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Friday Newsletter

Friday 1st December 2023



St. Cuthbert's
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
ONE FAMILY, ALL WELCOME

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Explorers spent a lovely day in the Forest on Wednesday



I can't believe how quickly December has come around! Children were so excited to open their class Advent calendars today and we also lit the first candle on our Advent wreath.

We are really looking forward to our Christmas fair after school this afternoon. We're sure it will be a great success as it always is. As ever thank you to our wonderful PFA for organising the event & thank you for any cake donations.

If you can spare some time on Saturday morning please join us at 10:00am -12.00 at Lakeland ltd for our annual Christmas caroling event. This is always such a special event and a super opportunity to raise funds for our schools PFA.

As previously mentioned the Parish have also invited us to join them on Sunday the 3rd of December at 3pm for their Carol service in church. Please join them if you can.

We've had a fantastic week at school; On Monday we welcomed St. John's Hospice into school to tell us all about our upcoming Elf run. Our Elf Run is Wednesday 6th December, please help your child collect as many sponsors as possible. You might here us singing our way around Windermere on Wednesday morning collecting money for St John's Hospice.

We also have our two Christmas performances next week! On Monday KS2 are performing at 2pm in the church, as previously mentioned we're very excited to welcome residents from Kendal Care Home to join us. There will be refreshments in the hall after this performance if you want to say hello to the residents. If parents can help volunteer to help make drinks etc, please speak to myself or Miss Rawlinson.

On Tuesday, The Explorers are performing their Higgledy Piggledy Nativity. This is also at 2pm in church.

You are welcome to join us for either performances. Unlike other schools, we do not charge for these events but we will have a collection bucket to help us cover license fees etc. Any additional money collected will be used for class resources.



The whole school enjoyed a Lacrosse session on Thursday

We have our exciting Christmas craft open morning on Thursday. Our Early years setting will be open as well the whole school for any tours.

The open morning is from 9:30 until 11:00am.

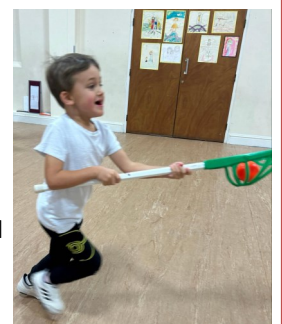
Cuthbert bear toddler group will be joining us for lots of exciting Christmas activities and crafts.

Please spread the word. We have places available in most year groups! Call the office for more information.

Christmas lunch is on Thursday the 7th of December. Please remember to order your child's lunch on School Hub.

School is very busy at the moment, please keep an eye on our what's on page on DOJOs.

Thursday the 14th of December, we are joining Kendal College for their performance of The Jungle Book! Please remember to return your consent forms and any money as soon as possible.



I hope you have a lovely weekend & I hope to see some of you at the various events over the weekend.



Take care
Mrs Bone
Headteacher

Nicki the artist in school kick starting an exciting two year project called 'echo capture', which reflects on life in Calgarth and the Windermere boys.

KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Sat 2nd Dec—Christmas Carols @ Lakeland
- Mon 4th Dec—KS2 Xmas Performance @ 2pm
- Tues 5th Dec—Explorers Xmas Nativity @ 2pm
- Thurs 7th Dec—Christmas Dinner Day
- Thurs 14th Dec—Jungle Book @Kendal College
- Fri 15th Dec—NO AFTERSCHOOL CLUB due to Staff Training
- Tues 19th Dec—School closes @ 2pm
- Weds 3rd Jan 2024—INSET Day for staff
- Thurs 4th Jan—School opens @ 8.45am
- Thurs 18th Jan—NO AFTERSCHOOL CLUB due to staff training



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