



## Weekly Bulletin 9th December 2022

### November

12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Skelton Nativity Performance 2pm
14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Federation Carol Service @ St John's Church 2.15pm
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch
16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	School Closes for the Christmas Holiday
16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Foss Christmas Disco 5-7pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> Jan	School closed for staff training
4 <sup>th</sup> Jan	School reopens for the new term

### Flourish Awards

Children who have been recognised as flourishing this week:-

Bella - For being really brave and joining in with the Nativity songs and dances in front of a live audience.

Izzy – For setting a fantastic example.

Annabel – For her leadership shown in singing.

Mrs Kendrick – for helping us all find joy in music.

### Christmas Cards

There is no onus to bring Christmas cards in and we recognise some families opt to donate to their chosen charity. For families that wish to exchange cards we will have the cream bin at the gate each morning from **Monday 12th December until Wednesday 14th December**. The full name and class of the recipient must be on the envelope. The cards will be sorted and distributed Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December to take home.

### Christmas Menu

We now have our Christmas Menu for lunch on 15<sup>th</sup> December. To help give an idea of numbers, please can you click [here](#) to complete the form by **Monday 12th December** to say if your child/ren would like a Christmas Dinner.

### Christmas Lunch Menu 15<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Roast Turkey, Christmas Chipolatas, Seasonal Stuffing, Roast Potatoes, Gravy & Vegetables

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Hand Decorated Chocolate Orange Christmas Cookie

### Christmas Baubles

Thank you to Nigel and Tracey Baldwin for once again giving our school such a beautiful Christmas tree from Tate's nursery.

Now that the tree is up, we would like to invite each child in school to hang a bauble on the tree. The baubles could even have the child's name on so that we can remember them every year when we redecorate. The baubles must be shatterproof and weatherproof. Please supervise your children when they are hanging them on the tree.

### Skelton Nativity Performance

The children from Skelton will be performing their nativity on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December. Parents are invited to come along and take part with their children in the performance starting at 2pm.

### **Maternity Leave**

Miss Copperthwaite will be taking maternity leave from the end of January and whilst she is away, we are pleased to announce that Mr Bishop will be joining us on Thursdays and Fridays. He has much experience of teaching year 5 and 6, with a passion for language and drama. We look forward to him joining the team.

### **New Guided Reading Books**

Foss have kindly purchased some new reading books for the children in school. The children are very excited to start reading these. **A big thank you to FOSS!**



### **Safeguarding**

'Understanding your Child' online courses are available from the NHS this Christmas. The courses are designed to help you understand your child and make the most of spending time together and having fun. The courses are free and are available 24/7. You can access the courses by clicking [here](#) and using the access code NYFAMILIES

### **External Agencies Promotions**

We are regularly asked to share upcoming events that may be of interest to you. Rather than filling the newsletter with adverts we will include the name and date of event with a link to the promotional poster. The links are also on the school website noticeboard.

### **[Camp QE Christmas 2022](#)**

Please find [attached](#) about information on the opening times of emergency food provision over Christmas and New Year and also explains how people can donate to supplies.