

Featherstone Wood Primary School

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7th December, 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have a very busy couple of weeks coming up and key dates are shown below:-

10th December - KS1 nativity to school only

11th December - KS1 nativity – matinee 2.00 p.m.

12th December - Pantomime

12th December - KS1 nativity – evening performance 6.00 p.m. (Children will need to be back in school at 5.30 p.m. please)

13th December - EYFS nativity to school only

14th December - EYFS nativity – 9.30 a.m.

14th December - Carols around the tree – 2.00 p.m.

17th December - Christmas parties

19th December - Christmas lunch (children in Nursery will need to book their dinner in advance at a cost of £2.35)

20th December - final achievement assembly – 9.00 a.m.

20th December - end of term – normal time

20th December - Christmas Jumper Day

21st December - Inset Day

Star Learners

Our Star Learners this week are:-

Reception - Harry Moss
Year 1 - Jessica Sankey
Year 2 - Thandie Kupe
Year 3 - Emma Morris
Year 4 - Whole Class
Year 5 - Jayden Cullen
Year 6 - Whole Class

Well done everyone – we are very proud of you all.



P.E. Star Learners

Our P.E. Star Learners this week are Jamain Shaw, Year 1 and Aaron Jones, Year 5.

Jamain was awarded the trophy for his excellent participation and great teamwork. Well done Jamain this is brilliant.



Aaron received the trophy for his constant good leadership and always being a team player. Well done Aaron – keep up the good work.



Attendance Award

The Attendance trophy has been awarded to Year 4 this week for their 96% attendance.



Poppy Appeal

I am extremely pleased to let you know that we collected the wonderful sum of £242.63 this year for the Poppy Appeal. Thank you all for your kind support for a very good cause.

After School Clubs

Please note that there will be NO after school clubs on Tuesday, 11th and Wednesday, 12th December. Monday's club will run as normal.

Sharing Assembly

There will be NO sharing assembly next Friday, 14th December.

Christmas Hamper Raffle

We are selling raffle tickets for our Christmas Hamper. Tickets are priced at 20p each from the School Office and the draw will be on 19th December.



Children's Christmas Raffle

The School Council are also running a Children's Christmas Raffle. The tickets are also priced at 20p each and are available from the School Office. Draw to take place on 19th December.

Christmas Card Post Box

Our Christmas card post box is now open for the children to post their Christmas cards. The post box will be situated in the library. Please ensure that the recipient's name and class are written on the envelope.



Christmas Jumper Day

We are once again holding our Christmas Jumper Day on Thursday, 20th December. Children may come to school in their Christmas jumper for a donation of £1.00.

Book Amnesty

We have a large number of books missing from both classrooms and the library.

Please could you check at home to see if you have any books that belong to school. They will all have the Featherstone Wood stamp in them. Thank you.

Christmas Holiday Club

Brighter Days Kids Club is being run during the Christmas holiday at Roebuck Academy, St. Margarets, Stevenage.

The club is open from 7.45 a.m. until 6.00 p.m. and is open to 4 to 12 year olds. To find out more information please telephone 07542199299 or email enquiries@brighterdayskidsclub.co.uk.

Dates for your Diary

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7th January - return to school

4th February - Year 2 SAT's practice

5th February - Parents evening

11th February - SAT's practice

13th February - Valentines Disco

18th February - Half term
22nd February

25th February - School back

19th March - Mother's Day Sale

28th March - Spelling Bee Final

3rd April - Exhibition Day

3rd April - End of term

4th April - Inset Day

5th April - Inset Day

8th April - Easter Holidays
22nd April

23rd April - School back

23rd April – SAT's practice

13th to 17th May - Y6 SAT's

20th to 23rd May - Y2 SAT's

24th May - End of term
27th May - Half Term
31st May

3rd June - return to school

14th June - Father's Day sale

5th July - Sports Day

11th July - Transition Day

12th July - Reports out

19th July - Summer Fair – 2.00 p.m.

22nd July - Y6 Leavers party

23rd July - Leavers assembly

23rd July - school finishes – 2.00 p.m.

24th July - Inset Day

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