



Manor Farm Infant School

December 2018 Newsletter

School Motto

'Together We Grow'



CHRISTMAS AT MANOR FARM COMMUNITY INFANT SCHOOL

Christmas 2018 has truly been shining brightly in school over the last few weeks.

This started with a wonderful Christmas Fayre and I would like to thank the Friends of Manor Farm for all their hard work and dedication.

Last week was activity week and the children have made a huge selection of Christmas crafts and cards. You will get to see them soon and may even have the joy of receiving some of them made with love and care by your children. The last 3 days, following lots of hard work, the children have delighted us all with their Christmas performances. They have all shone very brightly and should be proud of all they have achieved.

Thank you to everyone that helped with costumes, provided hot chocolate and goodies, listened to lines and songs being rehearsed, those who spent hours preparing altogether resulting in a delightful production. I am sure you will agree the children were amazing.

May you all have a very happy Christmas.

Best wishes from

Paula Coppins and all the staff and Governors of Manor Farm Community Infant School



CHRISTMAS GIVING—Dorcas Project

Thank you so much for all your kind donations at our collections following our Christmas productions. We have collected £ 311.57 for this charity. Merry Christmas to you all.

CHRISTMAS PARTIES—Wednesday 19th December

On Wednesday 19th December the Christmas parties will take place during the afternoon. Children should come to school in normal school uniform.



DATES

14th December—Christmas Post Box closes

18th December— Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch

19th December—Christmas Parties

19th December—Last Day of Term normal finish time

24th December— Light the Dark Carols

3rd January 2019—Return to school—8.55am





CHRISTMAS LUNCH & JUMPER DAY

Tuesday 18th December

On Tuesday 18th December we are inviting pupils to wear their silliest, sparkliest or cosiest Christmas sweaters in place of their school jumpers and cardigans. These should be worn with their school uniform. Please do not feel that you need to buy a new snazzy jumper to take part – just get them to decorate an old or plain jumper with tinsel, baubles or homemade snowflakes to create a unique crafty jumper.

Christmas lunch will also take place on the 18th and this can be ordered in the usual way through the Live Kitchen system. Should you have any problems doing this please come into the school office for advice.

SCHOOL CROSSING PATROLLER VACANCY

A school crossing patroller is needed for your school.

We know from experience the best person to recruit a patroller is someone who lives in the local community surrounding a school or who is involved with the school. It could be a parent, grandparent or neighbour. Do you have a neighbour or know a grandparent who has recently retired that is looking for a part time role in the local area?

We are very flexible and a job share is an option that currently works well at several of our crossing points already.

If you are interested or know someone who is – contact Georgina Longley, Crossing Patrol Supervisor on 01494 59669 or email glongley@buckscc.gov.uk

Rugbytots for Reception, Y1 and Y2

Following a successful start to *Rugbytots* that was introduced last term, we will be continuing rugby sessions for children in Reception, Year 1 and 2 through the spring term. The club will offer children the chance to learn the basic skills involved with rugby and develop their agility and co-ordination whilst having lots of fun!

Dates: 10th January 2019 – 4th April 2019 (12 sessions)

Time: session runs from 3:15pm - 4:15pm. Location: School Hall. Cost: £ 93 for 12 weeks

If you are interested in your child attending this exciting new club, please visit <https://www.rugbytots.co.uk/> and select the 'Find and Book Classes' tab.

Light^{the}Dark

Christmas Eve family light procession and carols

Monday 24th December, 2018

5.30pm - Family light procession leaves from Hazlemere Library

6.00pm - Traditional Carols on Manor Farm Infant School Playground

Bring your torch, glow-stick or fairy lights and light the night sky with us as we walk from Hazlemere Library to Manor Farm Infant School. There'll be goody bags for the kids and a cup of mulled wine to drink as we sing carols in the grounds of Manor Farm Infant School. We'll be finished at 6.30pm – just in time to get home and hang up your stocking!

See you there...