Heckington St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Newsletter 16th December 2021



Dear Parents and Carers

I would like to start by thanking you all for your continued support of our school working in partnership for the benefit of your children. Whilst we have not been able to get back to "normal" and there have still been many challenges, we have all kept going and ensured that the children's learning has not been interrupted. I would also like to say a big thank you to our dedicated staff team who have worked incredibly hard for the children in school.

Thank you to everyone who has completed our parents' questionnaire; we appreciate your feedback. If you have not yet already done so, we would be very grateful if you could take a few moments to complete our parents' questionnaire which can be found by clicking on the following link:

https://forms.office.com/r/QwAUwfbnMy

Every child has taken part in a Christmas craft activity, in St. Andrew's Church and the Methodist Church today. Here is the whole school Christmas picture called Glory to the God in the Highest, that was created for St. Andrew's Church and will be on display over the Christmas period.

As you are no doubt aware, the situation seems to be escalating again with the omicron variant and case rates. There are no plans at the moment for any of the school's operation to change. However, as we have seen time and time again, things can change at very short notice. If they do change over Christmas, I will of course keep you updated.

Finally, on behalf of the staff and governors I would like to wish you a very happy, healthy and peaceful Christmas and New Year!

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Bentley Headteacher



PE Timetable Term 3 2021-2022

Oak	Wednesday	
Maple	Monday	Thursday
Willow	Monday	Wednesday
Chestnut	Monday	Friday
Rowan	Wednesday	Thursday
Silver Birch	Tuesday	Friday
Hazel	Monday	Thursday

Diary dates

16.12.2021 Outdoor Christmas Carol Service 3.30pm

17.12.2021 Whole School Christmas lunch

17.12.2021 Last day of term

28.12.2021 Cut off for ordering school meals for first week back in January www.schoolmealsonline.com

04.01.2022 First day of term

Huge thank you to the PTFA

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to the fantastic PTFA. They work tirelessly to raise money for the children and put on special events made even harder during these difficult times!

Thank you!



The beautiful Christmas tree decorated by Little Windmills for the Christmas Tree festival at Great Hale Church.



Year 6 have worked incredibly hard with Mrs Kelly on their French projects this term. They have worked in small groups to research French holidays, such as Bastille Day, and had to generate a presentation to show to the rest of the class. We had some wonderful cakes and croissants brought in, shared some incredible information, followed a dance routine in French and a Year 6 girl even hand-knitted the French flag. Thank you to all the Year 6 parents for their support with this.

Amazing work Year 6; I really enjoyed staying to listen to your presentations. Mrs Day.











Rowan class have been baking the Water Horse's favourite food, Scottish biscuits!





