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# Broom Barns Community Primary School

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1st November 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

## Christmas Events

Please see our newsletters and website to keep up-to-date with all of our other exciting planned events. Please check our website or our newsletters for any changes.

### 24th November - Non-uniform and Decoration Day.

Parents/Carers/Grandparents are welcome to come and join their children in the morning to make decorations to decorate the school for the festive season. Please don't let the children come in their best clothes as they will be using glitter, paints, glues etc. - it can be messy !! Please do not bring other children to this event, it is meant to be a special occasion for your child.

**9.00 - 11.30am** - making decorations & decorating classes

**1.20 - 3.20pm** - we welcome parents/carers back to decorate the rest of the school (not with the children).

### 1st December - School closed

We would like to remind you school and clubs are closed on our Inset day. We hope everyone enjoys their long weekend!

**8th December - Family Disco - 6.00-7.30pm** £1 per ticket. More information will follow separately.

### 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> December - Nursery to Year 2 Nativity

Our Reception, class 1 and class 2 pupils will be performing the Nativity to parents on two occasions. We are pleased to inform you that our nursery pupils will be joining in for the performance on Wednesday 13th December.

Tickets will be free but limited to 2 tickets per family, per performance, in the first instance, due to fire regulations. Please note at both performances we will be collecting donations for our chosen charity. A separate letter will go out for parents to request tickets.

### 14<sup>th</sup> December - Panto

This is a fantastic opportunity for the whole school to join in a trip together. The performance will be on the afternoon of Thursday 14th December. Please note **ALL** staff will be at the panto (**school will be closed**). Children will need to be collected by a known adult from the Gordon Craig theatre.

### **15<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day**

We hope children will come in wearing Christmas jumpers (bought or homemade) as a non-uniform day, and are suggesting a donation of £1.00 per child. Please note this is 'Christmas Jumper Day' we are asking for children to come to school in a **festive top**, not party clothes. This will be a very festive day as it is also the Christmas school dinner. If your child is in Year 3, 4, 5 or 6 please ensure you send in £2.40 per child, for the Christmas dinner by Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December. Please ensure you return the slip below to order your child's dinner so the kitchen can order enough food in.

### **18th December - Christmas Parties**

Children may bring in party clothes to change into later in the day. As there will be party games please ensure the children bring sensible clothes and shoes.

### **18th December**

Nursery last day of term.

### **19<sup>th</sup> December - Carol Service**

Every child from Reception to Year 6 will be walking to Saint Andrew & Saint George Church, St. Georges Way to sing carols. Parents, carers and grandparents are welcome to join us at 10am. We will then walk the children back to school after the service. Please note WRAP after school club will not be open on this date.

### **19<sup>th</sup> December**

I would like to remind you that the children in Reception to Year 6 finish school at 1.30pm on this day.

### **Christmas Break**

Christmas holidays are 20<sup>th</sup> December to 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2018, with the children returning to school for registration at 8.50am on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January.

### **Sharing Information**

We endeavour to keep you informed of all events, activities, dates and changes to dates. We do this through letters, newsletters, website, emails, texts and posters. Please ensure you keep up-to-date with information by checking your emails and child's book bags daily. If you are unsure of any dates or are working parents and need to know dates in advance please check with our website as dates are added as soon as we know them.

Yours sincerely

*Mrs Currant*

Mrs Currant  
Headteacher

**Please complete and return this form for every child in the school;**

We require this form return before **4th December** to place the food order, thank you.

Child's Name..... in class .....

**15th December - Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day**

**IMPORTANT - Please complete for every child in the school even if they are entitled to free meals.**

Please **tick** under the option you would like for Christmas dinner day:

<b>Red Option (meat)</b>	<b>Green Option (vegetarian)</b>	I will provide a home packed lunch
Turkey slice, pork chipolata, Yorkshire pudding, roast potatoes, sage & onion stuffing, various vegetables.	Quorn fillet, Yorkshire pudding, roast potatoes, sage & onion stuffing, various vegetables.	

Reminders: We require this form return before **4th December** to ensure the order is placed. School meals cost £2.40 per meal for Year 3 to Year 6 children, please send your payment in with this order form.



**24th November - Decoration Day (whole school)**

Child's Name..... in class .....

I would like to come into school and join my child on 24th November to make festive decorations in the morning (9am - 11.30pm). Please print the name of the parent/carer/grandparent coming in: .....

**and/or**

I would like to come and help decorate the school on 24th November in the afternoon (1.20pm - 3.20pm, not with children). Please print the name of the parent/carer/grandparent coming in: .....