

Rumboldswhyke Newsletter 1<sup>st</sup> December 2022 Part of the Bishop Luffa Learning Partnership

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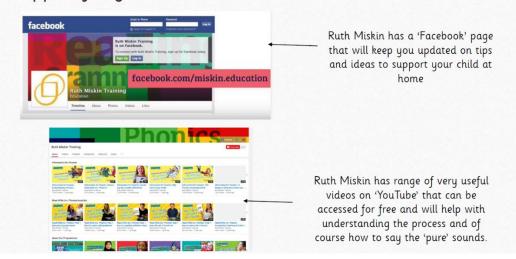
Dear Rumboldswhyke families,

Last Wednesday, we held a phonics/early reading workshop for parents. Thank you to all the parents who were able to come along and find out how we can work together to promote the importance of, and love of reading. If you were unable to attend, click the links

https://www.facebook.com/miskin.education

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TkXcabDUg7Q

## Support for you at home...



#### Forest Area Shelter

We would like to extend a huge thank you to the wonderful human being that is Matt King. Matt has been in the school grounds for the past two Saturdays building a concrete base and erecting our new shelter. The children of Yellow Class were able to use the shelter in their woodland activities session on Tuesday. We think it is just wonderful: as are you Mr King!





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Mr King also managed to source us a Christmas Tree from Homebase to make our school hall feel Christmassy! A huge thanks to Homebase, who donated the tree and to Matt for taking the time, out of an already busy Saturday, to collect it.

### Christingle

Fr. Angus led a beautiful Christingle service in St. George's Church on Tuesday morning. The children were absolutely amazing! It was lovely that so many parents and grandparents were able to join us in the celebration.

### Christmas Fair

We hope to see many of you tomorrow at our Christmas Fair.

Don't forget to send in your cakes in the morning.

There will be a adult & children's raffle, delicious cakes,

children's games and a very special Christmas Grotto, courtesy of the

Immanuel Church, Chichester. (Anyone who came to the fair last year, will tell you now magical the grotto was).



### Christmas Lunch

Please note - The date for our Christmas lunch has now changed to Monday  $12^{\rm th}$  December.

Lisa Harris

Head of School



| 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | AFRS Christmas Fair 3pm  |
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| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | Singing at Chichester Cross 10.30am                                      |
|                  | Yellow Class Forest School   |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Festival of the Carols, Bishop Luffa Carol Service at the Cathedral, 7pm |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | Blue Class Lantern Parade 3.15 - 4pm – details to follow                 |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> | Christmas lunch for the children   |
|                  | Yellow Class Christmas production 2pm & 5pm                              |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> | CFT visit for the children to see 'Santa Live'                           |
| 15 <sup>th</sup> | Nativity in St George's Church 10.30am                                   |
| 16 <sup>th</sup> | Last day of autumn term  |
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## January 2023

3<sup>rd</sup> First day of spring term

# Celebrate the joy of CHRISTMAS with St George's, Whyke

## ADVENT LITURGY 27 NOVEMBER, 6 PM

Wait and watch for the coming of Christ with passages from scripture, hymns, and advent carols sung by the choir.

## PARISH CAROL SERVICE 18 DECEMBER, 4 PM

Service featuring well-known carols, beautiful choral music, und readings proclaiming the birth of Christ.

### NIGHT PRAYER (COMPLINE) WEDNESDAYS IN ADVENT, 7:30 PM

A contemplative service of night prayer with plainsong chant and silent prayer in the Lady Chapel.

## CAROLS AT THE CRIB 24 DECEMBER, 3 PM

Through song, story and actions, take part in the wonder and joy of Jesus' nativity. For families with young children. *Experience the mystery of the Word made flesh, the Light shining in the dark, with choral music and the blessing of the crib.* 

MIDNIGHT MASS 24 DECEMBER, 11 PM

### CHRISTMAS DAY 25 DECEMBER, 10 AM

*With great joy and thanksgiving, we celebrate the birth of Jesus* <u>at our main Sunday Parish Mass.</u> All are welcome!



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