

# Beaconhill Community Primary School

Newsletter - Friday 9th December 2022



## Happy Friday!

Hello everyone - I thoroughly enjoyed all four **performances** this week and hope you did too. It was wonderful to welcome you back into school and I was so proud of the children for their **lines, singing** and ability to navigate the stage without falling off (even though there was one close call!). Christmas is now just two short weeks away and I anticipate that they will be busy ones. With a cold snap arriving this week, please ensure that your children come to school well prepared for the cold weather. Warm coats, hats and scarves are always useful wherever possible. If your child comes to school wearing wellies, please ensure they have alternative shoes to wear when they're in the building as wellies aren't suitable for classrooms and the hall. We still have lots to look forward to in school over the next couple of weeks including the **Holly and Ivy** musical performance, a **Christmas film** before the end of term, **Christmas Dinner** and, if we're lucky, a visit from **Santa!** For now, have a fantastic weekend. Mr Routledge



## Reading Books

Just a reminder that **reading books** across all year groups should be returned to school on a Monday so that new books can go out the following day. We recommend that reading books stay in book bags at all times so children are less likely to forget them.

## Christmas Dinner

We will be having our **Christmas Dinner** in school on Wednesday 14th December. Children are invited to wear a Christmas jumper as part of a non-uniform day. If children don't have a **Christmas jumper**, they are, of course, welcome to wear any festive clothes or just their own clothes. I have been wearing Christmas socks for the last week or two so children can do so too! We will be serving a Christmas dinner, with festive music and Christmas crackers. There will also be an extra festive treat for all the children in the afternoon!

## Christmas Parties

In the past, we have asked children to bring in donations for food. This year, we ask if you could provide a **voluntary** donation of £1 and we will source the food ourselves. This approach should avoid wastage, ensure there are no risk to those with allergies and could also potentially be a cheaper option for you at home.

## Out of School Clubs

This week, the children have had a film night with hot chocolate and they have also been continuing with their craft evenings. Our younger children enjoyed a very excitable Little Movers session this week. We have loved hosting Little Movers and will continue to look for new and exciting clubs. For further information - **email**

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For bookings - **[www.tyaipal.org.uk](http://www.tyaipal.org.uk)**

KS2 children have also enjoyed their first art club session with Mr. Wright. We are hoping this club will continue after the holidays as there has been a lot of demand so far.

## Attendance

Very well done to **Reception** who recorded a fantastic overall attendance of **97.92%** for the week commencing

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Monday 28th November. This is a particularly impressive feat when we consider all of the bugs which have been going around. We will continue to encourage good hand hygiene to limit the spread of winter bugs.