



# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



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## Message from Miss Caygill Head of School

Dear parents and carers,

We have had a super week with lots of Christmas events successfully taking place.

Class 1 this week performed their Nativity. It is an amazing achievement for all the children. They all worked really hard on learning and saying lines and I am so proud of the way their confidence has grown through this experience. It was also great to see Nursery enjoying singing their songs and doing their actions. Well done to all of Class 1 for this.

On Wednesday children from Reception to Year 6 enjoyed the pantomime at Richmond. They were, as always, a credit to our school throughout. Thank you to the PTFA for funding this special event for all the children to enjoy.

Next week is also a busy week with lots more activities. Please read the details below for timings. It is always great to see families at these events in the build up to Christmas.

Have a super, restful weekend.  
Miss Caygill

## This week's **STAR LEARNERS**



**Class 1 -Teddy** - for his super attitude across all his learning.

**Charlie** -for his amazing kindness and help for others in class.

**Class 2 – Bob** - for working hard across all areas of the curriculum and always taking an interest in learning.

**Harper** - for taking your time to complete tasks to the best of your ability and using resources to help you.

**Class 3 – Lily** - for showing a conscientious attitude in English this term.

**Olivia** - your curiosity got us all thinking, discussing and researching in science! Well done!

### Attendance for the week

Class 1 – 99.3%

**Class 2 –100% Well done**

Class 3 -93.8%

Whole School –97.9%

### Upcoming Dates

#### CLUBS

**Monday-** Music/choir  
-12.30-1pm

**Tuesday –** Mindful Colouring Club  
-12:30 pm

**Thursday –** Library Club 12.30pm  
& Zumba – 3:15 – 4.15pm

**Friday-**Multi-skills with Mr. B  
3.15-4.30 pm-**Not on last day of term**

#### Upcoming Christmas Dates

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December-**10 am in Church Christingle-

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December-**KS2 Carol Singing pm in Hawes

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December**  
Christmas Lunch

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Dec, 2:25pm** KS2  
Ukulele concert for parents –2.45

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec 10.30-**  
Sycamore Hall Carol Singing

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December-**School  
breaks up at 2pm

**Head of School  
Alfie**  
**For his resilience  
through a range of  
activities and  
growing in  
confidence  
throughout**

## School Office Updates

### **Switch from MIS Scholar Pack to MIS Arbor**

We sent out the new logins for Arbor to all Parents. Please try and access Arbor as soon as you can, any issues please contact the school office. Scholar pack is to be phased out completely over the next month for parents' access, and so hopefully all parents will be using Arbor before the end of term. **An information sheet is attached for logging your child's Arbor absence.**

### **Christmas Dinner/Ukulele Concert**

Our school Christmas dinner is on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December.

On the same afternoon the KS2 children will be performing their ukulele skills for parents and the rest of the school in the school hall. **This will start at 2.45.** We look forward to seeing parents there.

### **School Gate**

When accessing or leaving the school premises, **please can you ensure the gate is closed properly** as it has been left open on various occasions over the past few weeks. We are always mindful of the safety of all the children in school and also the children at Dalesplay.

### **Last Day-Christmas Jumpers**

We have no multi-skills on the last day of term so the children can come to school dressed in Christmas clothes/jumpers. **Please note school finishes at 2pm that day.**

### **PE after Christmas**

PE days for the whole school will be Friday multi-skills with Mr. B. Then Thursday afternoon will be Zumba for all Class 1, 2 and 3. **So all children will need to wear their PE kits on a Thursday and Friday (including Nursery).**

Please ensure that all children are wearing the correct PE uniform. The children need to wear appropriate leggings/trackies for the whole school day of learning. They may bring PE shorts in for just the PE sessions and get changed.

### **Christingle.**

Next Tuesday morning the whole school(including Nursery) will be going to St Margaret's Church for the Christingle starting at 10.00 am. It would be lovely to see family and friends at this special event. **Please can children have their hair tied up, to help with safety when the candles are lit.** Thank you for your support with this.

### **Sycamore Hall-Carol singing**

On Thursday Class 3 will be going to sing at Sycamore Hall. They will arrive at 10.30 for an hour. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Metcalfe will be accompanying the children.

### **Carol singing around Hawes-Tuesday**

KS2 will be singing around Hawes next Tuesday afternoon. They will be going to the **Creamery (approx. 2.00) and also outside the Market Hall (approx. 1.15).** We hope to see families and friends supporting us with this.

### **Celebration Assembly**

Thank you to all parents and families who have joined us for celebration assemblies this term. **This is our last one for this term.** We look forward to seeing you all again in January to share in our weekly learning.

# Photo Gallery

## Nativity-Class 1

