using an online form. This form can be accessed using the link below:

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Alternatively, the school can still be called on 01702 557979 and a message can be left on the voicemail. To assist the school in effectively fulfilling its role in safeguarding children, I would ask all parents to record absences as soon as possible.

Change of Contact Details - Please make sure that you notify us of any changes to contact details. This will ensure that we can make contact with you when necessary. To inform us of any changes, please complete the form via the link below;

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfemMJVIgNL0nW UvqnvFTjCuOLpOXmWxPRuNtgJaleJ76qlA/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0