



## Newsletter Friday 16th December 2022

Week commencing 2/1 lunch menu is 'Week 2'

### Celebrations!



It was great to host our final All Stars Assembly of the term. Congratulations to everyone named below. 😊

**Be proud** The Whole School!  
The teachers wanted to say how proud they are of you all for the fantastic Christmas performances!

Well done to the following children who have achieved **Monster Points** certificates:

**25:** Ella, Felix, Max, Thomas, Oscar, Elden, Elodie, Elsie, Ariana

**50:** Tayla, Selena, Leo, Keira, George, Ashley, Alice, Yosser, Leanne, Leon, Imogen, Mia, Theo, Bobby, Flynn, Rori, Makelavan, Alex, Myla, Isla, Charley, Jessica, Fletcher, Archie, Michael, Arlo, Beth, Jasper, David, Rozalia, Aaron-James, Krish, Ella-Mae

**75:** Freddie, Bonnie, Mustafa

### Rainbow Reading Awards

Well done to the following children for all the reading at home:

**Red:** Yosser, Alfie, Logan, Jasper, Poppy, Flynn, Makelaven, Ilya, Isla, Corey, Muhammed, Oliwier

**Orange:** George, Esther, Mason, Joshua, Joshua, Mckensie

**Yellow:** George, Bonnie, Elden, George, Millie, Olivia, Lizzie, Kayden

**Green:** George, Elden, Felix, Millie, Kayden

**Blue:** Myla, Elden, Lilith, Kayden

**Indigo:** Myla



### Farewell

We are all very sorry to be saying Goodbye to Mrs Jones today. Mrs Jones has carried out a variety of roles during her many years at our school. We would like to say a big Thank you for all she has done for the children and staff. We hope she will call in and see us and we wish her all the very best!

### Strep A/Scarlet fever

Please continue to be aware of the symptoms of this condition. Information regarding this was sent out last week – please check your Weduc app. A paper copy was sent also.

### Anti-Bullying Steering Group

We are looking for parents/carers to volunteer to help us review our policies and procedures to prevent bullying. If you are interested, please see Mrs Shaw at the beginning or end of the day or contact her through the school office.

### Christmas Fayre

We raised £260 for the care of our school rabbits, Bella and Blackberry. Well done to Olivia for guessing the name of the dog – Comet! Mrs Pullen will miss him now he's gone to his new home!

### Scholastic Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who came to the Book Fair. We sold £450 worth of books which means that we have £180 to spend on books for our school library. Thank you to Mrs Richards for organising the Book Fair!

### Christmas Jumper Day/Christmas lunch

The children – and staff - all looked very festive in their jumpers and enjoyed a delicious Christmas dinner prepared by Mrs Ward and Mrs Cieplinska.

Thank you for the scrumptious treat!



## **A look back at the autumn term...**

It's been a very busy term, and here's why!

### **August**

We welcomed a new group of children to Reception, embarking on their school journey and welcomed parents for Stay and Play.

### **September**

Welcome Meetings for parents/carers of children in Year 1 and 2.

The country mourned the death of HRH Queen Elizabeth II and a Bank Holiday was declared for her State Funeral.

We raised money for Jeans for Genes.

TastEd ran a session for parents.

We had a MacMillan Coffee Morning jointly with the Junior School.

### **October**

Year 1 and 2 put on a Harvest Assembly with the Y3 children at the Junior School.

Forest School started for 36 children across the school.

The whole school celebrated Diwali with lots of exciting activities including dance and food tasting.

### **November**

Took part in Anti-Bullying Week activities, such as Odd Socks Day.

Raised money for Children in Need.

Year 1 enjoyed an art workshop run by Creative Learning Services.

### **December**

Forest School final session with a campfire.

Christmas performances: Snowman at Sunset and Baarmy Bethlehem

Raised £275 for AOK5000.

Book Fair.

Mince Pie Day and Christmas stories.

Carol Service at Thorpe Acre Church

Christmas Jumper Day and Lunch.

Christmas Fayre.

Christmas Party.

**And all this was happening alongside the busy timetable of teaching and learning!**

## **Dates for your diary:**

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December – End of term

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January – Term starts



*We hope everyone in  
our school  
community has a  
very Merry Christmas!*

