Walsingham CE VA Primary School Newsletter – 20th December 2024

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

A note from Miss Collison

Well that's that! What a brilliant first term it has been. I just wanted to start off by saying a huge well done to all of the children for taking part in the Nativity! They all did brilliantly well and I was very proud.

It has been a super busy term, with lots of events ongoing, but the children have continued to work hard and their engagement has been excellent. The children are all making great progress with the learning and their attitude within school is fantastic. It really has been lovely to watch them make such great progress in such a short space of time.

I also wanted to thank you, the grown-ups, for your support with your child's education. It really doesn't go unnoticed and helps to ensure that your child has the best schooling experience. Thank you to those that attend Celebration Worship on a Friday – I do hope the addition of tea, coffee and biscuits is a positive one. This will continue after Christmas! Also, a big thank you to your engagement with trips, events and more! We hope this continues as the year goes on.

We hope to plan lots of fun and exciting events for the rest of the year, but as always, we love hearing your ideas and thoughts, so please do let me know if you have any! I wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and I will see you back at school in January 2025!



Foxes It has been such a busy half term in Foxes. They have been busy enjoying the festivities, making Christmas crafts and mince pies, whilst also engaging with their usual learning, and juggling the task of learning lines and songs! Wow. What a great job they have done!

Our topic of Local Studies ends now and after Christmas we move onto a new learning theme, this being 'Space, Weather & Seasons'. The children are very excited about this – particularly the space part! I will go into further detail about this on the next newsletter, so watch this space (excuse the pun!).

The children have been busy making Christmas goodies this week and they took part in a Christmas craft day on Monday. We hope you liked their handmade gifts and keep these for years to come as special keepsakes! I still have mine on my parents Christmas tree from when I was little.

Foxes Team wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! We hope that you all have a wonderful Christmas.



The Pilgrim Federation

FORTHCOMING DATES:



Mon 6th Jan - INSET day - school closed
Tues 7th Jan - Term starts
Mon 13th Jan - swimming starts for Y5/6
Fri 31st Jan - Library van visit
Wed 12th Feb - Parent consultations
Thur 13th Feb - Parent consultations
Fri 14th Feb - break up for half term
Mon 24th Feb - term resumes
Wed 26th to Fri 28th Feb - Year 5 to How Hill
Fri 28th Feb - Library van visit

Badgers



We've had an exciting few weeks leading up to Christmas with our trip to the Christmas tree festival in Fakenham, carol singing at Tesco, the Christingle service, Christmas dinner, Christmas crafts, the Christmas panto, the Nativity performance and (by the time you read this!) our Christmas party too. Despite being hampered by several colds and illnesses, the Badgers have behaved very well at all of these events.

We have been reading 'Space Boy' by David Walliams in English and, in Maths, children have been working on area (LKS2) and long multiplication (UKS2).

We wish you all a happy and peaceful Christmas and New Year!













