

Christmas Thanks

We hope that you have enjoyed the various Christmas events over the past few weeks. It was lovely to see so many of you at the Year 4 and 5 Production, the Community Sing and the Year 3 and 6 Carol Concert. A huge thank you for all your support.

Congratulations to Year 4 and 5 for their brilliant performance of 'Santa's on Strike'. We were all so impressed with the wonderful acting and singing on show. Thank you to the Baptist Church for hosting us.

A huge well done to all the children involved in the Carol Concert earlier this week. The readers, the children in the tableaux, the instrumentalists, the poetry performers and the singers all did brilliantly. Thanks to St Giles for hosting us.

Thank you to all those who came to the Community Sing last Friday. This is always such a special event and this year was no different. Thank you to all those who brought donations for the Friary and the Rushcliffe foodbank. I know they were incredibly grateful.

HSA Update

Our wonderful HSA, led by Claire Hughes, has done an amazing job of raising funds for school this term. PJ parties, discos, cake sales and of course the Christmas Fair have all contributed to raising over £8,000 since September. Thank you all for your generous support. Some of this money has been used to purchase new bike racks, storage for playground equipment, a new set of iPads for the children and a brand new interactive whiteboard. Money will also be put towards our playground project which Mrs Arnold is taking a lead on. Watch this space for more information on that!



INSET days

A reminder that tomorrow, Friday 22nd December is an INSET day and that school will be closed to children. Our INSET days for the remainder of the academic year are:

Monday 19th February 2024

Friday 28th June 2024

Merry Christmas!

Thank you for your continued support during the past term. As always, it has been a busy one, but one with lots of opportunities for the children and lots to celebrate. We are so proud of the children's hard work and achievements. They make WBJS a wonderful place to come to work each day!

I want to take this opportunity to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I hope you have a restful break and we look forward to seeing you in January.

Key Dates Spring Term

Thursday 4 th Jan	Children return to school
Thursday 4 th & Friday 5 th January	Whole school writing project
Friday 26 th January	Careers Day
Monday 29 th January at 6pm	SATs information meeting
Week beg 5 th February	Dukes Barn Residential for Year 4
Friday 9 th February	Break up for half term
Monday 19 th February	INSET Day
Tuesday 20 th February	Children return to school
Thursday 7 th March	World Book Day
Week beg 18 th March	Parents' Evenings
Week beg 25 th March	Art Week
Thursday 28 th March	Last day of term