



Dates for your Diary

December 2012

19th - Infant Nativity 2pm & 4pm

20th - Peter Pan Pantomime

21st - INSET Day, School closes for Christmas

January 2013

7th - Return to School after Christmas

23rd - Young Voices Concert at Sheffield Arena



End of Term Round Up.

The school has been a hive of activity these past few days with a disco, a visit from Santa Claus and of course our Christmas Nativity performed wonderfully by the infant class.

The junior children took us on a fabulous journey around the world reminding us of the true meaning of Christmas and the relevance of the Christingles we made in school. It was lovely to see so many parents, friends and families attending all these events. Thank you to everyone involved ensuring a great end to the term.

A very special thank you to Reverend Larkin for welcoming us all on Tuesday at the Christingle Service and to Mr Compton for being so extremely accommodating and ensuring the Nativity had a professional sound system.

Christmas lunch on Tuesday 18th December was very successful and as always the children thoroughly enjoyed being served by staff.

So on behalf of myself and all the staff, keep safe during the holidays and for those celebrating, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



French Clubs

KS1 & KS2 French Clubs both start again on Wednesday 9th January and run for 5 weeks.

For more information or to join one of these clubs:

KS1 - Sue Hughes Tel: 390334

KS2 - Kim Peatfield Tel: 07966478781

Quick Reminder

Can I please remind you about school procedures in preparation for the start of the spring term.

School Uniform

Please refer to our school uniform policy with regards appropriate footwear and clothing, this includes the required PE kit. Information is available via the school website under Parents Information.

Adverse Weather



Closing a school due to adverse weather conditions is never easy however, if the decision is made then we try to make it as early as possible usually by 7am on the morning of the closure. Once the decision has been made, the information is sent to Radio Ashbourne and Radio Derby to inform parents. The information is also published on the BBC's and DCC's webpages, we furthermore try to get a message posted on the village blog. Unfortunately, due to the number of parents at school we are unable to contact you all individually but do our best to get the message out quickly.

Lunch / Fruit Money

For parents who wish to pay for their child's lunches for the next half term the amount is £1.90 a day for 25 days at a total of **£47.50**, cheques payable to Derbyshire County Council. (If you are in credit/arrears you will receive a note home)

A reminder to parents who pay weekly, please send payments for dinners to school on Monday morning for the beginning of each week and that we need a weeks notice to swap to or from lunches to sandwiches.

Could all fruit money (Junior class only) please be paid half-termly, at a total of **£2.50** (25 days x 10p), cheques payable to Parwich Primary School, Thank you.

