

Rumboldswhyke Newsletter 3rd December 2021 Part of the Bishop Luffa Learning Partnership



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Dear Rumboldswhyke families,

The festive season is well a truly upon us! School is filled with sounds of Christmas cheer, excited chatter and glorious singing.

This week we have celebrated the beginning of Advent and discussed what this means. On Tuesday we welcomed Reverend Paul, our new Chair of Governors, to lead our Christingle service and to teach us about the parts of the Christingle and what they represent. Reverend Paul and the Immanuel church had kindly prepared a Christingle for each of the children to take home. We hope they were able to tell you all about the representative parts of the Christingle.



Choir

I am so proud of our newly formed choir who sang to their first audience at St. George's Church Fair on Saturday. It has been such a pleasure to work with them this half term. They are always enthusiastic, dedicated and provide the highlight of my week with their confident voices and fantastic dance moves. We have received a request that the choir sing during our school Fair on Tuesday, therefore, if they are able to join us, can they meet me near the raffle prize table at 3:45 on Tuesday.



Christmas Tree

Again, we were so humbled by the offers of Christmas trees last week, we could have transformed the school hall into a winter wonderland with the number of trees we were offered. Thank you! We would like to extend a huge thank you to two local companies who supplied us with Christmas trees: Home Bargains and B and Q and to Mr and Mrs King for arranging / collecting them for us. The children in Red Class helped decorate them in a variety of baubles in all colours of the rainbow. They look glorious!

Can you help us again?

Does anyone have any camel costumes or camel type hats we could borrow for Red class performance of Light, Camel, Action: The Sequin?





New Park Cinema showing

A reminder for our Year 3 families that your films will be shown at New Park Film cinema this Saturday at 11:30. For those of you who are unable to attend, we will be given a copy of the videos and we can show them to you at a later date.



Don't forget to send in your sweet jars and contributions for the tombola.

Raffle tickets are available to buy from the office





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Punctuality

Please ensure your children arrive at school promptly each morning. The teachers meet the children at the gates at 08:45am. **Please ensure you arrive** *before* **this time.** Arriving on time is important as late arrivals are disruptive for class and can put your child at a disadvantage: they can miss important information during registration including the plan for the day.



School Based Influenza Nasal Spray Vaccination Programme – Wednesday 8th December

If you have registered for your child/children to receive the nasal vaccine please note:

- Children should not have the nasal vaccine if they are wheezy on the day or have been wheezy in the three days prior to the vaccination.

Hot School Lunch the last week of term

There will be a slight change to the menu as follows:

Monday - Christmas dinner day

Veggie option, Pizza

Tuesday - Sausages and wedges

Veggie Sausages and wedges

Wednesday - Herby Tomato Pasta

Jacket Potato

Thursday - Beef burger

Veggie Burger

Friday - Fish and Chips

Jacket Potato

If you have any concerns, please call into the office. Thank you.

Order forms for next term

Please return your Breakfast Club order form by Friday 10th December and your hot meals order forms by Wednesday 8th December. This will enable us to order food ready for the spring term.





Spare Clothes

If you have any spare boys or girls socks or tights you could send in to school for our spare clothes box, these would be gratefully received.

Please return any clothing you child has borrowed to school, washed as soon as possible. Thank you

Best wishes,

Lisa Harris

