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Friday 13th December 2024

Caring, Considerate, Courageous

As I have loved you, so you must love one another. (John 13:34-35)

A Message from Miss Hammond

What a lovely week! It started with two fantastic Nativity performances by our Nursery and Reception children. This was then followed by two more fantastic performances by our Year 1 and 2 children. They were so courageous to stand up and perform in front of their family and friends. We are so very proud of all them!

Our week ended with Christmas Jumper Day! I have seen many lovely jumpers and the children proudly showed them off. Today, our Year 5 and 6 children are visiting The Lodge Care Home in Heslington to bring joy to many as they sing the Christmas Carols they have learnt with Mrs Rampley. Today is also our Christmas Dinner Day and I am looking forward to hearing the many jokes found inside the Christmas crackers later today.

There is only one more week to go!

Miss Hammond

FILLED FESTIVE JAM JAR COMPETITION !

Let' get creative and design a Christmas Inspired Jam Jar!

All children are encouraged to design a festive inspired jam jar at home.

We then would like you to fill the jam jar with something children would enjoy, ie, sweets, chocolates, stationary, etc.

The Jam Jars can then be won in a tombola on the 16th December and EVERYONE IS A WINNER!

PRIZES FOR 1ST, 2ND AND 3RD PLACE IN THE COMPETITION!

ALL ENTRIES TO BE BROUGHT IN BY MONDAY 16TH DECEMBER!

CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE

MONDAY 16TH DECEMBER!

After the great success of our last Bake Sale, we are hosting another to raise money for our school!

Donations of Cakes, Biscuits and Buns would be greatly appreciated, or if you would like to bake with your children, even better!

Please bring to the School Office on Monday 16th December morning

Christmas Nativities

It lovely having the nativities in school this week, we have seen two wonderful Christmas performances.

The Y1/2 children performed ' A Wriggly Nativity'

and the children from Nursery and Reception performed 'Fishing for Stars'

The children were fabulous and performed brilliantly for the parents and families who came to watch.

Year 1/2

Nursery and Reception

Diary Dates

16th December	Y3/4 Christmas Party PM
16th December	Filled Festive Jam Jar Competition
16th December	Christmas Bake Sale from 3pm
17th December	NCEM Christmas Concert KS2 (more details to follow)
18th December	EYFS Christmas Party AM
18th December	Christmas Service at St Lawrence's Church - (more details below)
18th December	Big Christmas Raffle Draw
18th December	KS1 Christmas Party PM
19th December	Y5 & Y6 Christmas Party AM
19th December	Break Up for Christmas
20th December	Training Day - School Closed

Attendance from this Week

Owls - 84.9%

Badgers - 88.6%

Hedgehogs - 85.8%

Squirrels - 98.1%

Foxes - 96.8%

Whole School - 89.9%

Christingle Service at St Lawrence's Church

Wednesday 18th December at 9.15am

We hope Parents and Carers will join us at the church to help us celebrate.

A perfect way to prepare for Christmas!

ST LAWRENCE'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

BIG CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Wednesday 18th December

£1.00 per strip

We are delighted to let you know that our Big Christmas Raffle is back!

Raffle Prizes Include -

Chocolate and Sweets Hampers
Craft Hampers
Italian Hampers
Baking Hampers
Beauty / Pamper Hampers

Raffle Tickets are £1.00 each and available to buy on ParentPay (this will show on your child's account, you can buy as many as you want buy entering the amount and checking out) or from the School Office.

The raffle will be drawn on Wednesday 18th December.

Thank You for your Support.

Lunch Menu

Jacket Potato option with Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo available every day!

Please find our full menu on our school website: http://www.stlawrencesschool.org/parents/school-meals-menu

Week Commencing: Monday 16th December

Monday	All Day Breakfast, Veggie All Day Breakfast, Chocolate Crunch Cookies
Tuesday	Chicken Korma with rice, Macaroni Cheese, Jam Sponge and Custard
Wednesday	Roast Pork or Roast Quorn with Roast Potato and Gravy, Muffin
Thursday	Beef Pasta Bolognese, Vegetable Lasagne, Mousse
Friday	** **Training Day - School Closed**

Week Commencing: Monday 6th January

Monday	Margherita Pizza with Tomato Pasta, Quorn & Vegetable Sweet Chilli Noodles, Iced Sponge
Tuesday	Beef Burger or Quorn Burger with Potato Wedges, Vanilla Custard Cookie
Wednesday	Roast Chicken or Vegetarian Sausage with Roast Potato and Gravy, Jelly and Fruit
Thursday	Chicken and Tomato Tortilla Stack, Autumn Vegetable Pasta Bake, Winter Berry Cake
Friday	Oven Baked Fish Fingers, Cheese and Tomato Panini, Chocolate Brownie

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