

1 December 2022

Christmas events

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to share with you some of our Christmas events that will be taking place this month.

Nativity performance (primary classes only) – Tuesday 6th and Wednesday 7th December 2022

The primary nativity performances will be on Tuesday 6th and Wednesday 7th December. Class teams have invited Parents/Carers of primary pupils to attend their child's class's allocated time slot. Please contact your child's Class Teacher to confirm the time slot if necessary.

FAW Christmas jumper day – Friday 9th December 2022

This year we are holding a Christmas jumper day, on Friday 9th December 2022. Pupils are invited to wear Christmas jumpers, for a donation. All money raised will go towards FAW fundraising efforts and further information will be sent out shortly.

'Winter Wonderland' at Apple Tree yard – Sunday 11th December, 3.30-8.30pm

This year we are holding our first 'Winter Wonderland' at Apple Tree Yard, at the Loose site. Within the 1hr time slot booked, Parents/Carers and children will be able to feed the goats and pigs, cuddle the guinea pigs, visit our animal adoption and craft stall, make a Christmas decoration and enjoy a free hot drink. Children will also have an opportunity to meet Santa. Unfortunately, due to the size of the yard, we are unable to offer any further tickets for this date and admission will be restricted to those with pre-booked tickets only. Further information will be sent out in the new year regarding upcoming events in the yard.

'Elfridges' – Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th December

Team will be running their 'Elfridges' Christmas shop on 12th and 13th December. Further information will be sent out shortly.

Christmas Fair – Tuesday 13th December 2022

Our Christmas Fair will be held in the main school hall (Loose site) on Tuesday 13th December between 10am to 11.30am and 1.30pm to 2.30pm. Parents/Carers and families are invited to attend and there will be an opportunity for you to buy items made by pupils which will be displayed and sold

on stalls. Class teams have informed Parents and Carers whether they should attend in the morning or afternoon. Please confirm with your class team if necessary.

Christmas dinner – Wednesday 14th December 2022

On Wednesday 14th December a Christmas dinner will be served to those pupils who have booked a school lunch for that day. This will need to be booked through the Arbor app or portal by Friday 2nd December. If you are unable to access Arbor, please ensure your request is made via your child's contact book by this date.

Class Christmas parties, Father Christmas and Christmas clothes day – Thursday 15th December 2022

Pupils will have a Christmas party in their class on Thursday 15th December. These will be organised by each class team. These parties are for pupils and staff only. Father Christmas will be visiting the Loose site and pupils from Palace Wood will be invited to come and see him. Pupils are invited to wear Christmas clothes on this day, should they wish to do so.

We look forward to seeing you at some of our festive events!

Yours faithfully,



Peggy Murphy

Principal