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Newsletter 8 Autumn Term 2019



Dear Parents,

We look forward to welcoming you to next week's Christmas decoration sessions. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Haskins Garden Centre for their kind donation of a beautiful Christmas tree for our school.

The children are beginning to prepare for our different Christmas performances over the next couple of weeks and we look forward to seeing you soon at the Foundation Nativity, Key Stage 1 [Year 1 & 2] Christmas Play and Key Stage 2 [Year 3 & 4] Christmas Concert in the school hall.

A reminder that parents are able to take photos/videos of their child during school events but it is recommended that images that include other children should not be uploaded onto social media websites unless permission is sought from their parents. In addition, we would appreciate it if you could make alternative arrangements for the care of younger siblings. They often find it difficult to sit through a performance and can distract the children and disturb the audience. If however, you are bringing younger siblings and they are finding it difficult to settle, please could you step outside the hall with your child until they are quiet, settled and happy to return. Thank you for your co-operation with this matter.

Christmas Concert at St Ambrose's Church

Next week, some of our Year 3 and Year 4 children will be participating in the Westbourne Orchestral Society's Christmas Concert, which will take place on the 7th December, in St Ambrose's Church. We look forward to seeing you there.

Christmas Post

From next week, the Rushcombe post box will be available in school for the children to post their Christmas cards to each other. Please can we remind you that all envelopes need to be clearly addressed with the first name, surname and class of the child it is being sent to.

Christmas Party

As part of our Christmas celebrations, all the children in the last week will be involved in a range of activities. On the last day, Friday 20th December, all children can wear their own/party clothes.

Finally, a reminder that the children will finish on Friday 20th December at 1.00 pm and return on Tuesday, 7th January 2020.

Date to note for your Diary

Friday, 8th May 2020

Bank Holiday

(Changed from the Monday, to coincide with VE Day in 2020)

We look forward to seeing you at the forthcoming events and activities over the last couple of weeks of term.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "C Mahon".

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