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Friday Flier



Christmas Fayre

A reminder that this event will take place **tomorrow**, from 12.00pm – 3.00pm. Please do come along and show your support. All funds raised will be used to benefit your child. Raffle tickets and money can also be returned on the day of the Fayre.

Thank you from Mrs Rolfe: Donations of Firewood

Mrs Rolfe would like to say thank you to Diana Bayfield, the Brown Family, Dobson family and the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust for their kind donations of firewood. This will enhance the Forest School provision and learning for all the children.

Birdhouse Raffle Prize

A reminder that if you would like to become the proud owner of this bird table, tickets are available from the school office and they are priced at £1 each. The draw will take place on Tuesday 18 December and **not** during the Christmas Fayre as previously stated.

Messages for Year 1 Parents

Christmas Production: Today the children will be bringing home a note with details of costume items they need for their play, please remember to check your child's book bags.

Forest Week: Next week, Year 1 children will be doing lots of outdoor learning. As the weather forecast is remaining unsettled, can we ask that all children wear trousers (if girls do not have school trousers, they can wear leggings or jogging trousers) and bring their wellies in school for the week.

Christmas Post

As from **Monday 3 December** there will be a Christmas stocking/post box in **each class** which children can post their Christmas cards for friends and staff **at school**. Please could parents ensure that the cards children send have the recipient's **full name** and their **class** on the envelope. Failure to address cards clearly may mean they do not get delivered!! Please do not hand in cards via the school office. Thank you.

Urgent Reminder: PTFA Christmas Market

We still have some children who have not returned their lists together with the appropriate money. If you would like your child to take part in this exciting annual event, please send this in as a matter of urgency.

Personal Shoppers and "wrappers" required for our Christmas Markets

As you are aware, the PTFA have been busy buying presents to enable the children to go Christmas shopping. If you are able to help at one of these markets, a sign-up sheet will be available in the school office from Monday 03 December.

Challenging Children? Family driving you mad?

Come and get some Parent Power from The Nurturing Program

The Nurture Program helps parents to deal with those challenging behaviours that are all part of our children growing up. The course helps us think about what we say and do, how that makes our family feel and how we can all have a happier, calmer life together. This is a free, fun, friendly way to look at the challenges our children's behaviour brings and how we as parents manage those daily struggles. The course is ten weeks long and everything is free including the cakes and coffee!



Nurture Programme Sessions: Mondays 5.30-7.30pm, starting 14 January at Riverside School Crookhorn
Tuesdays 1-3pm, starting 15 January at Morelands Primary School Crookhorn
To find out more or to reserve a place contact Angie, our Parent Support Adviser, on 07545 415266 or email angie.seddon-ellis@hants.gov.uk

Reminder of dates for the remainder of the term

Saturday 01 December	PTFA Christmas Fayre: 12.00pm – 3.00pm
Monday 10 December	Year 2 Christingle rehearsal at church: 9.00am Year 1 Christmas Market (morning) Year R Forest School Event – 3.15pm
Tuesday 11 December	Year 2 Christmas Market (morning) Year 2 Christingle rehearsal at church: 1.30pm Year 1 Forest School Event – 3.15pm
Wednesday 12 December	Year R Christmas Market (morning) Year 2 Forest School Event – 3.15pm
Thursday 13 December	Year 2 Christingle Service: 9.45am
Friday 14 December	Year 2 Christingle Service: 2.00pm
Monday 17 December	Year R Nativity Performance at 9.45am – please note slight change of time. This date only – not 18 Dec as previously advised Year 1 Christmas Production at 2.00pm
Tuesday 18 December	Year 1 Christmas Production at 9.30am Christmas lunch for the children Year 2 Music Concert to Parents plus Year 1 Choir: 2.15pm
Wednesday 19 December	Parent Helper/Governor Coffee Morning
TBC	Class Parties – we will be asking for a 50p donation towards food this year instead of requests for individual items
Thursday 20 December	Last day of Autumn Term School closes for the holidays 3.15pm /Beehive 6.00pm
Friday 21 December	INSET- school closed for children

Reporting Absence

A reminder that as well as telephoning the school, you can also report your child’s absence via a company called **Studybugs** which enables you to go online via a phone or computer to report your child’s absence securely. To get the free Studybugs app, or register on their website go to (<https://studybugs.com/about/parents>). If your child is unwell it is your responsibility to inform the school of this.

Forest School Sessions: Week 3

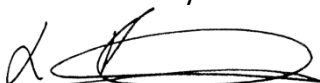
Next week Woodpeckers’ Class will have forest school on Wednesday afternoon and Wagtails’ Class on Thursday Morning and Owls’ class on Thursday afternoon. Please can you ensure that you send in their forest school clothing. A reminder that we have aligned your child’s class with the lunch week menu.

Lunch Menu

Next Week’s Menu will be: Week 3. Please click on the following link to access the menu online: [menu](#). Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door and in Wagtails’ Class window.

**Looking forward to seeing you
at the fayre tomorrow!!!**
Don’t forget to bring your Christmas colouring competition
entries with you.

Yours sincerely



Mrs L A de Carteret
Headteacher