

Headteacher's Bulletin

Dear Parents,

Thank you to all the families that were able to join us for our Winter Fair – the FoH are counting up all the takings and the early indications show that that this was our most successful Winter Fair ever! Once we have the final amounts, I will let you know and give you an idea of how the money raised will support the children.

I am also looking forward to the Nativity plays this week, as they are always the start of us getting properly into the Christmas spirit.

Thank you for your support.

Matt Hickey

Headteacher



Autumn Diary Dates



FS and KS1 Nativities

Wednesday 11th December
FS 9.15-9.45am, KS1 9.45-10.30am

Thursday 12th December
FS 1.45-2.15pm, KS1 2.15-3.00pm

Friday 13th December
FS 9.15-9.45am, KS1 9.45-10.30am

Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 13th December

Last day of Autumn term
Friday 20th December at 1.30pm –
no After School Club on this day

Inset Day – School closed

Monday 6th January 2020

First day of Spring term

Tuesday 7th January 2020

Christmas Lunch!

Highwood kicked off the Festive season in style this week with our Christmas Lunch. Everyone had made special party hats to wear and the hall was buzzing with Christmas songs. Thank you to all the staff

for helping out and to the catering staff for providing us all with such a



Sport News



Well done to the 3/4 and 5/6 Sportshall Athletes, who put great effort into each event. Congratulations also to the 5/6 Six-a-Side football team, who were runners up in their league at the event run by Reading Football Club.

Parking

We are still receiving complaints about inconsiderate and hazardous parking around the school area at drop off and pick up. There are several schools and many children walking so we all need to ensure we are not making their journeys difficult or dangerous. Please think about where you park, and consider using the park and stride at The Waterside Restaurant or an alternative mode of transport



lovely dinner.

We will be getting more festive as December rolls on with our Nativities and Christmas Jumpers!



★ BIG BOOK BOOST The Book People Big Book Boost

Please remember to nominate us for your Big Book Boost points if you are shopping from The Book People. Books make great Christmas gifts and if you spend more than £10.00 online Highwood will receive points to spend on new books for school.



Lost Property

The lost property boxes are overflowing with jumpers and other items. If your child is missing anything please check the boxes before the end of term.



FOH Winter Fair

Thank you to everyone that came along to the Winter Fair on Saturday. Thank you to everyone that helped out, both staff, children and parents.



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Save the Children.

Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 13th December is Christmas Jumper Day! The children may wear a Christmas or sparkly jumper with their uniform, instead of their usual school jumper/cardigan. If you would like to make a £1.00 per child donation that day we will pass it on to the charity, which carries out amazing work across the world ensuring that children have food, water and safety to grow up Healthy and happy.

