

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have reached the end of our first term this academic year, and what a great start we have had. The children have settled well into their new classes, and are already making fantastic progress. I hope that everyone enjoys the holidays with friends and family; we must remember to be kind to ourselves and ensure we take a moment to relax! Finally I would like to wish all our families a very merry Christmas.

Wish List

Everybody in the school is thrilled to be receiving and using items from their Wish list. Year 6 would like to say thank you for the Web Cam, they are very grateful to everybody that donated towards this amazing piece of equipment

School Plays

All the Christmas nativities are now finished and they truly were amazing. I would like to thank all the staff for their hard work. The costumes, singing, and acting were outstanding.

Christmas Lunch

We are looking forward to our Christmas meal on the 18th of December. If your child is in the juniors please make sure you have ordered their meal, or provide them with a packed lunch. Your child is welcome to wear a Christmas jumper on this day.

Loxwood Singers

The Loxwood Singers were invited to sing at The Alfold Luncheon Club this week. They sang traditional carols at North Hall and the luncheon club thoroughly enjoyed it.

Birthday Sweets

From January, we will not be allowing children to bring sweets into school on their birthday. We are encouraging the children to eat and lead a more healthy lifestyle. Thank you for your co-operation.

Carol Service

The whole school enjoyed walking to the church for our Christmas Carol Service yesterday. It was lovely to here such beautiful singing! Thank you to all the parents who helped walk the children there and back safely.

Panto

Today we went to the long awaited pantomime (oh yes we did!!) it was a fantastic treat for the whole school to enjoy. The children were wonderful at joining in, shouting in all the right places and behaved beautifully! Thank you to all the parent helpers who came along.

Kind regards, Ms Kitson



Did you know.....

The Loxwood Singers sang to the Alfold lunch club at their Christmas lunch this week.







Congratulations to the children who received a celebration certificate.

Young Explorers: Oak Class: Willow Class: **Rowan Class:** Sycamore Class: Mulberry Class: **Chestnut Class:**

The winning house this week is:



General dates Christmas Lunch End of term assembly Return to school

18th December 19th December 2.30pm Parents welcome 3rd January 2019

INSET days for this Academic Year

Friday 15th February 2019 Monday 22nd July 2019 Tuesday 23rd July 2019

Half Term / End of Term Holidays 2018/19

Thursday 20th December-Wednesday 2nd January 2019Monday 18th February-Friday 22nd February 2019Monday 8th April-Monday 22nd April 2019Monday 27th May-Friday 31st May 2019 Last day of term

- Friday 19th July 2019



Forest School Dates

On your child's Forest School day they can come to school in their Forest School clothing for the whole day, please ensure they are wearing long sleeved tops and trousers – even if the weather is warmer. They will also need suitable footwear, e.g. wellies and a rain coat. If you are able to help on Forest School dates, please see the school office.