

Headteacher's Bulletin

Dear Parents,

What a busy end of term! It has been great to see so many of you at our EYFS and KS1 nativity plays this week. The children performed superbly and were a real credit to yourselves and the school. Seeing children grow in confidence and perform on the stage with smiles on their faces really fills me with pride. It shows the Teamwork at Highwood at its best with children, parents and teachers working together to produce and enjoy something amazing!

Thank you for your support.

Matt Hickey
Headteacher



Autumn Diary Dates



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



FOH Winter Fair

Well done and thank you to the FOH for one of the most successful Winter Fairs ever, raising over £1,800.00. Fantastic! Follow us at @HighwoodFOH.

Christmas Jumper Day

It was great to see so many colourful Christmas Jumpers on show today! We have also raised £200 for Save The Children so thank you to all who donated.



Car park

Please could all users of the car park ensure that they are doing so safely. All cars should follow the arrows in the correct direction to avoid accidents. For safety, pedestrians should use the footpath to access the school buildings, rather than walking through the car area. If you are dropping off for Breakfast Club, or you have a car park pass, you still need to park in a designated parking space.

Nativity Performances

Our Foundation and KS1 children worked hard rehearsing for their Nativities and it has all paid off! They have performed beautifully and confidently and have been a pleasure to watch and listen to. Thank you to all the parents that were able to come and show their



support, and to the teachers for all the time they have put in to help the children put on such wonderful shows. Well done children!



Mrs Raines took 10 children to take part in the Mayor's Carol Concert on Sunday evening. 300 children from 17 different Wokingham primary schools sang a selection of carols, accompanied by a live orchestra. The children sounded amazing!



Wokingham Mayor's Carol Concert

Family Centre

The following Wokingham Adult Education courses will be running in the Family Centre next term:

- ESOL – English for Speakers of Other Languages
- Helping Children with Maths

More information will be available in next week's newsletter.



Sport News

Well done to our Boccia team, who came second in our league at the Wokingham School Games Tournament held at Bohunt School. This was a great event which we took part in with plenty of enthusiasm!

