

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 11.12.17 Wells Christmas Concert (Choir)
- 14.12.17 Combe Factor
- 15.12.17 Panto - Cinderella
- 18.12.17 KS2 - Showcasing their work @ 2pm
- 20.12.17 Christmas Service @ 9.15am
- Celebration Assembly @ 2.45pm
- 21.12.17 INSET DAY



8th December 2017



Over the next couple of weeks the children will be learning about the true meaning of Christmas and participating in lots of PRE-SCHOOL Christmas activities. The Nativity Rehearsals are going really well and the performance will be on Thursday 14th December @ 9am.



Papa Panax

Well done to all the children, staff and parents who made this year's Christmas Production such a success.



Badgers' Class Assembly

Thank you to the children in Mrs Rowson's class for leading collective worship so well on Wednesday. They explained the meaning of compassion and related this to the work of St Francis of Assisi and David Attenborough. Through this we were shown how to be compassionate towards each other and to animals.



Pantomime Trip on Friday 15th December

Child's Name:

Child's Class:

Jam Sandwich

Cheese Sandwich

Packed Lunch from Home

Combe Factor

Just a reminder to all of the children performing next Thursday, both music and props need to be in school on Monday and costumes must be in school on Thursday. Children **DO NOT** need to come to school on Thursday wearing their costumes.



Good to be Green

The children in KS2 have been working all term on this topic. The results of their endeavours will be presented on Monday 18th December. We hope that parents will be able to come into school from 2pm to view the children's work.



Stamps

The poet, Samuel Taylor Coleridge, lived in Somerset. One famous poem which he wrote is the 'Rime of the Ancient Mariner' which tells of the death of an albatross whilst a ship was sailing to Antarctica. Being in Somerset, learning about Antarctica and compassion to animals, it is appropriate that we should do all that we can to help to save these sea birds. Miss Kierstan has found out about a charity which is doing this by collecting stamps. Please would you collect any stamps from your Christmas post for us to send to this cause.



Pantomime

This is just a reminder of the Pantomime @ the Octagon Theatre on **Friday 15th December**. The coaches are scheduled to pick the children up from the Octagon at 4.15pm and therefore, returning to school at approx. 5pm, traffic permitting.



As we are leaving on Friday from school at 12pm, we would like the children to bring a packed lunch with them together with a drink. For children who have booked a hot lunch, please complete the slip at the back of the newsletter stating what sandwich filling your child would like or, that they will be bringing their own packed lunch from home. **Please return the slip to the office on Monday 11th December.**

Last Day of Term 20th December 2017

On the last day of term there will be the following services:

Christmas Service @ 9.15am

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

Celebration Assembly @ 2.45pm

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As in previous years, we will be holding an end of term Christmas Service in the church. As part of that service the children in Reception will help to tell The Christmas Story by acting the parts and creating a tableaux of the Nativity. Miss Kierstan will advise parents of any costume requirements. We hope parents will be able to join us for that service.

Golden Book

Congratulations to the following children who were in the Golden Book w/c 4th December 2017:

Miss Kierstan's Class	Vinnie & Daisy-Mae
Mrs Bennett's Class	Alfie & George G
Mrs Cawley's Class	Melody & Issabelle
Mrs Rowson's Class	Tyler & Phoebe
Mr Edward's Class	George



Clubs

There will be **NO** After School Club on the last day of term, **Wednesday 20th December**.

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The last Running Club will be on **Wednesday 13th December**. This will be a 'Christmas Special' with Christmas hats and tinsel accessories being most welcome.