



Middleforth Church of England Primary School



Our Christian Value this half term is Respect

Friday 13th December 2019

What a lovely week in school this week. Our productions and services were all so fabulous, and as always our children made us so proud as they sang and acted their hearts out. It was lovely to be able to go to Churchbrook House on Wednesday afternoon and share carols with the residents there, and thank them for their generous donation towards our costumes this year. The Christingle making workshops on Thursday were a great success. Thank you so much to the parents who came in and helped with this event. The children really enjoyed this preparation and managed to resist eating too many of the sweets!

Our Christingle service this morning was beautiful. Thank you so much to the many parents who said how much they loved it this morning and for the emails I have received saying how lovely it was. Good news on the technology front...we have repaired the projector!

Next week we have the EYFS and Key Stage one party on Monday and the Key Stage two party on Tuesday. Don't forget school closes at 2pm next Friday for the Christmas break.

Have a great weekend.
Mrs Adams

Christmas Cards

We are encouraging children to send just a class Christmas card this year rather than individual cards to each class member and make a small donation instead to the class collection for St Catherine's Hospice. In this way the cards can be read out to the class and put up on the wall for all to enjoy, and we will be supporting a local charity at the same time.

Booking and Payment Reminders – Breakfast and After School Club

A polite reminder from the office to continue to keep your lunch and before/after school booking and payments up to date, particularly after a weekend or school holiday. We are still experiencing a number of last minute after school club bookings which causes a build-up of unpaid accounts. We do understand that some situations are unavoidable, but planning and booking in advance helps to keep both parents and school on track. The Scopay site is very easy to use, (try to avoid using the mobile app). You first have to credit your account, then order the sessions that you require. You are able to make bookings up until midnight of the day before you need them for lunches and before/after school.

School meals are available for booking up until March 2020, please ensure that you have menu choices in place ready for when we return at the Christmas holidays.

School Closure/After School Club – Friday 20th December

Just a reminder that school closes at 2pm next Friday 20th December. Due to the early finish, there will **be no after school club provision on this day**, please ensure that there will be somebody ready to collect your child at the earlier finishing time. School will re-open on Monday 6th January 2020.

Dates for your Diary – Autumn Term 2019 – 2020

16th December	Christmas party key stage one
17th December	Christmas party key stage two
Friday 20th December	School closes 2pm

Term Dates 2019 – 2020

AUTUMN TERM 2019

School closes on

Friday 20th December 2019 at 2.00pm

SPRING TERM 2020

Re-open on

Monday 6th January 2020

School closes on

Friday 14th February 2020 at 3.15pm

Mid Term Closure

Monday 17th February – Friday 21st February 2020

Re-open on

Monday 24th February 2020

School closes on

Friday 3rd April 2020 at 2.00pm

SUMMER TERM 2020

Re-open on

Monday 20th April 2020

May Day Closure

Friday 8th May 2020 (**Please note change of date from Monday 4th May**)

School closes on

Friday 22nd May 2020 at 3.15pm

Mid Term Closure

Monday 25th May – Wednesday 3rd June 2020

School reopens on

Thursday 4th June 2020

School closes on

Friday 17th July 2020 at 2.00pm



St Leonard's Church, Marshalls Brow, Penwortham

Come and join us, sing Carols, and listen as a familiar story unfolds.

Carol Service

Sunday 15th. December 6pm

We are looking for a couple of players to join our fantastic team.

We welcome Girls who are new to football, or have played before or looking for a new challenge.

Penwortham Town Football Club

U11s RED Girls Only Football Team (School Year 6)

Training is Tuesday, 7:30pm – 8:30pm at Penwortham Priory Academy.

For more information, contact:

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