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Weekly Newsletter No. 14
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We are a nut free school!
No nuts in any snacks or packed lunches please

Dear Parent/Carer,

The **KS2 Pantomime** on Friday was fabulous and the **Infant Nativity performances** on Wednesday were delightful! The children sang and danced beautifully. Well done to all the children who really rose to the occasion and gave fantastic performances. A special thank you to all the staff who have worked tirelessly to ensure the children felt confident 'on stage.' Thankyou also to all parents who bought raffle tickets during all performances, the PTA managed to raise a fabulous £300. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the PTA for their hard work over this term. Through their enthusiasm and commitment, they have managed to raise a great deal of money for our school—this is greatly appreciated.

We would like to draw your attention to some links which are on the **Safeguarding** section of the school website (under the School Information tab).

nspcc.org.uk/pants, nspcc.org.uk/shareaware, net-aware.org.uk

We are very much looking forward to the last week of term and the traditional Askwith **Christmas events**, see below for details. On the last day of term, Friday 21st December, children may wear non-uniform and bring a small game / toy that does not make excessive noise (no valuable items such as mobile phones or ipads please).

With the cold weather continuing, please can children bring coats and gloves to school every day so they are warm during outdoor play.

Please can all parents check their **Parent Pay** accounts and pay for all items before the start of the new term. A reminder to parents of children in years 5 and 6 to please make their contribution for swimming lessons, if they have not already done so, before the first lesson on Monday 14th January.

In the last week of term, **breakfast club** will be on each morning as usual from 8am. **After school club** will be on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday until 5.30pm but there will be no after school club on Thursday 20th, all children to be collected at the end of the school day. On Friday 21st we finish for Christmas at 2pm.

Yours faithfully, Mrs E Nayler

- CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES—
- Tue 18th Dec**—Whole school Christmas lunch
 - Wed 19th Dec**—All children craft morning. Years Reception to year 6 Christmas party in the afternoon
 - Thur 20th Dec**—Film Media Day
 - Fri 21st Dec**—School closes for Christmas at 2pm